ANDY WARHOL

## Vocabulary

**Complementary:** Combining in a way to enhance the qualities of one another. **Contrast:** To differ strikingly. **Clash:** A mismatch of colours. **Stimulating:** Encouraging interest or enthusiasm.

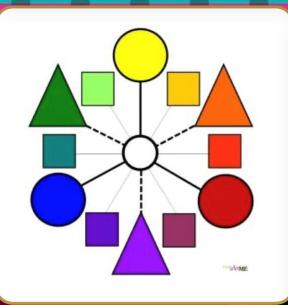
# **Complementary Colours**

Complementary colours are directly opposite each other on the colour wheel. They are often referred to as opposite colours or contrasting colours.

When complementary colours are placed next to each other, a very strong contrast is created. The colours appear more vivid and brighter.

# **Andy Warhol**

Andy Warhol used colour to create contrasting and stimulating images. He would often use commercial images or pictures of famous people that he would repeat with different colours and effects.



### **The Colour Wheel**

The colour wheel is organised into three main groups:

- Primary Colours: red, yellow and blue
- Secondary Colours: green, orange and purple
- Tertiary or Intermediate Colours: yellow-orange, red-orange, red-violet, blue-violet, blue-green and yellowgreen.

### **Example of Warhol's Work**

