

Graphed Portrait Checklist

Step 1 I will watch a PowerPoint on Chuck Close. I will answer the questions at the end of the checklist.

Step 2 I will print a photo of famous persons face. The face will measure 4x6 inches or larger. I recommend having the face be as large as possible. Print on a full page in black and white and adjust contrast for the largest variety of value. **Complete value scale.** I will create the value scale displaying the progression from white to black. I will blend each area so pencil marks will not be seen.

Step 3 I will draw a grid of one inch boxes over the photo. I will start by making 1 inch marks from the top left corner to the right. Next, I will make 1 inch marks from the left bottom to the right bottom. On the sides I will make 1 inch marks starting at the top going to the bottom.

Step 4 I will draw a grid of 1.5 inch boxes on 12x18 inch drawing paper using the same process as the photo.

Step 5 I will number the boxes on the photo and the drawing paper. I will number the top row of boxes 1-8 lightly. 1 starting on the upper left moving to the right. I will number the left hand side boxes 1-12 lightly. I will start on the upper left and number down.

Step 6 I will draw one box at a time. I will start with outside shape of the head and slow work in. **Hint:** To help you focus on one box only, use paper strips to outline the box on your photo and the box on the drawing paper. Only draw in lines. DO NOT add value yet!

Step 7 I will erase the graph on my drawing. First double check your drawing to the photo. Use the side of the eraser so you are only erasing your graph and not your drawing. You do not want the graph lines to show.

Step 8 I will add a variety of value to create form in the portrait. I will have 5+ values that are blended.

Step 9 I will mount drawing on black paper. I will outline the back of the drawing with drops of glue and center on the black paper.

Step 10 I will glue name tag down on the bottom right.

I will paper clip rubric and Chuck Close assessment on the front and hand in. Please write your name and class on both.

Name: _____ Class: _____

Chuck Close

Please complete the questions. Answers will be in the DVD and article. This will be your study guide for the Chuck Close assessment.

1. What state was he born in?
2. What year was he born in?
3. What style of Chuck Close? Style is referring to how you would categorize his art as.
4. What cognitive disability does Chuck Close have and how does it influence his art?
5. Chuck Close has facial blindness. What is facial blindness and how did that influence his art?
6. How did the art of Chuck Close influence society?

