## How can texture be added by layering prints?

Word Definition You Knowledge

**Key Knowledge and Concepts** 



Print They specialise in the creation of

Designer visual designs, using the technique of printing.

Mono- It is a process where only one print is created from de-

Printing sign.

Relief when you carve into a printing block that you then use

printing to press onto

paper and make a print.

Layering Placing one layer of colour or pattern, over another.

Mixed-media Artwork created using a combination of different mate-

rials (print, collage, paint)

Irregular Use of lines to create a pattern that does not repeat

pattern over and over again.

## Print Designer: Katsushika Hokusai

Hokusai was a famous Japanese print designer, who worked with a range of block printing techniques. The Great Wave is one of his most recognised wood block print designs.

## **Skills**

Experiment with ways in which surface detail can be added to drawings

Use sketchbooks to collect and record visual information from different sources.

Explore the roles and purposes of designers working in different times and cultures.

Create printing blocks using a relief or impressed method.

Create repeating patterns

Print with two colour overlays

Mono-printing Relief printing Block printing







## **Outcome:**

To create a mixed-media replica of The Great Wave, layer papers and mono-prints to create the background, followed by layers of relief prints and block prints, using a range of blue tones, to create the waves. Then topped with a spray of bubble wrap printing.