

Spelling list: Art composition

words to use when describing art composition

background	The orchestra played softly in the background .
blurred	A slow shutter speed might give a blurred photograph.
complex	The human body is very complex .
confused	Jane was confused and got into a muddle.
distance	Use a telescope to see in the distance .
focus	It was difficult to focus on the moving car.
foreground	Bring the image to the foreground .
form	A microbe is a tiny life form that can cause illness.
near	We don't want to live near the main road.
perspective	Karl has drawn an excellent picture with houses, telegraph poles and trees all in perspective .
proportion	Her head was in proportion to her body.
scale	Ordnance survey maps are maps drawn to scale showing great detail.
SHAPE	The moon was in the shape of a crescent.
symmetry	Line symmetry is when a line drawn through a shape leaves each side a mirror image of the other.
eye	Eye line is where someone is looking.
middle	Middle ground is between the background and the foreground.