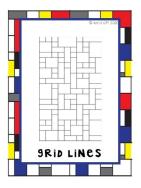
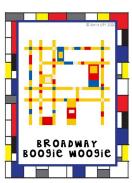
# MONDRIAN Memory Game

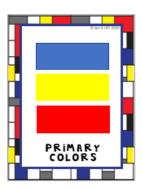
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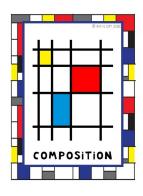


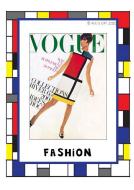




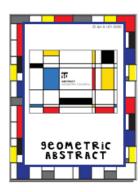




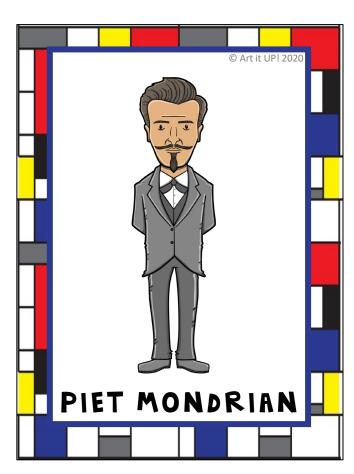


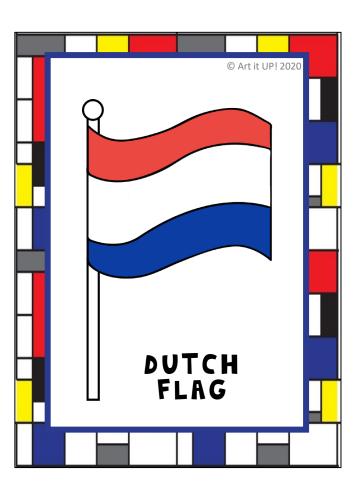


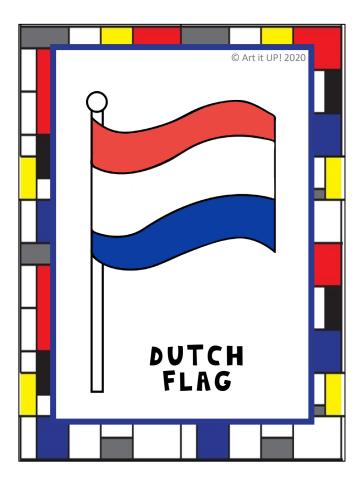


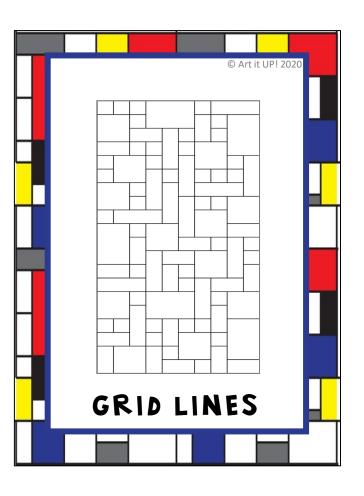


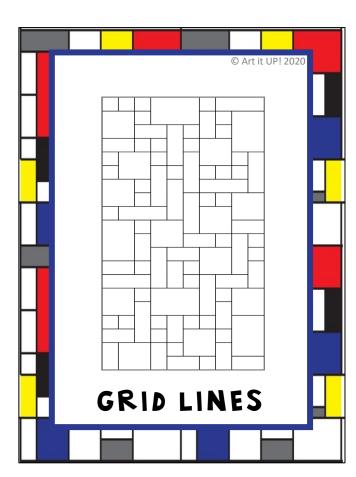


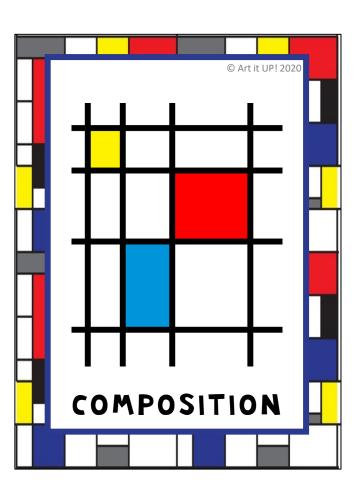


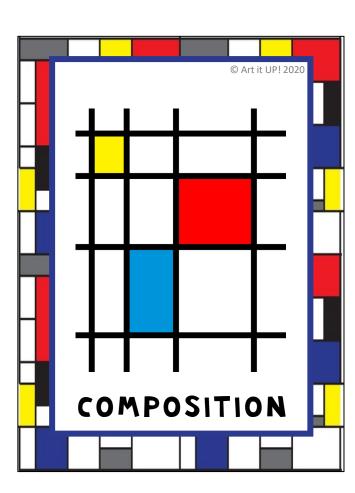


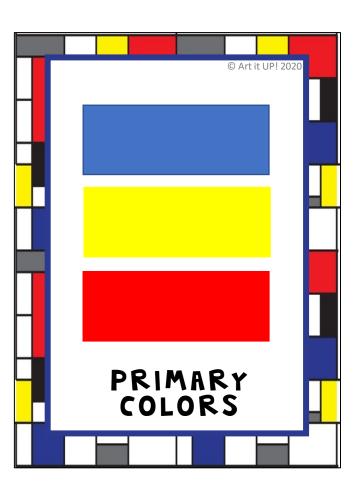


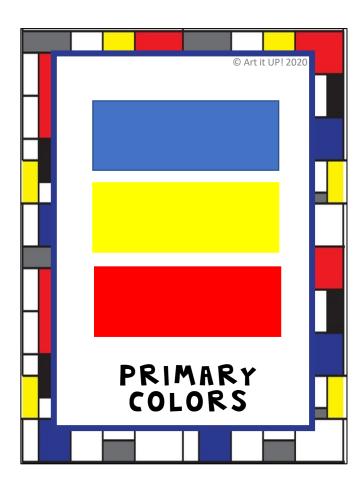


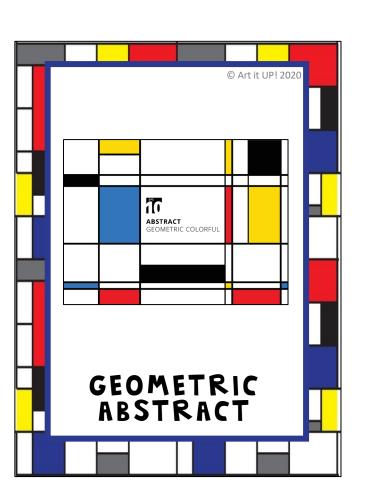


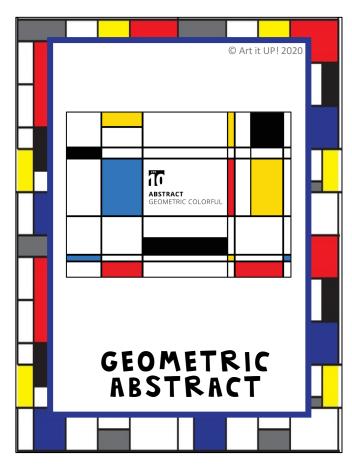


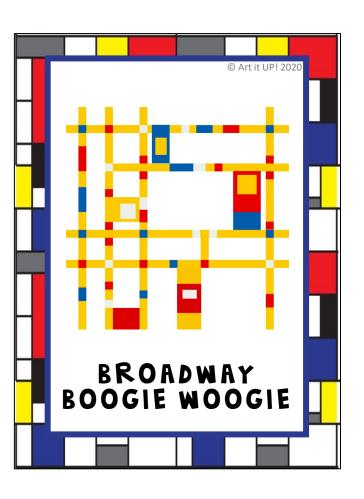


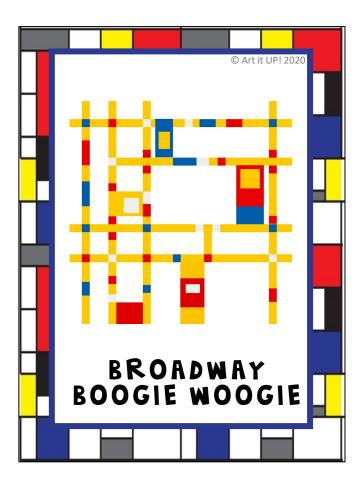


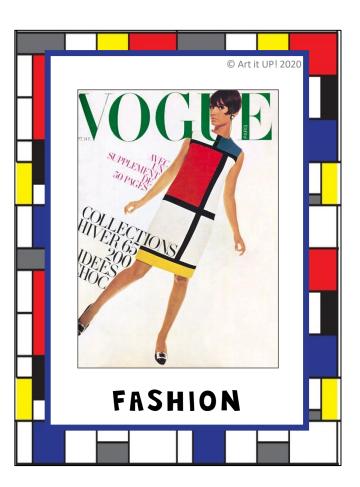


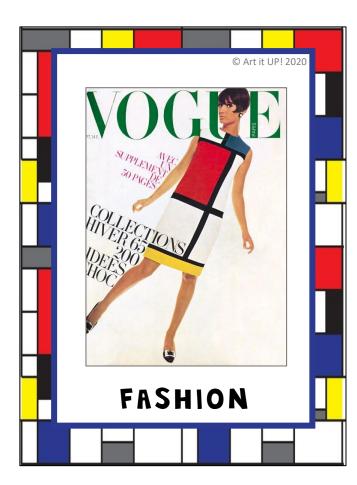










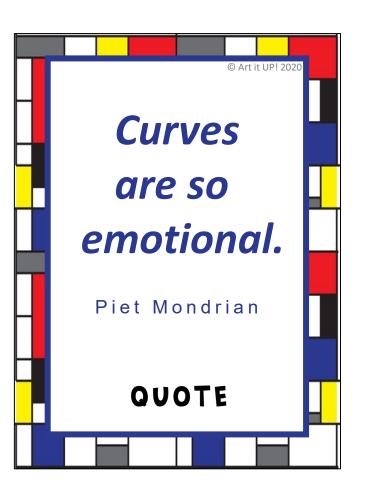


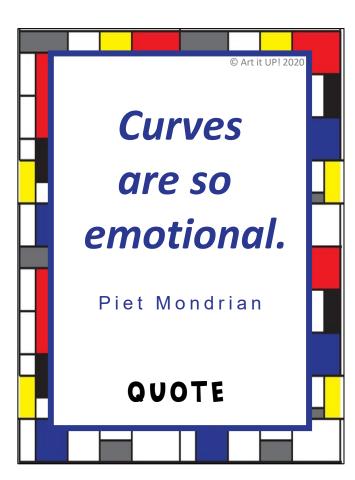
















## **Memory Game Definitions**

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Piet Mondrian	Modern abstract artist born in Netherlands in 1872 and died in New York in 1944. Mondrian was a founder of the <i>De Stijl</i> Dutch art movement.
Dutch Flag	The flag of Mondrian's mother country – the Netherlands.
