

BIG IDEA: EMOTION
TOPIC 2 Reenacting Emotion

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Emotion & Reenactment

In this lesson you will learn the various elements that people use to create a visual or physical display of emotion.

This lesson will include information on movement, physical body language, and dramatic appearance

Key Concept of Reenacting Emotions

- Body language and appearance plays a key role in communication.
- Reenactment of emotion is commonly found on either the stage or through entertaining media
- Many different cultures reenact emotion

Who reenacts emotion?...

Clowns/Mimes



torontoist.com



Mimethegap.com

Actors

Angelina Jolie



blaberize.com



Selena Gomez

studentsoftheworld.info

PART 1

How do actors use their body to
create emotion?

MOVEMENT

- There are several performers that use movement to create emotion.
- Watch the following link and watch the performers. How do you react?
- Ask these questions
 - What do you feel when they move fast?
 - How about when they move slow?
 - Is there tension, if so why?
 - Do you feel anxious or excited?
 - How do you react when their body arches or certain way or sways in a specific manner?

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4A0xrDmhGCg>

MOVEMENT CONT

- Watch this video and keep these questions in mind
 - How does the guy act towards the girl?
 - How does the girl react towards the guy?
 - What feelings are being represented here?
 - How what movements would you do in order to express yourself?

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Oe4-ZNcP14E>

MOVEMENT CLASS ACTIVITY

- What sort of movements would you make if...
 - You wanted to look graceful
 - You were bored
 - You were nervous
 - You were tired

PART 1 CONTINUED

How do actors use their body to
create emotion?



BODY LANGUAGE

Surprisingly, body language can tell a lot about a person's emotion.

Look at her arms

Does she look happy?

BODY LANGUAGE CONT

- How do you comfort someone?
- How do people act when they are overwhelmed?



BODY LANGUAGE CONT.

- Demonstrate what you do when you are joyful?
- Demonstrate how you act when you are sad or feeling alone?



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BODY LANGUAGE CONT.

- Demonstrate what you do when you get angry
NO HITING!!



PART #1 CONTINUED

How does an actor use his or her
body to evoke an emotion?

SOUNDS

- Different sounds create different reactions



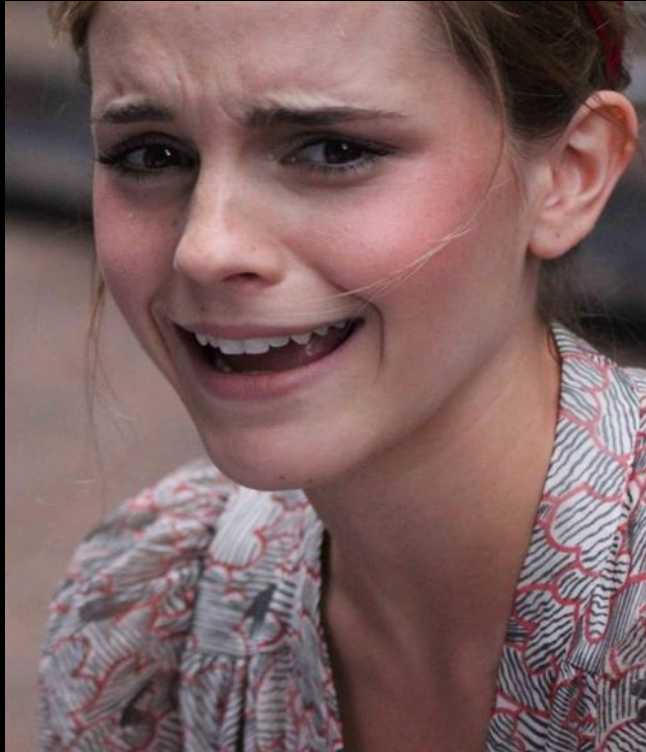
SOUNDS ACTIVITY

- You heard a bunch of sounds why do people make these sounds?
- What do you think happened to these people that would make them make these sounds?.
- Demonstrate sounds people make when they are...
 - Scared
 - Frustrated
 - Excited
 - Worried
 - Relaxed

PART 1 Continued

How do actors use their body to make
you feel a certain way?

Facial Expressions!



janetcharltonshollywood.com

- People and actors use facial expressions to make us feel happy, angry... anxious, upset... etc..
- What do you feel when you see different facial expressions?
- What expressions do you make when you are upset, happy, excited, anxious?

