

# The Place Where I Live - Local Landmark

# Art

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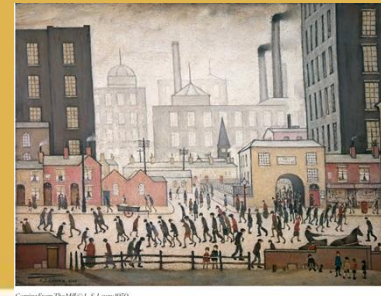
Sticky Knowledge

### Who was L.S Lowry?

L S Lowry is Britain's most famous Modernist painter of this century. He developed his own style of painting and is known for his Street scenes.

### Where was L.S Lowry born?

Laurence was born in Stretford, Lancashire, on the of 1<sup>st</sup> November, 1887.



Coming from The Mill © L.S. Lowry 1924



lowry at work



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L.S. Lowry The Fever Van 1925

### Key Vocabulary

### Which were his most famous paintings?

Paintings populated with workers, housewives, children, industrial buildings and terraced houses, peopled with "matchstick men."

### What were Lowry's techniques?

He used numerous tools to make textures, such as nails, toothpicks, cloth, fingertips and blunt knives.

### What were Lowry's paintings like?

Lowry's work usually had a white background and basic colours: Ivory, black, red, blue, yellow and white.

### What was important to Lowry?

He painted from experience and believed that you should paint the place you know.

Vocabulary	Definition
<b>Tone</b>	Tone refers to how light or dark something is. Tones could refer to black, white and the grey tones in-between.
<b>Textures</b>	Texture refers to how something feels, including its appearance and consistency. Texture in art concerns the surface quality of a piece of work.
<b>Patterns</b>	A design in which lines, shapes, forms or colours are repeated. In art, patterns are used to organise and decorate designs,
<b>Line</b>	Line drawing is any image that consists of straight lines or curves placed against a plain background, without gradations in shade (darkness) or hue (color) to represent two-dimensional or three-dimensional objects.
<b>Shade</b>	A <b>shade</b> is where an artist adds black to a colour to darken it down.