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I: Can I sketch a self-portrait?



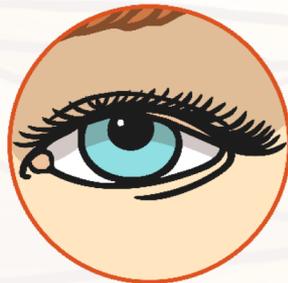
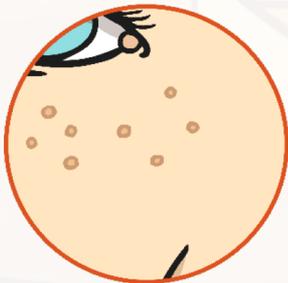


Looking at Faces



Look into a mirror.

What features can you see that make your face?





What a good face drawing looks like...



What are the differences between the faces?

How would you describe their shapes?

Look at the patterns and lines.



What do Ancient Egyptian faces look like?



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Top tips for sketching a self portrait

- Start by sketching lightly the outline of your face and the features. Therefore if you make a mistake, it will be much easier to rub out.
- To add shadows to your face, shade the dark parts with your pencil and smudge the paper using your finger.
- When sketching, take your time. There is no need to rush a piece of art.



Today's Task

Your activity today is to sketch your face. All you need is a pencil. You do not need any colour for your piece of art today. Once you have drawn your face, have a go at sketching one of the ancient Egyptian faces. After completing both sketches, place both pieces of Art next to each other to compare. **What is similar about the two faces? What is different about the two faces?**

