

Key Vocabulary...

ARCHITECTURE	A term to describe buildings and other structures. The design and method of construction of buildings and other physical structures.
RENAISSANCE	The Renaissance is a term used to describe a period in European history marking the transition from the Middle Ages. Beginning in Italy and spreading to the rest of Europe by the 16th century, its influence was felt in art, architecture, philosophy, literature, music, science, technology, politics and religion.
THE SISTINE CHAPEL	Is famous for its Renaissance wall paintings by Michelangelo. The Creation of Adam is painted on the ceiling by Michelangelo, 1508–12; in the Sistine Chapel, Vatican City.
THE CATHEDRAL OF NOTRE DAME	Is the most famous cathedrals of the Middle Ages and is distinguished for its size, architectural interest and gargoyles.

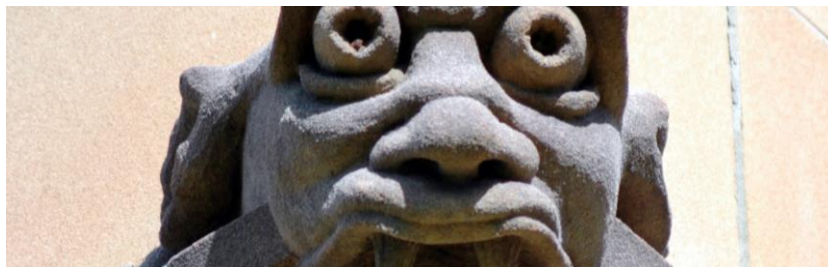
Always remember...



The TMNT are named after the four most famous Renaissance artists in the world.



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What is a 'Gargoyle?'

A Gargoyle is a grotesque carved human or animal face or figure projecting from the gutter of a building, typically acting as a spout. There are three basic functions of gargoyles: to evacuate rainwater from rooftops, to decorate drains, and based on popular legends and beliefs, to act as a symbol to warn off any bad spirits that may wish to enter the cathedral. Almost like a modern-day scarecrow!

Gargoyles are generally made from stone and are fixed to the exterior of a building. These date back to the 13th Century which is right at the start of the Renaissance period.

The 'pinch pot'.

A ceramic technique to create a rounded, hollow shell which can be used to mould a gargoyle.

The Big Question...

How could you create your own gargoyle?

Activity: If you were going to create your own gargoyle, what would it look like and why?

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JOSHUA SMITH	Joshua Smith is a miniaturist and former stencil artist based in Norwood, South Australia. With a career spanning 20 years he has showcased his work in London, Paris, Berlin and New York,
PERCY KELLY	Percy Kelly was born in 1918 in Workington. His family were poor. His father Oscar was a carpenter. He was one of seven children (a twin) living in a small terrace house. It was a devoutly religious household. Throughout his life his extraordinary talent was quickly noticed. His ability to draw gained the attention of Sir Winston Churchill,
COLLAGE	Collage is a piece of art made by sticking various materials such as photographs and pieces of paper or fabric on to a backing.
MIXED MEDIA	Mixed media involves using more than one art medium such as paint, photography, illustration, collage, textiles, sculpting and drawing.

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MIXED MEDIA:-

In this project, we are going to explore our town: Atherton.

We will be looking

The Big Question...

How can I recreate my town using mixed media techniques?

Activity: What building in Atherton would you like to recreate?