




Year group	What we are studying	Work to complete
Year 8	<p><b>Artist Investigation</b> <b>Vincent Van Gogh</b></p>	<p>Van Gogh painted seven famous sunflower paintings in 1888 and 1889. Four of these paintings are in museums around the world, one is privately owned, one was destroyed in Japan by a bomb in WWII and one in 1987 sold at auction for a record breaking \$39.85 million.</p> <p><b>Task 1: Draw one of Van Gogh’s Sunflowers paintings.</b> Look at the line of the table, how many flower heads are there and see if you can perfect his signature across the vase. You can shade with pencil or add colour with whatever materials you have at home.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Watch this <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DppVD1i78qU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DppVD1i78qU</a></li> </ul> <p><b>Task 2: ‘Painting without paint’</b> example below of Van Gogh’s Starry Night.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Select which one of Van Gogh’s paintings to copy. Sunflowers, Starry Night or a self portrait</li> <li>• Collect objects together and lay them out to match the painting</li> <li>• Photograph from above and print/email to me</li> </ul>  <p><b>Task 3: What do you know about Van Gogh</b>, his life and his paintings? Click on the links below to find out more and see how you score on the Van Gogh quiz.</p> <p><a href="https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/games-quizzes/quiz-van-gogh-beat-clock-challenge">https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/games-quizzes/quiz-van-gogh-beat-clock-challenge</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-vincent-van-gogh">https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-vincent-van-gogh</a></p>