

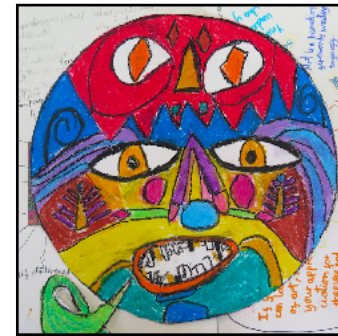
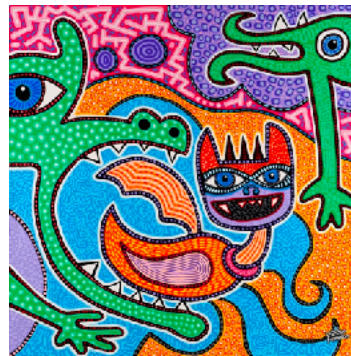
Artists

Masks played a central role in Maya culture and were made for a variety of occasions. There were event masks, which were vibrant and colourful as they represented animal spirits. Death masks, which were intended to protect the wearer into the after-life and masks for battle. Dan Fenelon is a contemporary artist who is inspired by the ancient civilisations of the Aztecs and Mayas. His creations reflect how cultures of the past can influence us to create something new.



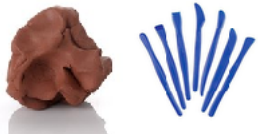
Key Vocabulary

Decorative	To make something more attractive or appealing
Clay relief	Three-dimensional elements that are raised from a flat base.
Complementary	Pairs of colours that when placed next to one another create the strongest contrast.



Tools

Clay & Tools



Acrylic Paint



Oil Pastels



PVA



Skills

I can design and make more complex forms in 3 dimensions; using modelling materials, and understanding how to finish to a good standard.

I can independently recognise problems and adapt work when necessary.

I can develop skills to paint neatly and carefully., controlling colour when painting to improve the translucency.

I can work on preliminary studies to test media and materials.