

# Art Knowledge Organiser: Collage

## Key Vocabulary:

**Cultural:** the ideas, customs, and social behaviour of a society. Also relating to the arts and to intellectual achievements.

**Society:** a community or group of people having common traditions, institutions, and interests

**Mosaic:** a picture or pattern produced by arranging together small pieces of stone, tile, glass, etc.

**Tessellation:** the covering of a surface, using one or more geometric shapes, called tiles, with no overlaps and no gaps.

**Collage:** Collage describes both the technique and the resulting work of art in which pieces of paper, photographs and/or fabric are arranged and stuck down onto a supporting surface. Collage comes from the French word "collér," which means "to glue".

**Montage:** the technique of producing a new composite whole from fragments of pictures, text, or music

A collage is a piece of art made by sticking various different materials such as photographs and pieces of paper or fabric on to a backing.

Cutting and folding paper



Twisting, curling and folding



Natural materials



Working with paper



Tessellation

