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Vocabulary Mix

Directions: Determine the word defined or answer to each item below and place the answers in the boxes to the right. At the bottom, write the corresponding letter and number to reveal a secret message.

Elements of Art

Basic components that artists use in producing artworks, the "building blocks" of all designs to express ideas

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A mark left by a dot or point moving over a surface. It is often an outline or contour, showing the edge of something.

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An enclosed space defined by line, color, value, or texture.

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Wavelengths of light as interpreted by the human eye, ultimate tool for symbolic communication.

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Refers to surface quality; smooth, rough, soft.

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The distance around, between, above, below and within an object on a surface.

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Refers to the lightness or darkness of a design and is often an important element where there is the absence of color.

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KEY – Elements of Art

Design Elements

Basic components that artists use in producing artworks, the "building blocks" of all designs to express ideas

D E S I G N

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E L E M E N T S

11 7

Line

A mark left by a dot or point moving over a surface. It is often an outline or contour, showing the edge of something.

L I N E

12 10

Shape

An enclosed space defined by line, color, value, or texture.

S H A P E

9 14

Color

Wavelengths of light as interpreted by the human eye, ultimate tool for symbolic communication.

C O L O R

2 4

Texture

Refers to surface quality; smooth, rough, soft.

T E X T U R E

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Space

The distance around, between, above, below and within an object on a surface.

S P A C E

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Value

Refers to the lightness or darkness of a design and is often an important element where there is the absence of color.

V A L U E

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C O L O R

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