

ART CRITICISM

Step One:: Description

What do you see?

- The size of the work, the medium used, and the process used
- The subject, object, and details
- The elements of art used in the work. Explain which elements of art are used and how.

Step Two:: Analysis

The principles of art used. Explain which principles of art are used and how.

Step Three:: Interpretation

Explain/tell the meaning or mood of the work.

Step Four:: Judgment

You determine the degree of artistic merit

- Do you think the work is successful? Why? What is working or not working?