

**painting**['peɪntɪŋ] *n*

- живопись  
Flemish painting - фламандская живопись
- картина  
a painting in oils - картина, написанная маслом
- 1) изображение  
curious paintings on the walls of the Etruscan tombs - любопытные изображения на стенах этрусских гробниц  
2) описание, изображение, воспроизведение  
a vivid painting of his impressions - живое описание его впечатлений
- раскрашивание  
crayons and water-colours can be used for painting - для раскрашивания можно пользоваться цветными карандашами и акварелью
- малярное дело

**painting**

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**paint·ing** [painting paintings] *BrE* ['peɪntɪŋ] <sup>4</sup> *NAmE* ['peɪntɪŋ] <sup>4</sup> **noun**

- countable** a picture that has been painted
  - a collection of paintings by American artists
  - cave paintings**see also** ↑oil painting
- uncountable** the act or art of using paint to produce pictures
  - Her hobbies include music and painting.
- uncountable** the act of putting paint onto the surface of objects, walls, etc
  - painting and decorating

Thesaurus:**painting** **noun** C

• a collection of paintings by American artists

**picture** • • **portrait** • • **landscape** • • **print** • • **artwork** •**do** a painting/picture/portrait/landscape**paint** a picture/portrait/landscape**frame/hang/show/display/exhibit** a painting/picture/portrait/landscape/printCollocations:**Fine arts***Creating art***make** a work of art/a drawing/a sketch/a sculpture/a statue/engravings/etchings/prints**do** an oil painting/a self-portrait/a line drawing/a rough sketch**create** a work of art/an artwork/paintings and sculptures**produce** paintings/portraits/oil sketches/his most celebrated work/a series of prints**paint** a picture/landscape/portrait/mural/in oils/in watercolours/(*especially US*) in watercolors/on canvas**draw** a picture/a portrait/a cartoon/a sketch/a line/a figure/the human form/in charcoal/in ink**sketch** a preliminary drawing/a figure/a shape**carve** a figure/an image/a sculpture/an altarpiece/reliefs/a block of wood**sculpt** a portrait bust/a statue/an abstract figure**etch** a line/a pattern/a design/a name into the glass**mix** colours/(*especially US*) colors/pigments/paints**add/apply** thin/thick layers of paint/colour/(*especially US*) color/pigment**use** oil pastels/charcoal/acrylic paint/a can of spray paint**work** in bronze/ceramics/stone/oils/pastels/watercolour/a wide variety of media*Describing art***paint/depict** a female figure/a biblical scene/a pastoral landscape/a domestic interior**depict/illustrate** a traditional/mythological/historical/religious theme**create** an abstract composition/a richly textured surface/a distorted perspective**paint** dark/rich/skin/flesh tones**use** broad brush strokes/loose brushwork/vibrant colours/a limited palette/simple geometric forms**develop/adopt/paint** in a stylized manner/an abstract style*Showing and selling art***commission** an altarpiece/a bronze bust of sb/a portrait/a religious work/an artist to paint sth

**frame** a painting/portrait  
**hang** art/a picture/a painting  
**display/exhibit** modern art/sb's work/a collection/original artwork/ drawings/sculptures/a piece  
**be displayed/hung** in a gallery/museum  
**install/place** a sculpture in/at/on sth  
**erect/unveil** a bronze/marble/life-size statue  
**hold/host/mount/open/curate/see** (*especially BrE*) an exhibition/(*NAmE usually*) exhibit  
**be/go on** (*BrE*) exhibition/(*NAmE*) exhibit  
**feature/promote/showcase** a conceptual artist/contemporary works  
**collect** African art/modern British paintings/Japanese prints  
**restore/preserve** a fresco/great works of art

### Synonyms:

#### picture

painting • drawing • portrait • print • sketch

These are all words for a scene, person or thing that has been represented on paper by drawing, painting, etc.

**picture** • a scene, person or thing that has been represented on paper using a pencil, a pen or paint: ▪ The children were drawing pictures of their pets.