Facial Expressions Cont

Why do they use these expressions, what happened?



Supportive Activity

Choose a few facial expressions that interest you and draw them out on the worksheet handed to you.

These facial expressions will help you choose how you want to do your masks

Draw the Facial expressions and keep them for later, do not use color because you will decorate them with color later

PART 2

Artist Marina Abramovic

What is the difference between
performance art and theater?



thelmagazine.com



wmuphoto.wordpress.com

PERFORMANCE ART

- Is not the same as theater
- This is real, you cannot do it over
- The blades are real, the blood is real, all of it is real
- In performance art you do not rehearse your pieces
- **REMEMBER:** We will not be practicing what Marina practices because it is too dangerous but it is still important to learn the elements of performance art

Part 3

What do make up artists and costume designers do to influence your emotions?



artycolor

2007 Spring-Summer Collection*

LIMITED EDITIONS*** - PRISMISIME EYES & LASHCOLORIST

Make Up!

- What sort of characters would wear this make up?
- What emotions do they bring to mind?



- how to apply sparkle -

To get a sharp edge with glitter you can use a paper cutout. Cut the shape you desire and place it on top of the eyelid. Then apply a mix of fixing liquid and Glitter for a amazing result.

Glitter Honey
Glitter Luna
Honey Liquid



- how to apply sparkle -

Glitter Rainbow
Glitter Moon
Glitter Luna
Honey Liquid
Bond & Fix
Glitter Eyeliner Reaction

Remove Glitter by wiping it off with a dry makeup sponge.

Zoom In

Beautyme.com

chikfashioneuphoria.blogspot.com

Make Up Cont.

We even use make up to create emotions!

When is the last time you used make up to look scary for Halloween?

Wn.com

onlygowns.com



Make Up Cont

Make up is used to create different types of emotions.

How would you use make up to make your character emotional?



Make Up Different Cultures



NATIVE AMERICAN

War paint

sakida.com

articlet.com

Masks!

- Masks are used to make people react!
- What kind of reactions do you like getting from your peers?



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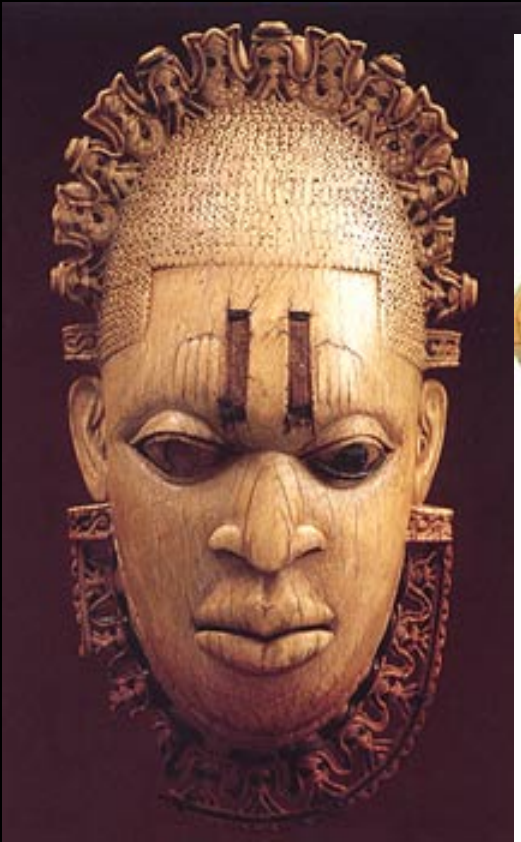


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buyhomesincharleston.com

MASKS IN OTHER CULTURES



AFRICAN
heritagetowers.us



TIBETAN MASK
guy-sports.com



CHINESE MASK
lonelyplanetimages.com

MAKEUP ACTIVITY

- From what you have seen you should know that make up designers use colors to make their viewers feel a certain way.
- Keep the styles of what you have seen and try to create your own make up style for your mask
- Make sure you draw facial expressions before you start using color!!
- Then we will create our own masks!

FINAL ACTIVITY

- We are going to be creating our own masks
- These masks have to be a certain character, it can be an actor, a cartoon, or one of your own characters
- You must use one of your make up designs to color your character's mask
- With everything we learned we will perform our characters at the end of the lesson, while we are performing there will BE NO WORDS, just movement, sound, physical body language...