

#VIRTUALHUNTER ART ACTIVITIES

I Spy

The elements of art are the building blocks or “main ingredients” for how all works of art are made-- by using them in different amounts and combinations, you can make endless works of art.

The Elements

- **Line** is a mark with greater length than width. Lines can be horizontal, vertical, or diagonal; straight or curved; thick or thin. You can see many lines in [Linda McCune's Stress Series](#) print
- **Shape** is a closed line. Shapes can be geometric, like squares and circles; or organic, like free-form or natural shapes. Shapes are flat and can express length and width. You can see many two dimensional shapes in [Jennifer Bartlett's 5 AM Series](#).
- **Forms** are three-dimensional shapes expressing length, width, and depth. Balls, cylinders, boxes, and pyramids are forms. You can find many unexpected shapes in [Concetta Mason's Changing Tide](#).
- **Space** is the area between and around objects. The space around objects is often called negative space; negative space has shape. Space can also refer to the feeling of depth. Real space is three-dimensional; in visual art, when we create the feeling or illusion of depth, we call it space. You can see this illusion of depth in more modern works like [Audrey Flack's Fourth of July Still Life](#) and traditional pieces like [Richard LaBarre Goodwin's Huntsman's Door](#).
- **Color** is light reflected off of objects. Color has three main characteristics: hue (the name of the color, such as red, green, blue, etc.), value (how light or dark it is), and intensity (how bright or dull it is). You can see a wide range of colors and variations in color value in [Katja Oxman's An Acre for a Bird To Choose](#).

INSTRUCTIONS

Play “I Spy” with each artwork listed below from the Hunter’s collection. Can you find all seven elements of art?

[5 p.m. from Air:](#)
[24 Works in 24 Hours](#)
[Jennifer Bartlett](#)

I spy lines...
I spy shapes..
I spy form....
I spy space ...
I spy color...

[Gold and Purple](#)
[Slingbacks with Apple](#)
[Carol Cohen](#)

I spy lines...
I spy shapes..
I spy form....
I spy space ...
I spy color...

[Green Swells](#)
[Vadis Turner](#)

I spy lines...
I spy shapes..
I spy form....
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[Young Girl in Blue](#)
[Milton Avery](#)

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