

# 3-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Lesson

## March 2025



- British painter and one of the first artists to use optical illusion as a form of art
- Splits her time between England and France



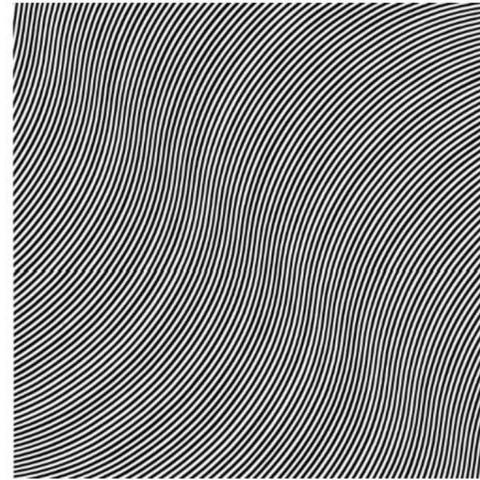
Bridget Riley

April 24, 1931-Present

# Bridget Riley Videos –

[Short overview](#)

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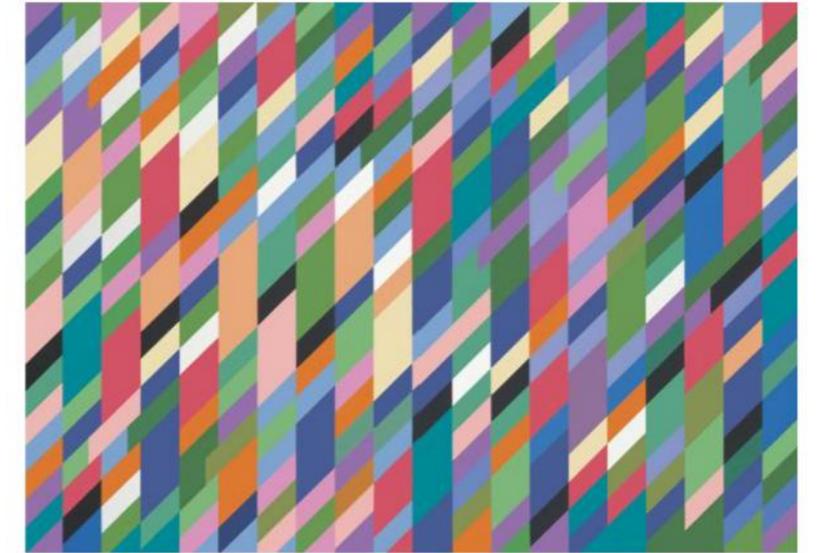
Over  
Bridget Riley



