

Famous Works of Collage

'Bracken' – Beatriz Milhazes



What is Collage?

Collage is process of finding, collecting, arranging and sticking.

Many **mediums** can be used to create a collage, such as paper, fabric, dry leaves, pasta, photographs, tin foil and many more.

'Guitar and Sheet Music' – Picasso



Word

Definition

Perspective

The use of size and shape in artworks to create the impression of distance or closeness

Overlapping

A technique in collage where materials are placed on top of one another to create layers

Texture

What the surface of a material looks/feels like

Background

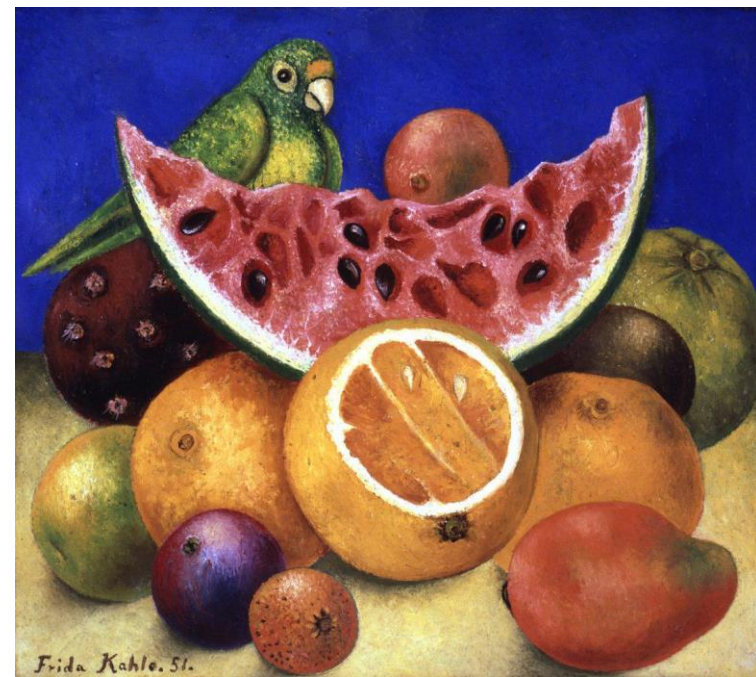
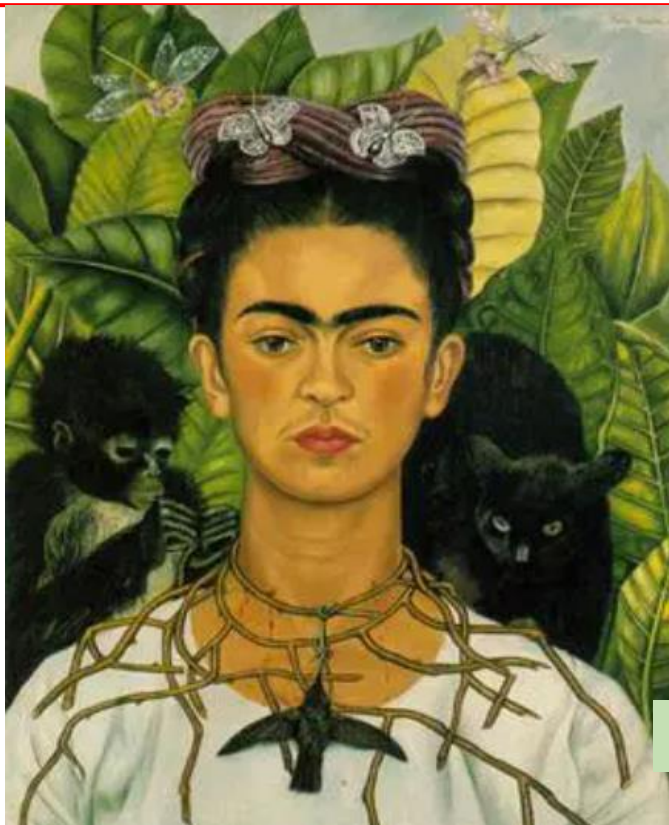
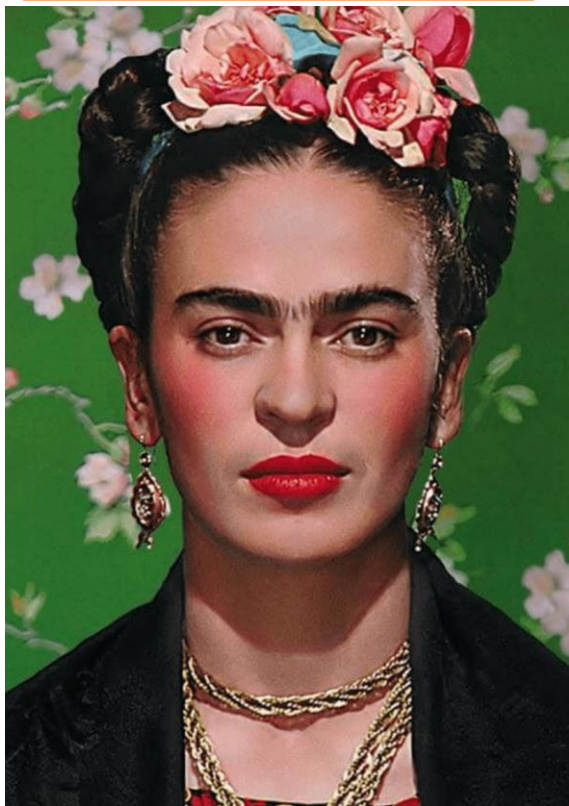
The images or canvas that makes up the background of a piece of art

Foreground

The images placed in focus at the front of a piece of art.



Frida Kahlo



'Thorn Necklace and Hummingbird' - 1940

'Still Life of Watermelon and Bird' - 1951

Kahlo was inspired by Mexican folklore. The hummingbird she wears around her neck in this painting is a good luck charm for falling in love, but the black panther symbolises death.

Frida Kahlo (1907 – 1954) was a Mexican artist. She is considered to be one of the most important artists of modern times. She was famous for painting self-portraits with a surreal twist, and her paintings had many hidden meanings. Inspired by her home country (Mexico), she used bright colours and tropical animals and fruits in her oil paintings. She famously said "I paint self-portraits because I am the person I know best."