**painting** • a picture that has been made using paint: ▪ a collection of paintings by American artists

**drawing** • a picture that has been made using a pencil or pen, not paint: ▪ a pencil/charcoal drawing

**portrait** • a painting, drawing or photograph of a person, especially of the head and shoulders: ▪ Vermeer's 'Portrait of the artist in his studio' ◊▪ a self-portrait ▪ (= a painting that you do of yourself)

**print** • a picture that has been copied from a painting using photography: ▪ a Renoir print

**sketch** • a simple picture that is drawn quickly and does not have many details: ▪ I usually do a few very rough sketches before I start on a painting.

to **draw** a picture/portrait/sketch

to **paint** a picture/portrait

to **make** a painting/drawing/portrait/print/sketch

to **do** a painting/drawing/portrait/sketch

### Example Bank:

- Degas did several paintings of ballet dancers.
- He studied traditional Japanese painting at the Kano school.
- He went to Europe to study painting.
- His early paintings were light, expressive compositions.
- His most famous paintings hang in the Louvre
- His paintings reflect the joy and beauty in all he saw around him.
- I'll do some painting this afternoon.
- Rauch's paintings evoke memories of a bygone era.
- She collects paintings by 19th-century Australian artists.
- The design is based on an original painting by Matisse.
- The firm specializes in painting and decorating.
- The woman in the painting is the artist's mistress.
- When she retired she took up painting.
- a fine painting in oils
- a painting by Gauguin
- paintings of flowers

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

**paint** **ing** **S3 W2** /'peɪntɪŋ/ *BrE* <sup>m</sup> *AmE* <sup>m</sup> *noun*

[**Word Family**: **noun**: ↑paint, ↑painter, ↑painting, repaint; **verb**: ↑paint, repaint; **adjective**: ↑painterly]

1. [**countable**] a painted picture that you put on a wall for people to see:

▪ a collection of valuable paintings

#### painting of

▪ There was a large painting of his father on the wall.

▪ Can you help me hang this painting (=put it on a wall)? ⇔ ↑oil painting

2. [**uncountable**] the act or skill of making a picture, using paints:

▪ Degas' style of painting

▪ the Cubist school of painting (=a particular style used by a group of people)

3. [**uncountable**] the work of covering a wall, house etc with paint

**painting and decorating** *British English*

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### THESAURUS

- **picture** shapes, lines etc painted or drawn on a surface, especially as a piece of art, and often showing what someone or something looks like: a picture of a horse | He painted the picture in 1890, just before he died.
- **drawing** a picture drawn with a pencil, pen etc: We had to do a drawing of a sunflower.
- **sketch** a picture that is drawn quickly: I made a quick sketch of the kind of room we wanted.
- **painting** a picture made using paint: The painting now hangs in the Museum of Modern Art. | Picasso did several paintings of her.

- **portrait** a picture of a person: The portrait was painted by Rembrandt.
- **landscape** a picture of a place, especially in the countryside or the mountains: Constable painted mainly landscapes.
- **cartoon** a funny drawing in a newspaper or magazine that tells a story or a joke: A cartoon in the New York Times showed the President talking to Osama Bin Laden.
- **comic strip** a series of pictures drawn inside boxes that tell a story: Charles Schultz was famous for his cartoon strip about Snoopy and Charlie Brown.
- **caricature** a funny drawing of someone that makes a part of someone's face or body look bigger, worse etc than it really is, especially in a funny way: He is famous for his caricatures of politicians.
- **illustration** a picture in a book: The book has over 100 pages of illustrations, most of them in colour.
- **poster** a large picture printed on paper that you stick to a wall as decoration: old movie posters | There were lots of posters of pop bands on her bedroom wall.
- **print** a picture that is usually produced on a [printing press](#), and is one of a series of copies of the same picture: a limited edition of lithographic prints by John Lennon
- **image** a picture – used especially when talking about what the picture is like, or the effect it has on you: He produced some memorable images. | a beautiful image | Some of the images are deeply disturbing.
- **artwork** pictures or photographs, especially ones that have been produced to be used in a book or magazine: We are still waiting for the artwork to come back from the printers.

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