



## Art

### Expression - Pentecost 1

#### Expressionism

Expressionism was a significant art movement that began in Germany around 1905. Artists, called Expressionists, sought to express the mood, feelings and emotions of themselves or their subjects in their artwork rather than showing people, events or objects



*Self-portrait I*  
by Marianne von Werefkin, 1910



*The Scream*  
by Edvard Munch, 1893

#### Expressionist Colour

In Expressionist art, the use of colour is highly intense. This means Expressionist artists typically use bright or strong colours in their artwork. They use these intense colours to express their own or their subjects' extreme emotions and feelings or the mood of the scene.



*Self-portrait with Brushes*  
by Edvard Munch, 1904

#### Edvard Munch

Edvard Munch Edvard Munch was an Expressionist painter. He was Norwegian. He was born in 1863 and he died in 1944. Many artists regard him as the Father of Expressionism. He produced many paintings in his lifetime, but *The Scream* has become an iconic image in the art world.



*The Sick Child*  
by Edvard Munch, 1896

#### Glossary

##### Art movement

When a group of artists with the same aim develop and use a specific style of art for a period of time.

##### Expressionist

An artist who practices Expressionism in their work to express mood, extreme feelings and emotions

##### Iconic

A famous person or thing that people admire