





Question: Who was Henri Rousseau and what was his style?

Prior knowledge	Key knowledge	Subsequent knowledge
Children will have been taught to experiment with colours. They will have used different techniques to create patterns e.g. painting, printing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Henri Rousseau did not leave France during his lifetime. His most recognisable painting is 'Tiger in a Tropical Storm'. Henri Rousseau mostly painted jungle animals, plants and flowers. 	<p>To analyse existing artwork using art specific language.</p> <p>To explore perspectives in landscape art.</p> <p>Observational drawing in Chinese art.</p>

Significant Works	Styles and Techniques
 <p>'Tiger in a Tropical Storm' or 'Surpris!' was painted by Henri Rousseau. He lied about visiting the jungle to see these animals. Instead he made things up, copied from books and visited the greenhouses in the botanical gardens in Paris to draw the plants that he saw there.</p>	 <p>Van Gogh's Starry Nights is another example of post impressionism art.</p> <p>Post impressionist Art. This is a style of art in which artists tried to make art an emotional experience through the use of colour, symbolism and interesting forms.</p> <p>Naïve Art. The artist may have had little formal training and his works can be considered quite childish.</p>

Vocabulary	Meaning
Landscape	A picture or painting which depicts scenery on land.
Portrait	A painting or representation of one person or a group of people.
Tint	A tint is where an artist adds a colour to white to create a lighter version of the colour.
Tone	It has two meanings. Tone refers to how light or dark a colour appears. Tone is where an artist adds grey to a colour.