Rajasthan, 2012  
Bridget Riley



Blaze 1  
Bridget Riley

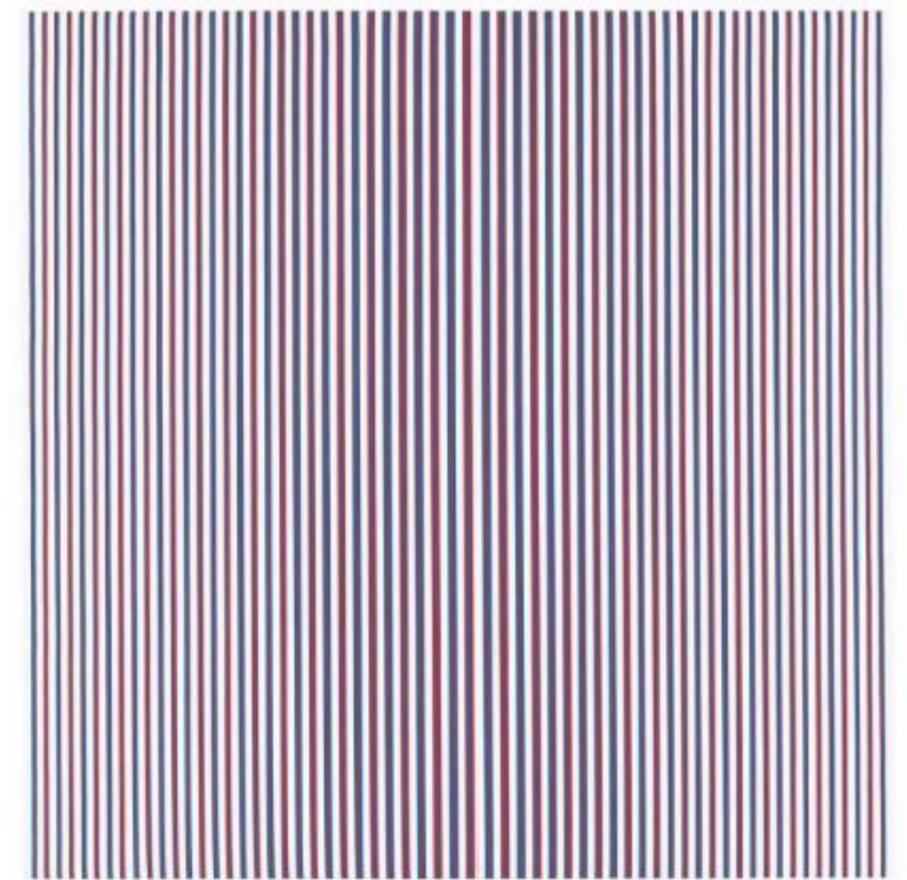


High Sky, 1991  
Bridget Riley



Study for 'Shuttle', 1964  
Bridget Riley

OP Art – Style of abstract art that emerged in the 1960's using precise geometric patterns, stark contrast to create illusions of movement, vibration, flashing or warping

