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## Expressive clay portrait

\_\_\_/10 Idea development

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### Criteria for your finished clay portrait:

**Realistic proportion and detail:** Your portrait is clearly recognizable and is highly detailed with correct shapes and sizes.

**Clay technique:** The sculpture is well-crafted, has excellent texture, is strong, and will not break or explode.

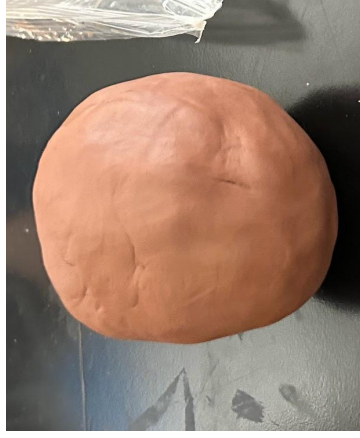
**Emotional expression:** A specific emotion is clearly expressed in the portrait. This emotion is clearly communicated across the whole of the face.



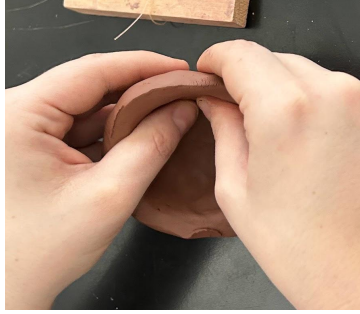
# Building your expressive clay portrait step by step

- Sadness
- Anger
- Disgust
- Surprise
- Fear
- Contempt
- Derision
- Confusion

1 Choose a **specific emotion**.



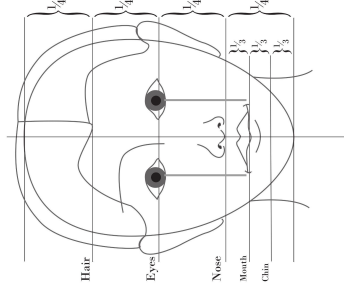
2 Divide your clay **in half**.



3 Create a **hollow sphere**.



4 **Paddle** the sphere into an **egg shape**.



5 Mark out the **general proportions**.



6 Add the **features**.



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8 Smooth and refine the features.



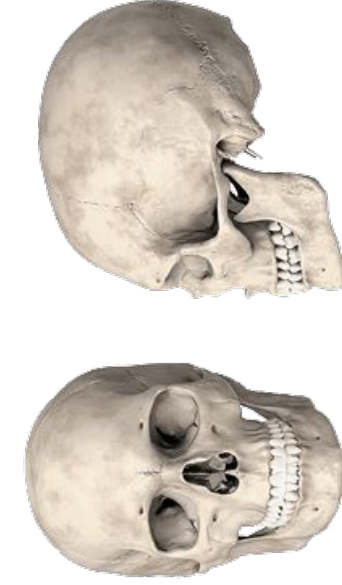
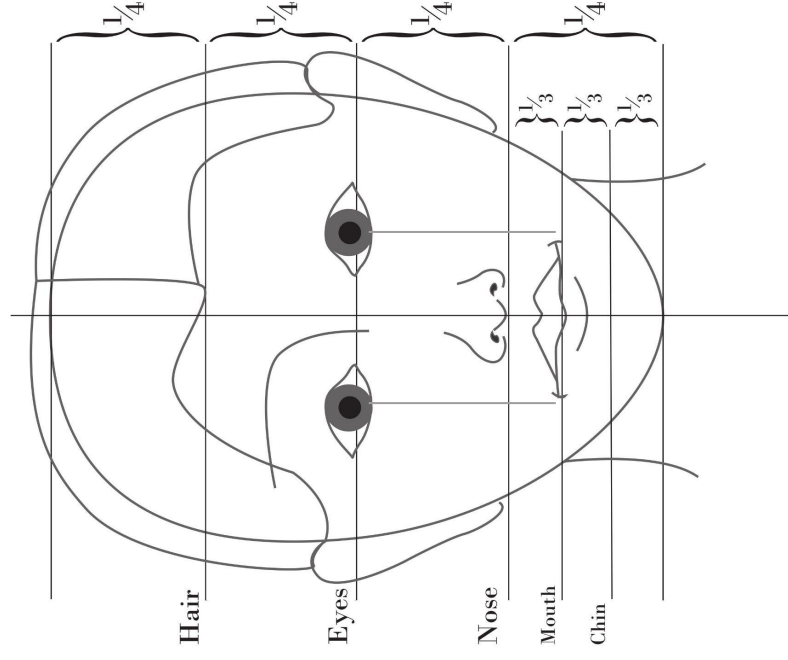
9 Add a neck to support your sculpture.



