



Create a Pop Art collage



Olaf with his Pop Art piece.

Olaf Falafel is a children's author, illustrator, dad and a stand up comedian. Over the lockdowns he created an online Art Club and each episode was filled with drawing tips, funny animations and jokes. They also include information about his favourite artists and art movements, including one called Pop Art.

The English painter and collage artist, Richard Hamilton was a pop artist. He cut images from magazines, newspapers and packaging and arranged them in interesting ways. One of his most famous works, created in the 1950s, is called *Just What*

Is It That Makes Today's Homes So Different, So Appealing? It shows a strongman in a room full of furniture, pictures, household appliances and random objects – including a tin of ham. You can find out more about this collage on the Tate website at tinyurl.com/TWJ-RichardHamilton

To create your own Richard Hamilton-inspired Pop Art collage just follow Olaf's six simple steps below. Why not share your artwork with *The Week Junior* by sending a picture of it to hello@theweekjunior.co.uk

What you need

- A picture of a room
- Old magazines, newspapers, leaflets and printed materials such as packaging or takeaway menus
- Scissors
- Glue



1 Firstly, print or cut out a picture of a room, or draw one you like.



2 Gather your printed materials and select pictures you'd like to include in your room.



3 Cut them out (think about your colour scheme – I kept mine mainly black, white and red).



4 Choose a central figure for your picture and cut it out neatly.



5 Now decide what goes where. Experiment with compositions to see what looks best.



6 When you're happy with your arrangement, stick it down. Your Pop Art collage is complete.

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