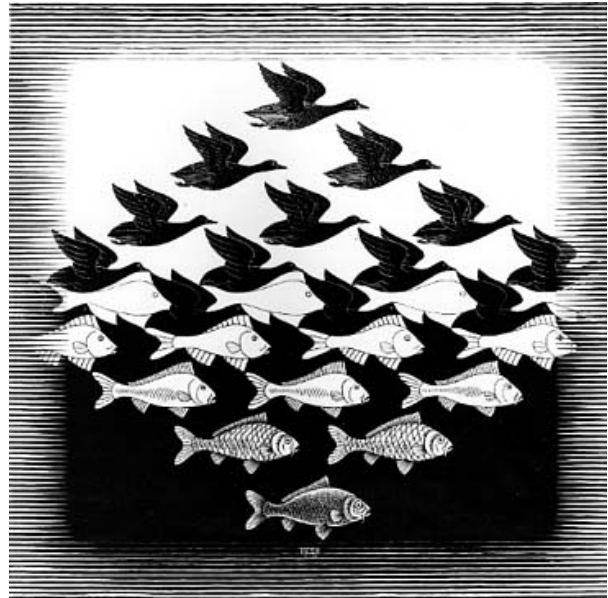
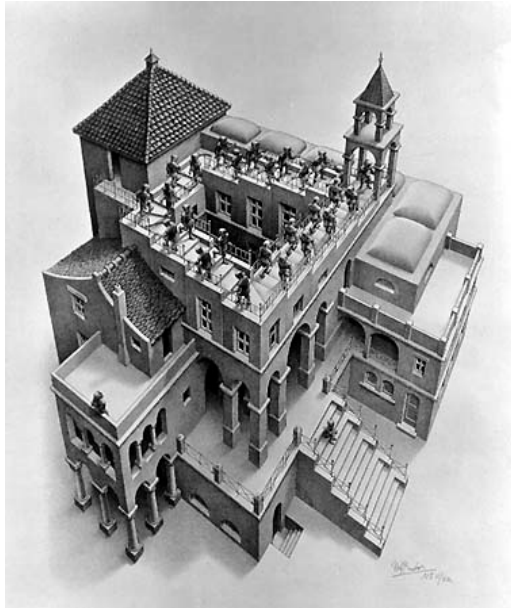


Optical Illusion Line Design: Mini Art Project

Maurits Cornelis Escher (1898-1972) was a world famous Dutch graphic artist.

M.C. Escher, during his lifetime, made 448 lithographs, woodcuts and wood engravings and over 2000 drawings and sketches. Fun fact, M.C. Escher was left-handed. He also illustrated books, designed tapestries, postage stamps and murals.

He is most famous for his so-called impossible structures, such as Ascending and Descending and his transformation prints, such as Metamorphosis and Sky & Water I.



The project:

1. You will choose one of the following optical illusions and replicate it on a 6" x 6" piece of drawing paper.
2. Draw out your design in pencil.
3. Draw over your design with sharpie.
4. Erase ALL pencil lines.

	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic
Neatness	Completed artwork is exceptionally neat.	Completed artwork is neat, but some parts could use some work.	Completed artwork is more messy than neat.	Artwork is messy or incomplete.
Work Habits	Student worked for entire period with superior focus.	Student worked most of the period.	Student worked most of the period and had to be guided to work.	Student did not work most of the period even with prompting.
Expectations	Student has exceeded expectations of ability level.	Student has met expectations of ability level.	Student has met some expectations of ability level.	Student does not meet expectations of ability level.