# Mother's Day Portraits Lesson Plan

### **Teacher Preparation:**

- Look through booklet and presentation and decide which artists to show and talk about.
- Ask students to bring in a photograph of their mother.

## Aim(s):

- For students to understand and learn from famous artists and portrait styles.
- To create a portrait of their mother.

**Learning Outcomes: (Main skills and sub- skills)** Students should be able to:

- Recognise famous artists and portraits.
- Learn techniques of portraiture.
- Draw a portrait of their mother.

#### Language items:

- **Listening:** History of portraiture and Mothers day. To the teacher and other students ideas.
- **Reading:** From power point presentation.
- Speaking: Answering questions and discussing topics.
- Language Focus (Grammer): Words and phrases related to art.

### Anticipated difficulties:

- Some students finding it harder than others.
- Concentration levels when drawing.

#### Aids & Materials:

- Mother's Day Portrait booklet.
- PDF presentation
- Entry form to draw on.
- Poster.

# **Lesson Plan Details**

Stage	Aim/Purpose	Procedure
Warming up	<ul> <li>To familiarise students with face shape.</li> <li>Create relaxed learning atmosphere.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Look at their own and each other's faces. Feel own face to think of where features are.</li> </ul>
Introduction	- Get thinking about drawing the portrait of their mother and what it will include.	- Teacher talks through and asks students to answer what they might want to draw, what features their mother might have or looks that make them individual.
Activities	- Learn about selected famous portraits.	- Work through slides on ' <i>Mother's</i> <i>Day Presentation for Teachers.pdf</i> ' exploring and getting students to answer questions and share ideas about the portraits.
	- Students start portrait of their mother.	- Whilst looking though presentation students start to think about drawing their own mother.
	- Draw their mother.	- Using knowledge learnt students draw a portrait of their mother in their own style.