

Art: Sculptures



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	Key Vocabulary
Composition	The arrangement or placement of visual elements in a piece of artwork
Cubism	Cubist art shows objects or people from many angles at the same time. It makes the subject look as if it is broken up or sometimes made from cubes
Culture	A pattern of behavior shared by a society, or group of people
Form	Form in art refers to three-dimensional shapes
Media/medium	Materials or techniques used by an artist to create a work of art
Subject	Subject in art is the main idea, topic, or focus that is represented in the artwork
maquette	A scale model or rough draft of an unfinished sculpture
Scale	The size of one whole object in relation to another whole object
Perspective	A technique used to create the illusion of depth on a 2D (flat) plane

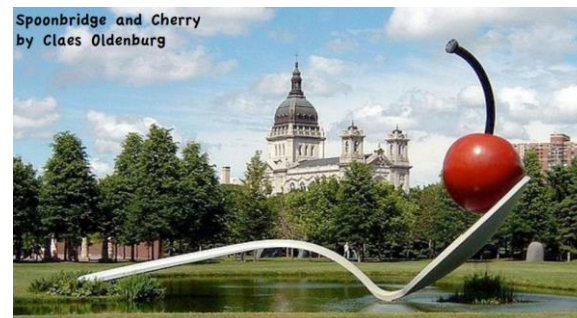
Did you know?

The Lion-man is the oldest sculpture in the world. It was discovered in a German cave in 1939. According to archeologists, the sculpture was created during the Upper Paleolithic era. Looking at the figurine, it looks like a human being with the head of a lion.



General Knowledge

Famous sculptures around the world



What is a sculpture?

A sculpture is an art form made in three dimensions. Sculptors use four basic processes - carving, modelling, casting, constructing - to create their works

What's the difference between a statue and a sculpture?

There are countless statues around the world: from the tall mo'ai statues of Easter Island to the surreal figure of The Little Mermaid in Copenhagen. A statue is a type of sculpture: free-standing and made in the image of a figure. They can be a deity, a person, an animal or a mythical being. They are either life-size or larger.

Local sculpture

Radstock's Miner's wheel

