

· reflect on your inspirations ·

Our inspirations are the seeds from which our own style and artistic voice grow. Reflecting on the things that inspire you will help you gain a greater awareness of what drives you as an artist.

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filtering our inspiration

It's important to be aware of why certain things inspire us. For each inspiration, write down the 1 thing that you love most about it.

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making it your own

What are some ways that you can implement these inspirations into your own work?

· reflect on your themes ·

What are the themes you want to address with your creations? Circle a few from the list or write some of your own.

nature | stories | people | autobiographical experimental
emotions | psychology | society | good vs. evil | strange & weird
femininity | masculinity | culture | dreams | gritty & dark
love/romance | happiness | childhood
fantastical worlds | comfort

translating into a style

What are some ways that you can translate these themes into a visual style? Write down some ideas that come up.

· mapping your interests ·

Developing your personal style is all about leaning into the things that fascinate you, and exploring them more deeply. If you do this, your artwork will become a more genuine reflection of your own mindset and personal vision. Use this worksheet to clarify which things fascinate you, so that you can focus on these things in your artistic practice.

visual areas of interest

What kind of visual elements are you drawn towards? Eg. lighting, bright colors, faces.

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thematic areas of interest

What kind of themes or storytelling elements are you drawn towards?
Eg. complex stories, nature, fantasy characters

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Brainstorm a few ways in which you can combine these visual elements with your thematic interests.
Eg. I can use impactful colors to create an emotionally themed piece.

· reflection ·

After doing these worksheets and reflecting on your art and interests, it's possible that your view of your own art has changed. Maybe you have some new ideas for future artworks or specific things you want to practice. Write them down here so you can return to them later if you need some inspiration or motivation!

goals

Write down some goals you'd like to set for yourself moving forward. Where do you want to go with your art?

areas of study

If there are any specific things you want to work on, write them down here. Try to be specific. Having a clearly defined area of focus leads to greater improvement!

ideas

If you have any ideas for future drawings that came up, write them down here.