Burwell Village College Primary

Drawing - Figures

Vocabulary	
artistic movement	a group of artists who make art in a similar way at the same time
background	the part of a picture that is at the back
foreground	the part of a picture that is closest to the viewer
media	the materials used to make art like paint pencil or clay
tone	how light or dark something is

Shading is a technique used to represent light and shadow on an object.



Blending is a shading technique used to combine different tones or colours so there are no harsh lines between.

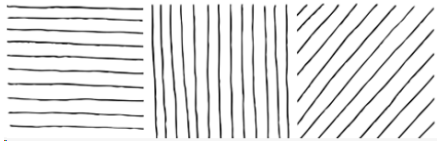
Influential Artist

Lowry was an English artist, who was born in 1887.

Figure drawings is the art of drawing a human figure. Lowry didn't draw features on his human figures – they're similar to matchstick men.



Hatching



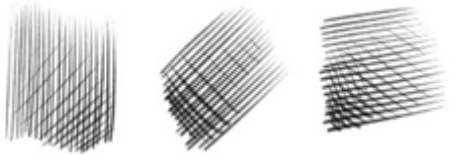


Hatching and cross-hatching is a shading technique using lines.

Lines that are close together create a darker tone.

Lines that are further apart create a lighter tone.

Cross-hatching





Lowry's Work



Drawing pencils are graded.

Hard pencils (H) make **light lines.**

Soft pencils (B) make **dark lines.**

