



Y4 Knowledge Organiser

Textiles

Artist



Victoria Potrovitza

Born: Romania
1955-present

Contemporary, abstract
fibre artist now living in
California.

Vocabulary	
Contemporary	Art found at this present point in time or since the 1960/70s.
Abstract	Modern art that uses colour, line and shape and inspired by a real subject matter.
Textile/fabric	A cloth made by knitting or weaving
Thread	A fine cord used in sewing, weaving etc, which is usually made of two or more fibres such as cotton twisted together.
Needle	A thin instrument made of steel with a hole at one end for the thread and a sharp point at the other. A needle is used for sewing cloth.
Sew	To make or repair with a needle and thread.
Stitch	The movement of a needle and thread through cloth or other material when sewing.
Running stitch	A simple stitch consisting of a line of small even stitches that run back and forth through the fabric without overlapping.
Cross stitch	A stitch formed of two stitches crossing each other.

What I will know by the end of this unit

- Victoria Potrovitza is a Romanian contemporary, abstract fibre artist.
- Sewing is the craft of making, repairing, joining or attaching objects using stitches that are created using a needle and thread.
- How to independently thread a needle
- To know the names of different stitches, running stitch and cross stitch and how to form them.

Other Artists

Janet Bolton (1942 – present)
Nancy Crow (1943- present)

Stitches



Cross Stitch



Running Stitch

