

# Edouard Manet: Cafe Scene

**Grades:** 1+

**Time:** 60+ minutes

**Final Product:** Students create an image of a cafe scene inspired by Manet's paintings.

## **Instructional Objectives:**

**The students will be able to...**

1. create their own cafe scene painting using oil and chalk pastels
2. apply their knowledge of Manet and his cafe scenes to their own pastel drawings

## **Materials:**

1. Pastels
2. Sketch paper
3. Pencils and erasers

## **Keywords:**

1. Impressionism
2. Cafe Scenes

## **Lesson Process:**

### **Introduction (art style, artist, keywords):**

*Using information provided on [smartartforteachers.weebly.com...](http://smartartforteachers.weebly.com...)*

1. Introduce the *Impressionism* movement
2. Introduce the artist: Edouard Manet
3. Review key words and look at several examples of Manet's Cafe Scenes. Discuss the commonalities between images, the use of colour, and the activities people are doing as depicted in the different cafe scenes

### **Body (art project):**

1. Students draw an image using a pencil of what they see in a cafe setting. Some ideas may include:
  - a. a single figure reading a book or newspaper
  - b. two people conversing
  - c. a family having lunch
  - d. an employee working behind the counter
2. Students use bold pastel colours to give life to their drawing

### **Suggestion for display:**

-Display student work on a bulletin board with one of the following titles:

- Mr/Mrs/Miss \_\_\_\_\_'s Parisian Cafe
- Our *Impression* of Parisian Cafes
- Impressionist Art: Manet's Cafe Scenes