6th GRADE – CUBISM

Lesson

The use of abstract, fragmented shapes to depict several views of the same subject simultaneously, emphasizing the basic geometry or structure of a subject.

Supplies

- Black thin marker (students should have in classroom)
- Oil pastels
- Sharp pencil for tracing
- Dice
- Wipes
- "Roll a Picasso" sheet (make copies from template in folder)
- Empty portrait sheet (make copies from template in folder)

Activity - Roll a Picasso

- 1. Each student rolls the dice five times.
- 2. Each roll will correspond with a feature on the "roll a Picasso" sheet that they should add to their head (skip the first roll options for head shape since that was provided).
- 3. All features should be drawn (or traced) with the flair.
- 4. Add hair/ears/accessories and other features.
- 5. Color with oil pastels to complete their portrait.
- 6. Collect dice and offer wipes to cleanup.