

COLLAGE PRODUCTION

Meaning of collage

Collage is a picture created by fixing of materials on surface. Such materials could be shreds of paper or pieces of cloth. Usually a gum or glue is used to hold these materials firmly on the surface. This can serve as beautiful decorations or even as a means of disseminating information.

Materials/tools for collage production

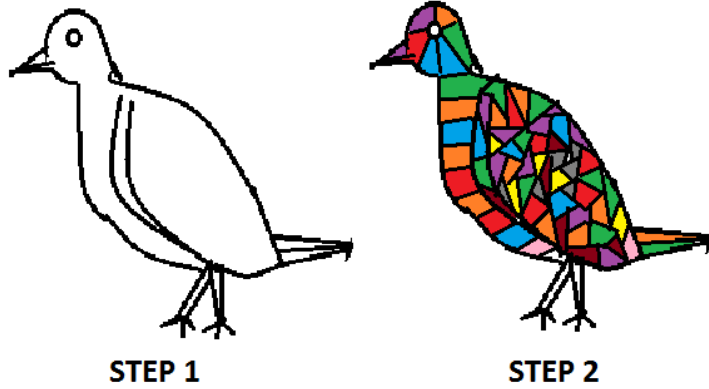
1. Coloured magazines
2. Scissors
3. Paper gum or glue
4. Cardboard
5. Drawing book
6. Pencil
7. Eraser

Class activity

Production of collage

STEP 1: Draw a figure of your choice, maybe a bird is used below.

STEP 2: Get pieces of coloured paper cut into shreds, or maybe a magazine. Paste it creatively within the figure you have drawn. An example is given below:



Uses of collage

1. It serves as decoration in hotels, homes, schools, offices etc.
2. Many schools use collages as teaching materials.
3. It can be used to disseminate information to the public.
4. It is a means of recycling. Collages makes used of waste products to produce something useful.

Summary

Collage is a picture made by fixing of materials on surface. Such materials could be shreds of paper or pieces of cloth. Materials used for collage include coloured magazines, scissors, paper gum or glue, cardboard, drawing book and pencil.

Review Questions

Explain the meaning of collage

List the five materials/tools for collage production

List four uses of collage.