

Henri Matisse

Key Artist: Henri Matisse

- Matisse was born in Northern France, on the 31st December 1869.
- He went to school in Paris.
- Some of his work has sold for over £15 million.
- His early work was full of bright colours and this style of art was called "Fauvism".
- He also changed his style and painted portraits and still life pictures too.
- Matisse died on the 3rd of November 1954.



Key Artwork:





The Colour Red – 1908 Purple Robe and Anemones – 1937



Daisies - 1939



The Goldfish - 1912

Key Vocabulary:

Fauvism – Fauvism is a type of artwork known for its bright colours and shapes.
Masterpiece – A masterpiece is an important or impressive piece of art.
Portrait – A portrait is a picture or painting of a person.
Still Life - Still life paintings are a collection of objects. It could be fruit or flowers that feel soft, with vases, bowls.

Key Skills:

• Children become more confident in naming primary and secondary colours when mixing paints.

- •Children learn to design patterns of increasing complexity and repetition.
- Children learn to print using a variety of materials, objects and techniques.
- Children learn to create textured collages from a variety of media.
- Children learn to manipulate clay, plasticine and other mouldable materials for a variety of purposes, including thumb pots and models.
- Children learn to experiment with, construct and join recycled, natural and man-made materials more confidently.
- Children begin to learn to fold paper accurately to create various shapes and create effects within their art.

Key Skills Diagrams: Collage & Sculpture



