

VISION

At the heart of every child lies creativity. Introducing an art exam starting in kindergarten is more than just an opportunity to evaluate; it's a chance to nurture imagination, build confidence, and foster essential skills that support early childhood development.

The purpose of an art exam at this age is to nurture creativity by giving children the freedom to explore colours, shapes, and materials while encouraging them to think outside the box. It provides a powerful outlet for emotional expression, allowing children to communicate their feelings and experiences in a non-verbal way. Engaging in drawing, colouring, and crafting enhances fine motor skills, laying the groundwork for academic development such as writing and problem-solving. Art also promotes cognitive growth by encouraging critical thinking and decision-making. Exposure to various art styles and cultural traditions builds appreciation and awareness of global perspectives. Most importantly, showcasing their artwork in an exam setting fosters a sense of accomplishment, boosting children's confidence and inspiring continued creative exploration.

Each child's work is evaluated with compassion and encouragement, focusing on growth, effort, and expression rather than technical mastery alone.

CIDS : NATIONAL ARTWIZ COMPETITION

*other CIDS Artwiz Terms and Conditions apply

STD. 1

PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY AND HELP YOUR STUDENT TO UNDERSTAND.

We will guide the student but creativity and colouring is the choice of the student.

Our exam for STD 1 is based on Lines in Art mainly.

Note:

1. Colour with oil pastels only(Any make)
2. Make an outline with a black sketch pen only.

Criteria for Assessment

1. Creativity
2. Colour combination
3. Shape and form
4. Details of the drawing
5. Finishing of line
6. Neatness
7. Overall impression

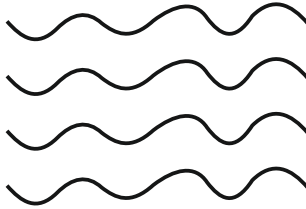
Sample papers explain the type of questions asked in the exam. A brief introduction on Lines is given below.

A line is a moving mark from one point to another. It can be straight, curved, zigzag, wavy, or dotted—going in any direction. Artists use lines to form shapes, patterns, pictures, and express movement, direction, or emotions. Different line types include:

- **Zigzag** – Shape angles, like lightning



- **Wavy** – Flowing up and down, like waves



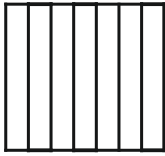
- **Dotted** – Made of small dots



Lines can be combined to create varied and expressive artworks.



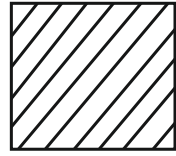
- **Straight** – Goes in one direction without bending.



Vertical



Horizontal



Diagonal

Types of Straight Lines:

1. Horizontal Line

This line goes **side to side**, like the ground or a bed.

2. Vertical Line

This line goes **up and down**, like a tree trunk or a flagpole.

3. Diagonal Line

This line **slants**, like a slide or a leaning ladder.

- **Curved** – Smooth bends, like a rainbow



SAMPLE PAPER NO. 1

STD. 1

TOTAL MARKS : 50

SECTION 1

TIME: 1 Hour

MARKS : 20

Time : 30 minutes

Tick / Write the correct answer.

1. Which of these is not a type of line ?

Mark 1

Wavy

☐

Square

☐

Dotted

☐

Straight

☐

2. What kind of line would you draw to show a snake ?

Mark 2

3. In letter 'T' what kind of lines do you see ?

Mark 2

4. Which line goes from top corner to bottom corner ?

Mark 1

☐

Diagonal line

☐

Vertical line

☐

Curved line

5. A straight line goes up and down or side to side.

Mark 1

True

☐

False

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6. Can you draw a happy face using only lines ? Mark 1

Yes

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No

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7. A curved line looks like a rainbow.

Mark 1

True

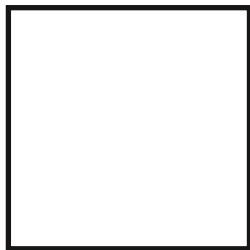
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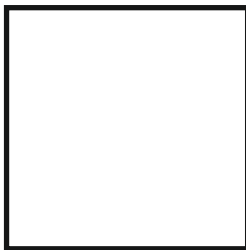
False

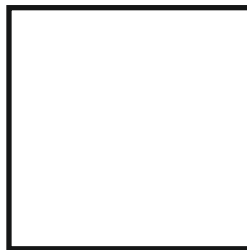
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8. Look around your classroom. Find and draw 3 things that are made of Straight line and name them.

Mark 6

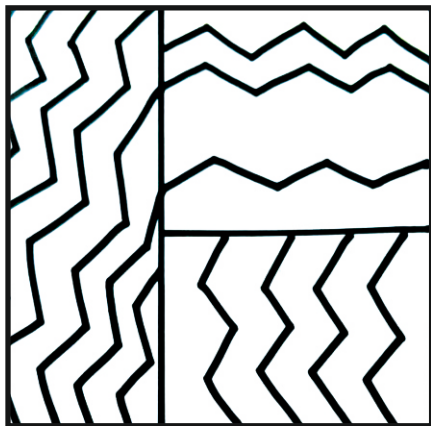






**9. Draw a pattern and colour using only :
Zigzag lines.**

Mark 5



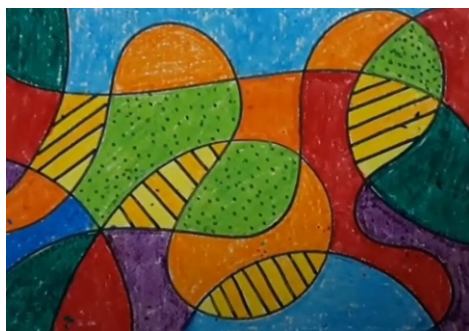
Section 2

Marks : 30

Time : 30 mins

Create the pattern on the given drawing sheet using only different types of lines and colour it with your favourite colour combination.

(We have provided sample drawings only as examples to guide the students. However, we do not expect students to copy these examples. Instead, we encourage them to explore their own ideas and create unique drawings.)



Check out for more details:

<https://youtu.be/iOP7wo2cEsU?si=1jIdGRNR-jDhpLzp>

Some more Drawings for reference and some questions.

- 1. Create the art work /drawing using only straight lines.**

Mark 30



- 2. Create a picture on the given drawing sheet using only different types of lines (e.g., a house, a tree) and colour it with your favourite colour combination.**

Mark 30

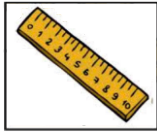
- 3. Create the art work /drawing using only wavy lines**

Mark 30

ANSWER KEY -STD. 1

Sample Paper 1

1. Square
2. Wavy line
3. Straight lines
4. Diagonal lines
5. True
6. No
7. True

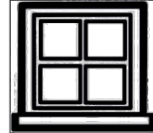


8.

Ruler/Scale



Blackboard



Window

Sample Paper 2

1. Square
2. Wavy
3. Curved line
4. Vertical lines
5. Zigzag lines
6. Yes
7. Yes

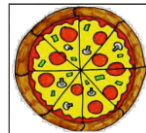


8.

Clock



Ball



Pizza

Sample Paper 3

1. Horizontal
2. Wavy
3. Zigzag lines
4. Curved lines
5. False
6. True