Drawing Portraits

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What are Portrait Drawings?

A portrait is a painting, photograph, sculpture, or other artistic representation of a person, in which the face and its expression is predominant. The intent is to display the likeness, personality, and even the mood of the person.

Materials

01

Pencil

Preferably different kinds
for different shades

02

Eraser

Important for when making
a mistake

03

Blending stumps

For the blended effect

04

Good quality paper

Choosing the appropriate
paper is an important step

Steps

Step 1: Start with a circle. Draw a large circle and make a horizontal line below it for the chin.

Step 2: Draw guidelines on the face.

Step 3: Draw eyes in the right spot.

Step 4: Draw a proportionate nose.

Step 5: Add the eyebrows.

Step 6: Use a triangle shape to draw lips.

Step 7: Add the ears.

Step 8: Draw the hair.

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