10 Add hair to your sculpture.

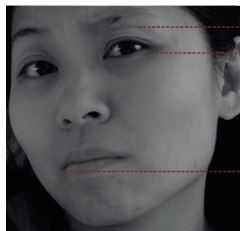


11 Discreetly puncture it so it won't explode.



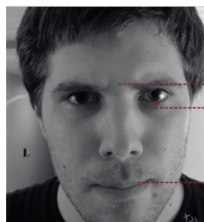


# Skill builders Expressive Faces



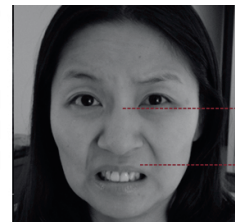
## sadness

- ① drooping upper eyelids
- ② losing focus in eyes
- ③ slight pulling down of lip corners



## anger

- ① eyebrows down and together
- ② eyes glare
- ③ narrowing of the lips



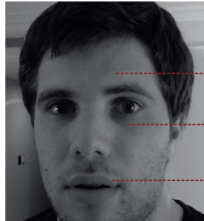
## disgust

- ① nose wrinkling
- ② upper lip raised



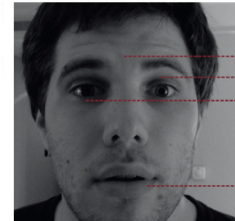
## contempt

- ① lip corner tightened and raised on only one side of face



## surprise

- Lasts for only one second:
- ① eyebrows raised
  - ② eyes widened
  - ③ mouth open



## fear

- ① eyebrows raised and pulled together
- ② raised upper eyelids
- ③ tensed lower eyelids
- ④ lips slightly stretched horizontally back to ears



### 1. Contempt:

lifted brows, upper lip lifted.  
How to cause this:  
It's enough just to wipe the sweat off your head with a tip of your tie.

### 2. Controlled anger:

tightly shut lips, flared nostrils, eyes squinting slightly.  
How to cause this:  
Find a photo album with your ex-wife photos and put it in a prominent place.

### 3. Fear:

eyes open wide, eyebrows slightly raised corners of the mouth are pointing downward.  
How to cause this:  
Pick up the phone and say: "Hey Wolfgang! I heard you and your brother have no place to live? Well, come live with us!"



### 4. Sarcastic Smile

mouth half-open, eyes slightly squinting.  
How to cause this:  
Going out with your buddies, promise to be home at 9 pm.

### 5. Obligatory Smile

mouth corners are pointing in different directions, in a lopsided smile.  
How to cause this:  
Invite your boss to visit your house.

### 6. Derision

lips shut, eyes squinting.  
How to cause this:  
Refuse to pay extra \$100 for a hotel room with a better view.



### 7. Asking nicely:

lifted eyebrows, trembling chin  
How to cause this:  
Promise something, then change your mind.

### 8. Pleading:

wrinkled forehead, lips slightly open, eyes wet.  
How to cause this:  
Again promise her something, (see previous), and then change your mind again.

### 9. Baffled Anger

one eye squinted, jaw put forward.  
How to cause this:  
when you learn wins, go to bed dressed in it's colors.



### 10. Confusion:

eyes open wide, mouth slightly open.  
How to cause this:  
get a tattoo with a different girl's name.

### 11. Deep Hatred

all face muscles are frozen as in a mask.  
How to cause this:  
Say that her new dress is good, but your secretary's dress is better.

### 12. Humble Submission.

mouth is closed, one eyebrow slightly raised.  
How to cause this:  
As yet unknown.





Once upon a time, you simply wanted to make a portrait look right. Now it is time to use your skills to express emotion. Make expressive shaded drawings in your sketchbook.



## The Seven Universal Facial Expressions of Emotion



Video: We have only four facial expressions!

