# WORKSHEET: ANALYZING DAVID HOCKNEY'S LANDSCAPE ART - European section -

## PART 1: CHARACTERIZING THE WORK OF DAVID HOCKNEY

On the foundation's website, find the work of art corresponding to the carasteriques listed in the analysis table :

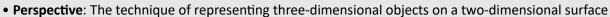
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Themes	Technical Characteristics	Impact and Significance	Examples of Works
Nature and Landscapes	<ul> <li>Vibrant, contrasting colors</li> <li>Multiple perspectives</li> <li>Monumental format</li> <li>"Joiner" technique (photo collage</li> <li>Bold brushstrokes</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Renewal of landscape painting</li> <li>Representation of the passage of time</li> <li>Celebration of English and American nature</li> <li>New approach to perspective</li> </ul>	
Swimming Pools and Water	<ul> <li>Brilliant blues</li> <li>Light effects and reflection</li> <li>Rigorous geometry</li> <li>Flat areas of color</li> <li>Simplification of splash dynamics</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Symbol of the Californian dream</li> <li>Contrast between stillness and movement</li> <li>Exploration of transparency</li> <li>Study of light on water surfaces</li> </ul>	
Portraits and Figures	<ul> <li>Double portraits</li> <li>Natural, relaxed positions</li> <li>Attention to psychological details</li> <li>Sometimes near-photographic style</li> <li>Intimate settings</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Intimacy and emotional distance</li> <li>Exploration of human</li> <li>relationships</li> <li>Documentation of his social</li> <li>circle</li> <li>Psychological depth</li> </ul>	
Architecture and Interior Spaces	<ul> <li>Geometric lines</li> <li>Plays of shadow and light</li> <li>Distorted perspective</li> <li>Integration of humans within space</li> <li>Bold simplification</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Interaction between humans and environment</li> <li>Architectural modernity</li> <li>Exploration of domestic space</li> <li>Question of perception</li> </ul>	
New Technologies	<ul> <li>Digital art (iPad)</li> <li>Photo collages</li> <li>Video experiments</li> <li>Multimedia installations</li> <li>Polaroid compositions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Constant technical innovation</li> <li>Questioning visual</li> <li>representation</li> <li>Relationship to time and space</li> <li>Embracing technological change</li> </ul>	
Identity and Sexuality	<ul> <li>Representations of male couples</li> <li>Scenes of daily life</li> <li>Intimate portrait</li> <li>Non-sensational nudity</li> <li>Personal narrative</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Contribution to LGBT+ visibility in art</li> <li>Normalization of homosexual representations</li> <li>Subtle political dimension</li> <li>Personal expression</li> </ul>	
Pop Art and Popular Culture	<ul> <li>References to mass culture</li> <li>Saturated colors</li> <li>Advertising aesthetic</li> <li>Simplification of forms</li> <li>Clean lines</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Dialogue with Pop Art movement</li> <li>Commentary on American lifestyle</li> <li>Accessible and recognizable aesthetic</li> <li>Blurring of high and low art</li> </ul>	
Seasons and Temporality	<ul> <li>Series on the same subject</li> <li>Chromatic variations</li> <li>Attention to light</li> <li>Atmospheric renderings</li> <li>Sequential works</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Exploration of the passage of time</li> <li>Natural cycle as metaphor</li> <li>Documentation of a place through time</li> <li>Change and permanence</li> </ul>	

#### Wordbox:

• **Joiner**: A photographic technique developed by Hockney involving multiple photographs assembled into a grid



- Pop Art: An art movement that emerged in the 1950s-60s that uses imagery from popular culture
- Chromatic: Relating to color or the color spectrum
- Medium: The material or technique used by an artist

**Key vocabulary**: Landscape painting/Perspective/Brushstroke/Vibrant colors/Composition/Spatial representation/Natural environment/Artistic interpretation

### PART 2: CRITICAL ANALYSIS OF "WOLDGATE WOODS"

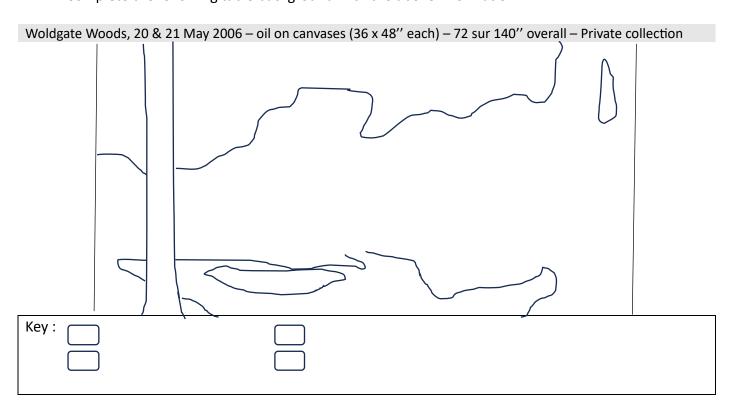
→ Carefully observe David Hockney's "Woldgate Woods" (2006) and answer the following questions in English:



- 1. Describe what you can see in this artwork. Which natural elements are depicted?
- 2. Which colors dominate this painting? How would you characterize Hockney's color palette?
- 3. How does Hockney represent perspective in this work? Is it a realistic or transformed representation of nature?
- 4. What feeling does this representation of nature evoke in you? What message does the artist seem to convey?
- 5. How does this artwork demonstrate a particular perspective on the natural environment?
- 6. Identify the major characteristics of Hockney's style in this nature representation:

0	Sources of inspiration:	
0	Painting techniques:	
0	Color palette:	
0	Treatment of space:	_
О	Recurring elements:	

→ Complete the following table background with the above information :



## PART 3: CREATING AN AI PROMPT INSPIRED BY DAVID HOCKNEY

Based on your analysis of Hockney's works and his representations of nature, you will now write a prompt (instruction) for an AI image generator.

-	L: Identify the essential characteristics of Hockney's art List the 5 elements that seem most cteristic of his style:
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-	2: Choose a contemporary environmental issue that you would like to see represented "in Hockney's (without writing Hockney's style of course):  Deforestation Ocean pollution Urban biodiversity Climate change Other:
-	3: Write your prompt in English. Compose a precise text (10-15 lines) that will guide the AI to create age in the style of David Hockney on your chosen environmental theme. Your prompt must include:  The specific subject to represent
•	The stylistic characteristics to respect (colors, technique, composition)
•	The mood or emotion to convey
•	How the artwork should challenge the viewer on the environmental issue
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Step 4: Present your work for the David Hockney Memorial Exhibition on the Environment using Al technology as an oral assessment (55')

Step 5 : Debate to choose the artwork that best represents david hockney's legacy in terms of nature & new technologies (15')