

# All About Julian Opie



## Julian Opie: 1958-present, British

- He began drawing aged 11. He draws anything in the world around him.
- He remembers getting an art prize at around the age of 12 after carving a bar of soap into a Henry Moore sculpture. He thinks this first inspired him to explore art.
- The main themes that can be seen in his work include the human body and inspiration from art in history.
- Many of his works show black outlines filled with flat colour and sometimes a head is represented by a circle with a space where the neck would be.



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Look at your image.



What can you see in the picture?



What shapes and colours can you see in the painting?

If there were sounds for this painting, what would the sounds be?

What has the artist made the image out of?

Why do you think the artist made it?

# Elena Schoolgirl

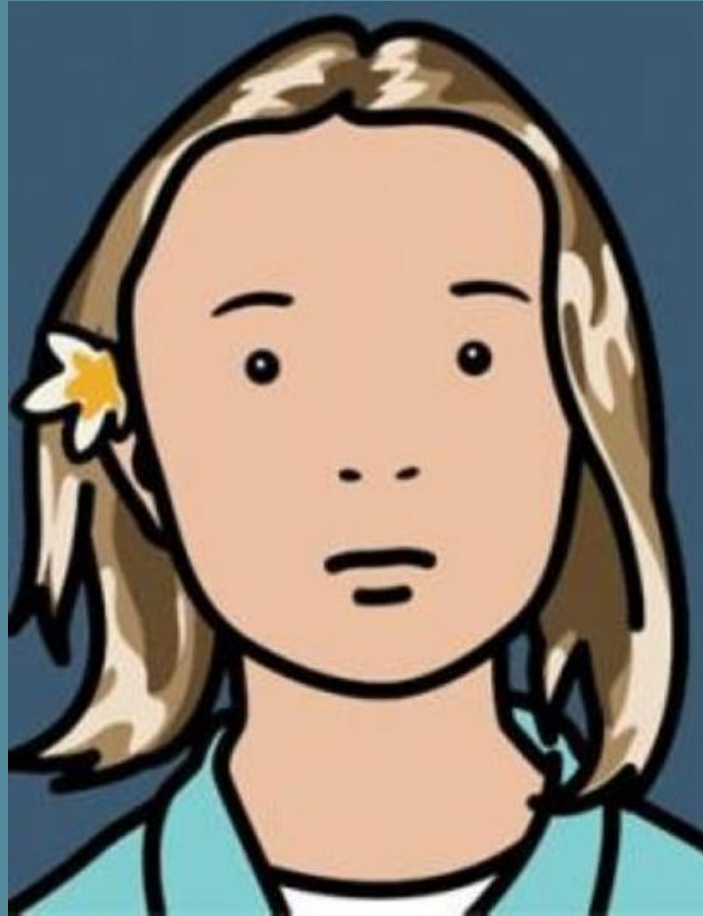


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# Walking Outside the Hugh Lane Gallery



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# Ludivine (left), Luc (right) (2007)



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# Alone in a Crowd



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# Draw Your Felt Tip Body



Q: How many colours does Julian Opie use in this image?

Q: What do you notice about the face?

Draw yourself or a friend in the style of Julian Opie's artwork.



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