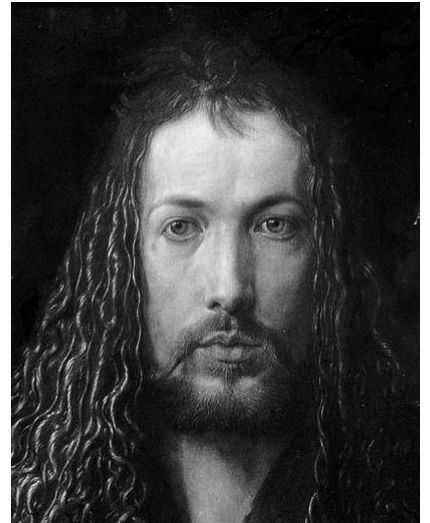




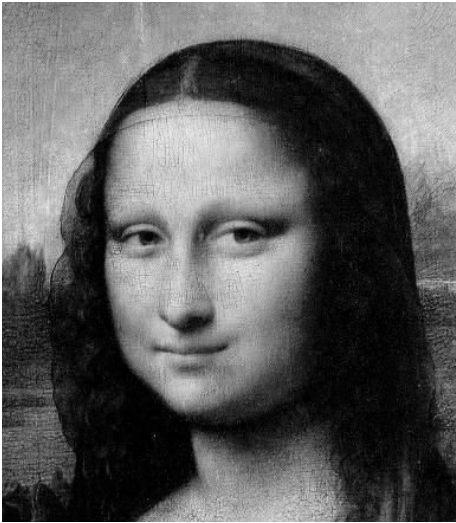
Édouard Manet, *Olympia*, 1863



Johannes Vermeer, *Girl with a Pearl Earring*, c 1665



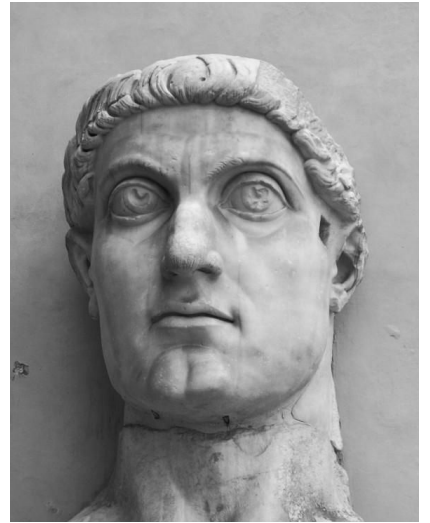
Albrecht Dürer, *Self-portrait*, 1500



Leonardo da Vinci, *Mona Lisa*, c. 1503-1506



Frida Kahlo, *The Two Fridas*, 1939



Unknown, *Head of Constantine*, circa 315

## Portraits from art history



Roy Lichtenstein, *In the Car*, 1963

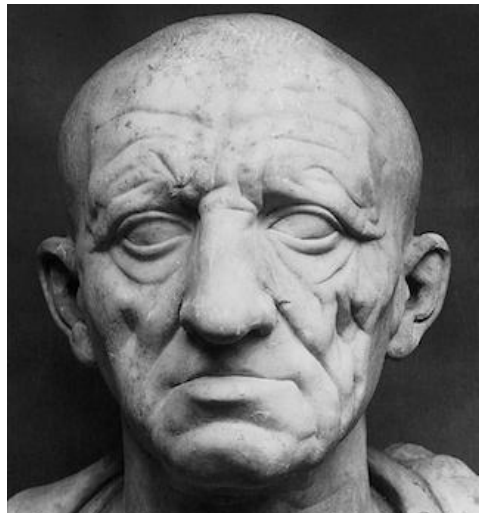


Rembrandt, *Self-Portrait with Two Circles*, c. 1665-1669





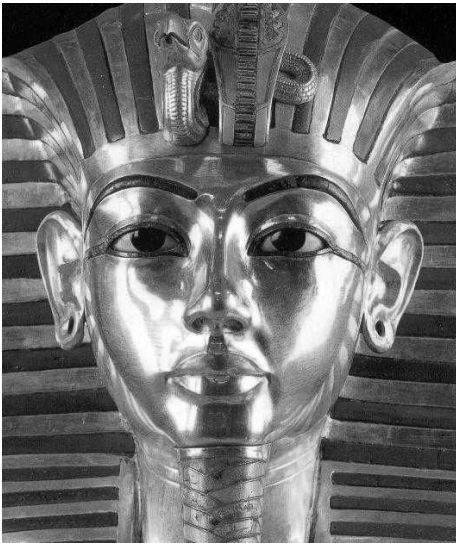
**Jan van Eyck, *The Arnolfini Portrait*, 1434**



