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Abstract Expressionism was an Art Movement in post World War II in New York (in the late 1940's). It was about non-representational art, NOT depicting real-world objects. The abstract expressionist artists used abstract patterns and color to evoke a response from the viewer.



Pop ART was originally a U. S. and British art movement in the 1950's and 60's, a reaction against **Abstract Expressionism**.



Abstract Expressionism
focused on elements,
rather than objects.



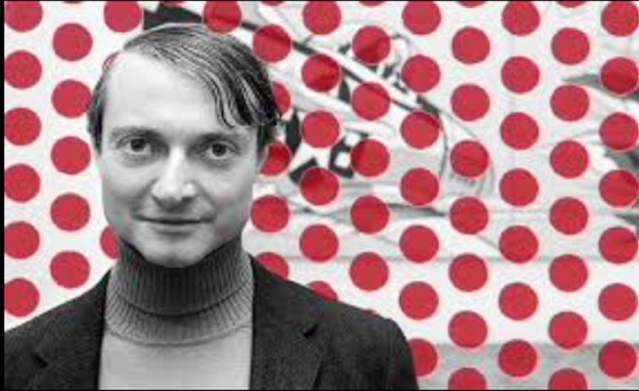
Pop Art
focused on
recognizable objects.

Some famous 'Pop Art' artists:



Andy Warhol (1928 - 1987)
was a commercial artist
who became known for
his silkscreens of celebrities
& everyday objects.





Roy Lichtenstein (1923 - 1997)

was considered the second most influential pop artist next to Andy Warhol.

Lichtenstein blew up images from comic strips, or showed everyday objects in a comic-book style.

He used bold and bright primary colors, prominent black outlines and patterns of dots to create funny and distinctive popular works.







Claes Oldenburg (1929 -)

is known for creating large-scale versions of recognizable objects.









Some student
works
in the style of
Claes Oldenburg..

