



# Focus on... Art

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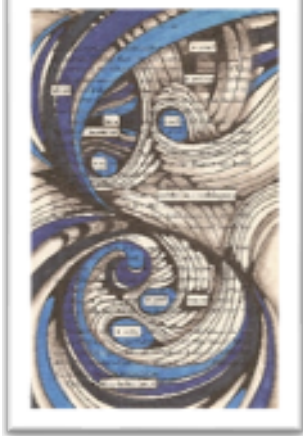
## On this day...

In 1812, Edward Lear was born. Lear was an English artist, illustrator, musician, author and a poet.



## Did you know...

Poetry is a form of art. It is a form of writing that uses words to create a picture, sound, or feeling. Poetry has its own sound, form, image, and rhythm; therefore, qualifying it as a form of art.



## Go Explore...

Read your favourite poems and select one poem to illustrate.

You will need to read the poem aloud, and talk about the images the words make in your mind.



## Picture this...



Most of the art created in this case is made for the artist rather than an audience. The artist may feel a certain emotion and feel that there is no way to express it other than to create something that means something to them.

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