**Unknown, *Head of a Roman Patrician* (Cato the Elder), 75-50 BC**



**Myron, *Discobolus*, circa 450 BC**



**Unknown, *The Death Mask of King Tutankhamen*, 1320 BC**



**Jean-Auguste-Dominique Ingres, *Princesse de Broglie*, 1851-53**



**Edvard Munch, *The Scream of Nature*, 1893**



**Jeff Koons, *Rabbit*, 1986**



**Otto Dix, *Portrait of the Journalist Sylvia Von Harden*, 1926**



**Édouard Manet, *A Bar at the Folies-Bergère*, 1881-82**

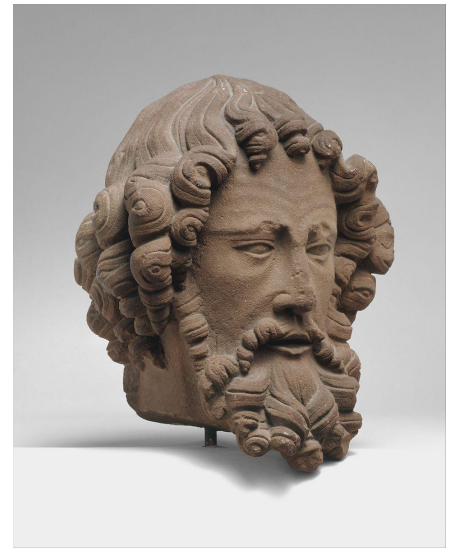




**After Leochares, *Apollo Belvedere*,**  
white marble, 120–140 CE.



**Marble portrait of the emperor  
*Antoninus Pius*,** ca. 138–161 CE.



**Unknown German artist, *Head of an  
Apostle*,** ca. 1280–1300.



**Michelangelo (Italy), *David*,**  
1501–1504. White marble.

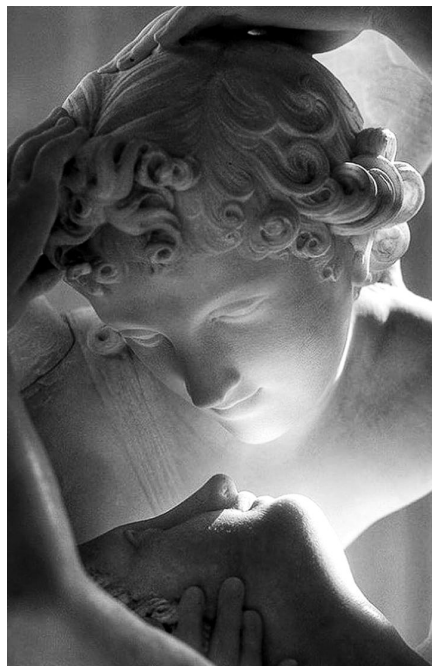


**Gian Lorenzo Bernini (Italy), *David*,**  
1623–24.



**Harriet Goodhue Hosmer (US),  
*Daphne*,** 1853, carved 1854.

# Sculpted faces



**Antonio Canova (Italian), *Psyche  
Revived by Cupid's Kiss*,** 1787–1793.



**Edgar Degas (France), *Little Dancer,  
Aged Fourteen*,** 1878–1881.

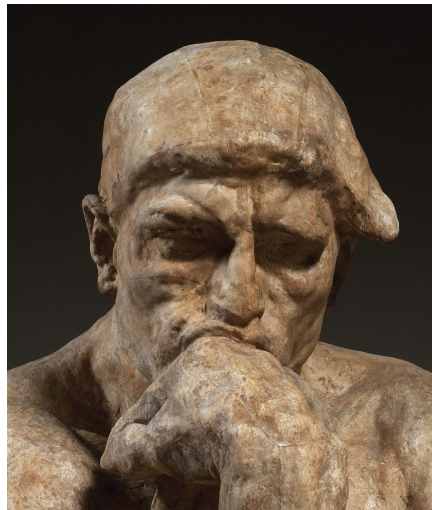


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# Art History



**Ernst Ludwig Kirchner** (German),  
Expressionist wooden sculpture.



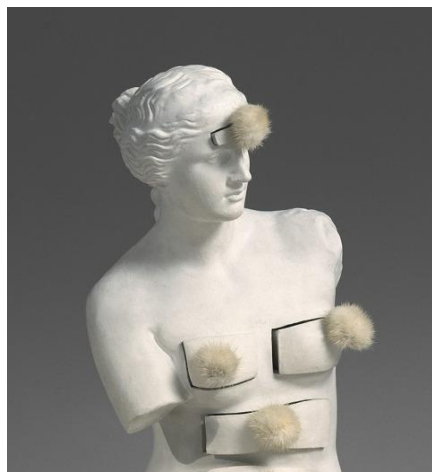
**Auguste Rodin** (France), *The Thinker*,  
1878-1881.