Gridlines	Straight lines that can be horizontal, vertical, diagonal and even perpendicular, that divide a space to form a grid pattern. Much of Mondrian's signature work contained grid lines. Most often they were black in color, but sometimes they were yellow.
Composition	A painting is often 'composed' of various elements: shape, color, texture, characters, figuresetc. An artist works hard to create a balance in their compositions so that everything 'sits well with each other,' with a sense of harmony. Mondrian was fascinated with creating a feeling of balance in his abstract works of art. (He called this 'dynamic equilibrium.')
Primary Colors	The primary colors: red, yellow and blue cannot be created by combining other colors together, but when combined with each other, they can create a multitude of colors. Mondrian's later work used a simple primary color set which accompanied black gridlines and white space.
Geometric Abstract	A genre of art that uses shapes and geometric forms that may not make any sense, hence it is 'abstract.' It is thought that geometric forms in paintings can connect science with art.
Broadway Boogie Woogie	This card is a interpretation of Mondrian's: <i>Broadway Boogie Woogie, 1943</i> .  Mondrian created it while living in New York. He loved the boogie woogie jazz that was played at the clubs he visited.
Fashion	Mondrian's 'composition' series had a HUGE impact on fashion (and architecture). In 1965 French Fashion House <i>Yves Saint Laurent</i> designed a <i>Mondrian Collection</i> comprising cocktail dresses featuring the iconic geometric abstract style of Mondrian.
Таре	Mondrian sometimes used tape to develop his art ideas. He would move black tape lines and colored tape squares around and around until he was satisfied with the 'balance' achieved. Only then would he take up a paint brush and paint the composition created.
De Stijl	Mondrian was an important leader in the Dutch abstract art movement known as De Stijl ("The Style"). It advocated that their art should be perceived as a reduction of form and color. It valued simplified visual compositions using only black, white and primary colors.
Quote	Quotes are a powerful way to understand what an artist values and how they see the world. This quote reveals how Mondrian really valued the refinement of panting to its most basic building blocks of color and line.
Scan Me	Combine art with technology and invite your students to scan the QR code to watch a delightful 2:24 min clip by <i>Sheila Graber</i> that shows an animated Mondrian character composing <i>Broadway Boogie Woogie</i> , in tempo with a boogie woogie jazz track.

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