

Key Vocabulary	
self-portrait	A picture or painting that an art produces of themselves.
Van Gogh	A famous Dutch painter who died in 1890.
emotion	Artists make choices about colour, line, texture and composition to make us feel different things.
tone	Refers to the light and dark areas of an art piece so it doesn't look flat and dull.
shade	A shade is a mixture of a paint with black or a dark coloured paint to make it darker.
proportion	The size of different parts of the face and the placement of one part of the face in relation to another.
impasto brush strokes	Van Gogh's style was to use thick brush strokes with lots of paint to create visible paint lines on the canvas.
bold colours	Rich, bright and vibrant colours that stand out.
contours	Marks and lines to show the shape of the person being painted.
post-impressionist	The post impressionists were a group of 20 th century artists in France who used lots of bold colour and line.

