

Review of American Modern Painting

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Understanding Creativity in Art

Name: _____

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Answer the following questions based on what you've learned about American modern painting and your own artwork.

1. What inspired your painting? Describe the personal subject you chose.

2. What is a key characteristic of early 20th century American modern painting?

- A. Realistic representation
- B. Personal expression
- C. Black and white colors

3. American modern painting emphasizes ____ and breaking from traditional styles.

4. Artists in early 20th century American modern painting often focused on individual perspective.

- True False

5. How did you use color to express feelings in your painting? Give an example.

6. Which scripture mentions God's gift of creativity?

- A. Genesis 1:1
- B. Exodus 35:31-32
- C. Psalm 23:1

7. Painting can tell a story about our ____ experiences.

8. Modern art is mainly about following strict rules and guidelines.

- True False

9. What makes an artwork special to you? Explain your answer.

10. How does art help us share our feelings?

- A. By using only black paint
- B. By telling a story through colors and forms
- C. By following traditional styles

Answer Key

1. I was inspired by my family vacation to the beach because it was a happy time for me. 2. Personal expression 3. personal expression 4. True 5. I used bright yellow to show happiness and dark blue to show sadness. 6. Exodus 35:31-32 7. personal 8. False 9. An artwork is special to me if it connects to my feelings or memories. 10. By telling a story through colors and forms

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