

# Art Words

Write vocabulary words and definitions in your sketchbook. Use Art Words as you answer journal responses and discuss art work.

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- **Symbol**

- A mark or simple drawing which stands for something else

- **Pattern**

- The systematic arrangement, design or repetition of elements in a work of art

- **Texture**

- The way a surface feels to the touch or the way it looks such as bumpy or smooth.

- **Space**

- The distances or area around, between or within components of an artwork including:

- ✦ Negative space is the empty space around or within an object or form; also called white space.
- ✦ Positive space is filled with something such as line, color, or shape.

- **Shape**

- The outline of a figure or form including:

- ✦ Geometric shapes such as a triangle, circle or star
- ✦ Freeform shapes such as the natural shape of a cloud.