**Constantin Brâncuși**, *Portrait of  
Mademoiselle Pogany*, 1912.



**Jacques Lipchitz** (US), *Man with  
Mandolin*, 1916-17.



**Salvador Dalí** (Spain), *Venus de Milo  
with Drawers*, 1936.



**Raoul Hausmann** (Austria), *The Spirit  
of Our Time - Mechanical Head*, 1919.



**Roy Lichtenstein** (US), *Head With  
Blue Shadow*, 1965.

# **Expressive clay portrait** evaluation

## **Realistic proportion and detail**

The sculpted portrait shows the correct shapes and sizes of the face of a specific person. The person is clearly recognizable and is highly detailed.

## **Clay technique**

The sculpture is well-crafted, with excellent skin and hair texture. As well, it is strong without being thick and heavy, and does not present a risk of breaking or exploding.

## **Emotional expression**

A specific emotion is clearly expressed in the portrait, and this expression is clearly communicated across the whole of the face.



# Idea Development

## 1 Generate ideas

*maximum of 50%*

Use lists, a web map, or simple drawings to come up with a LOT of ideas! If you already have an idea in mind, choose that as your central theme and expand upon it. Let your ideas wander - one idea leads to another. Drawings can be details of source images, different viewpoints, textures, technical experiments, etc.

Number of **words** → \_\_\_\_ ÷ 3 = \_\_\_\_%

Number of **simple** sketches → \_\_\_\_ × 2% = \_\_\_\_%

Number of **better** sketches → \_\_\_\_ × 4% = \_\_\_\_%

## 2 Select the best and join together ideas

**Circle the best** ideas

circled = □ 5%

**Link** into **groups** of ideas

linked = □ 5%

## 3 Print reference images

- Print **EIGHT** reference images so you can accurately observe the challenging parts of your artwork. Taking your own and using own photographs is preferred, but image searches are also fine.
- **Do not simply copy a picture that you find.** The idea is to edit and combine source images to create your own artwork. If you simply copy a picture, you are plagiarizing and will earn a zero for your idea generation and any criteria involving creativity in your final artwork.
- Up to half of your pictures may be of drawings, paintings, or other artworks of others to use as inspiration. The other images must be realistic photographs.
- You must hand in the **printed** copy of the images to earn the marks.

\_\_\_\_ images × 5% = \_\_\_\_%

*maximum of 8 images*

## 4 Compositions

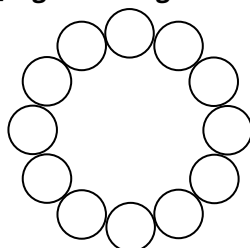
- Create thumbnail drawings anywhere in the idea development section.
- These should be based on combinations of ideas that you can up with. Include your **background**.
- Experiment with unusual angles, viewpoints, and arrangements to help make your artwork stand out.
- Draw a frame around your thumbnails to show the edges of the artwork.
- Selecting a **colour scheme** counts as a composition, and so do rough **digital collages**

\_\_\_\_ **thumbnails** × 8% + \_\_\_\_ **digital collages** × 8% = \_\_\_\_%

*max of 10 thumbnails*

Selecting a **colour scheme**

= □ 8%



## 5 Rough copy

- Take the best ideas from your thumbnails and combine them into an improved rough copy.
- Use this to work out the bugs and improve your skills before you start the real thing.
- If you are using colour, use paint or coloured pencil to show your colour scheme.
- Draw in a frame to show the outer edges of your artwork.
- **Remember to choose a non-central composition.**

\_\_\_\_ drawing × 25% = \_\_\_\_%

*great quality or better*

**Total** = \_\_\_\_%

**NOTE:** If you simply copy a picture from the internet, you get **25%**.















Ben Bogardus



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