

Belleville Wix Academy

<u>Year 6 Art</u> <u>How do artists use a grid for drawing?</u>

The pupils looked at drawing as an art form since the Stone Age. They were surprised to see modern artists using tea to make their work and also that drawing does not have to be photorealistic!



Pupils tested artist grade pencils so they could decide which methods and tools to use in their final piece. It was great to see them choose tools for a specific purpose.





They explored using the grid method for drawing and decided the most successful approach to their main piece based on ther experience of drawing a cupcake.



The pupils decided the image for their work based on their preferences and how they wanted to challenge themselves. All of the chosen animals are endangered. They used colour mixing on the paper with primary, secondary and teriary colours to make the background.

