

# Sir Frank Bowling Themed Art

Sir Frank Bowling is a successful British artist. When he first started painting, he painted people. A few years later, he decided to paint in a different way. His work became abstract and colourful. Abstract art is when a picture doesn't look like a real object, place or person.



## Task 1

Start by researching Sir Frank's paintings.

Which one do you like the best? Why?



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## Task 2

Sir Frank's art is inspired by people he meets and places he's been. His work is a collection of his memories. As well as using paint, Sir Frank sticks objects and materials to some of his pieces.

Close your eyes and think about a person or a place. How do you feel? What colours or shapes do you think of? Create an abstract piece of art based on that place or person. You may also want to add objects to materials to your piece once the paint is dry.

## You will need:

- table coverings and art aprons
- A4 white card
- pencils
- a selection of paint colours and paintbrushes
- mixing trays
- water pots
- white glue (such as PVA) and glue spreaders
- a selection of different objects and materials

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## Task 1

Sir Frank is known for a collection of work called 'Poured Paintings'. He tilts the canvas and pours paint onto it, leaving the paint to run.

Create a runny painting inspired by Sir Frank's work. You could either drip the paint from the brush or use a pipette.

### You will need:

- table coverings and art aprons
- A3 white card
- a selection of paint colours
- paintbrushes
- pipettes
- mixing trays
- water pots
- paper towels



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