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What is Drawing

Drawing: The Art of Creating Images with Lines!

DEFINITION

> Drawing is the act of making marks on a surface to create images. It can be done using various tools like pencils, pens, or crayons.

KEY CONCEPTS

Lines

Lines are the basic building blocks of drawing, used to outline shapes.

Shapes

Shapes are formed by connecting lines and can be geometric or organic.

Shading

Shading adds depth and dimension to drawings by varying the darkness of lines.

Perspective

Perspective helps create the illusion of depth, making objects appear closer or farther away.

Color

Color enhances drawings, making them more vibrant and expressive.

EXAMPLES

→ Drawing a simple house using lines and shapes.

→ Creating a shaded apple to show light and shadow.

→ Sketching a landscape with perspective to show depth.

MEMORY TIPS

★ Remember 'LSPC' for Lines, Shapes, Perspective, Color.

★ Think of drawing as 'Doodle, Define, Detail' to structure your process.

★ Visualize a rainbow for color mixing techniques.

COMMON MISTAKES

✗ Not practicing basic shapes before complex drawings.

✗ Overlooking shading, making drawings look flat.

✗ Ignoring perspective, leading to unrealistic proportions.

QUICK RECAP

Drawing is a fundamental art form that uses lines and shapes to create images. Key elements include lines, shapes, shading, perspective, and color. Practice these concepts to improve your drawing skills.