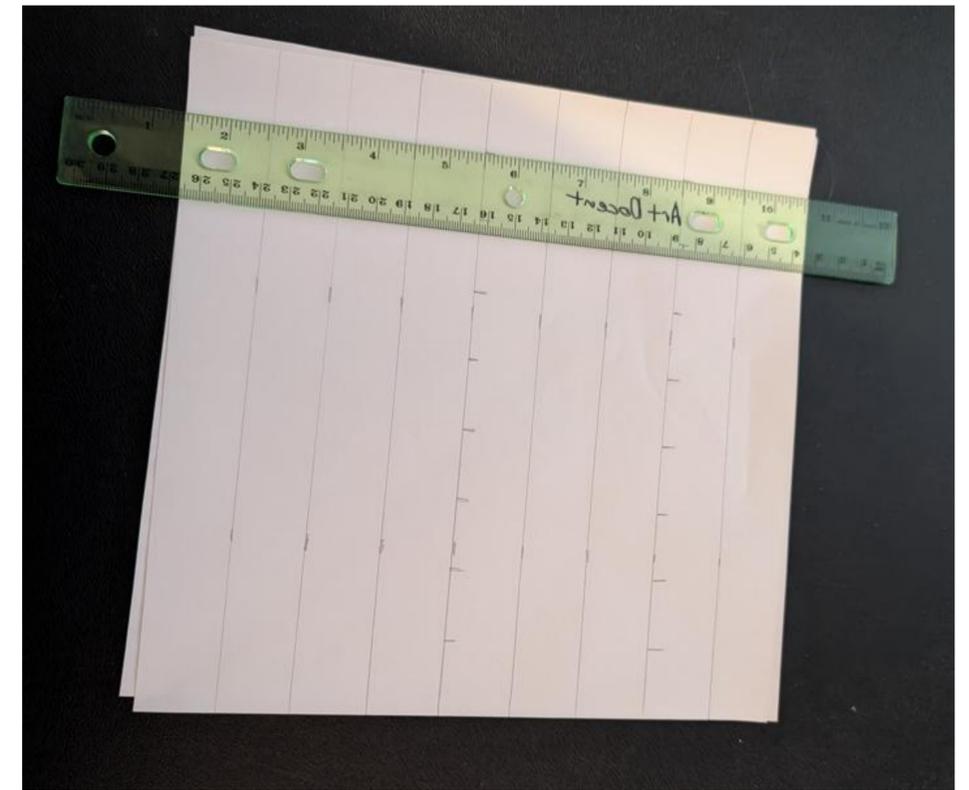
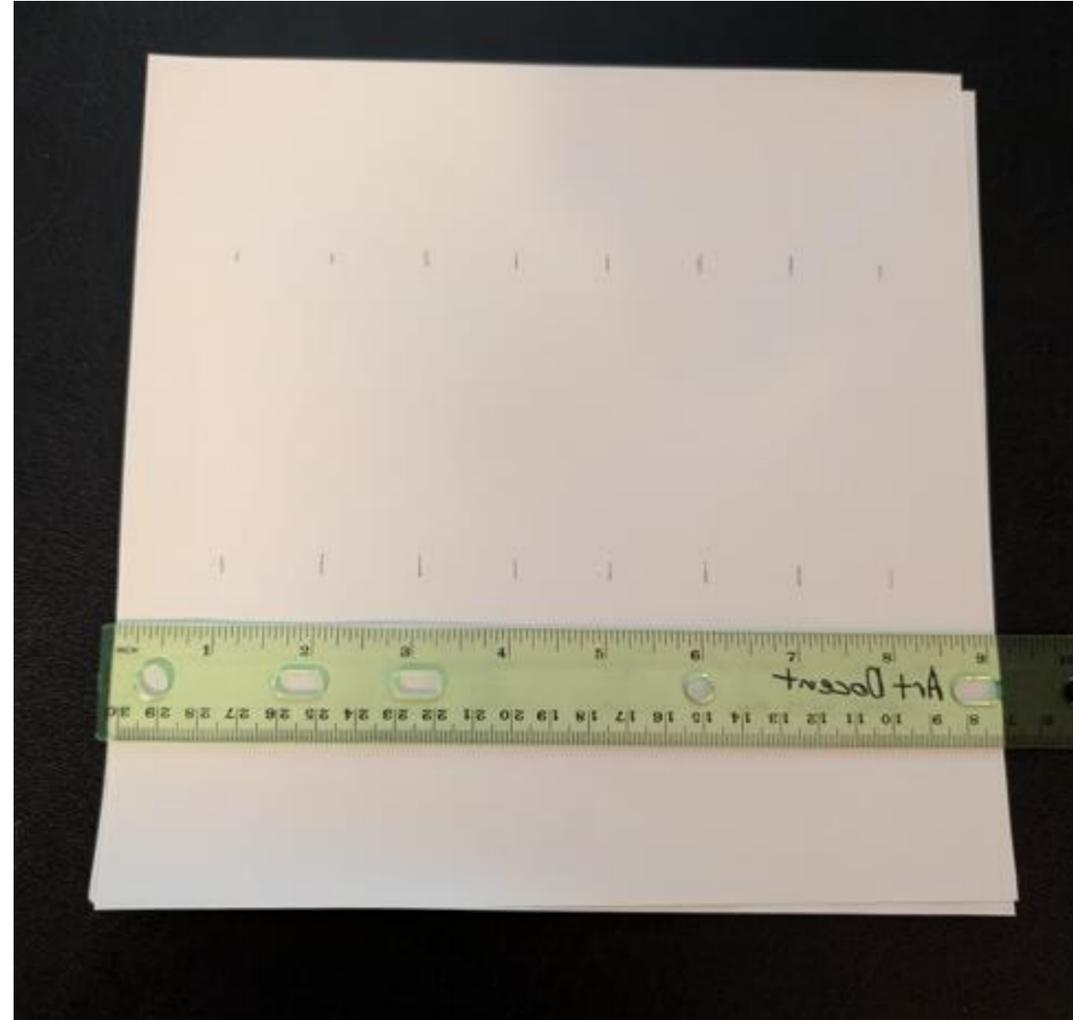


Chant 2, 1967  
Bridget Riley

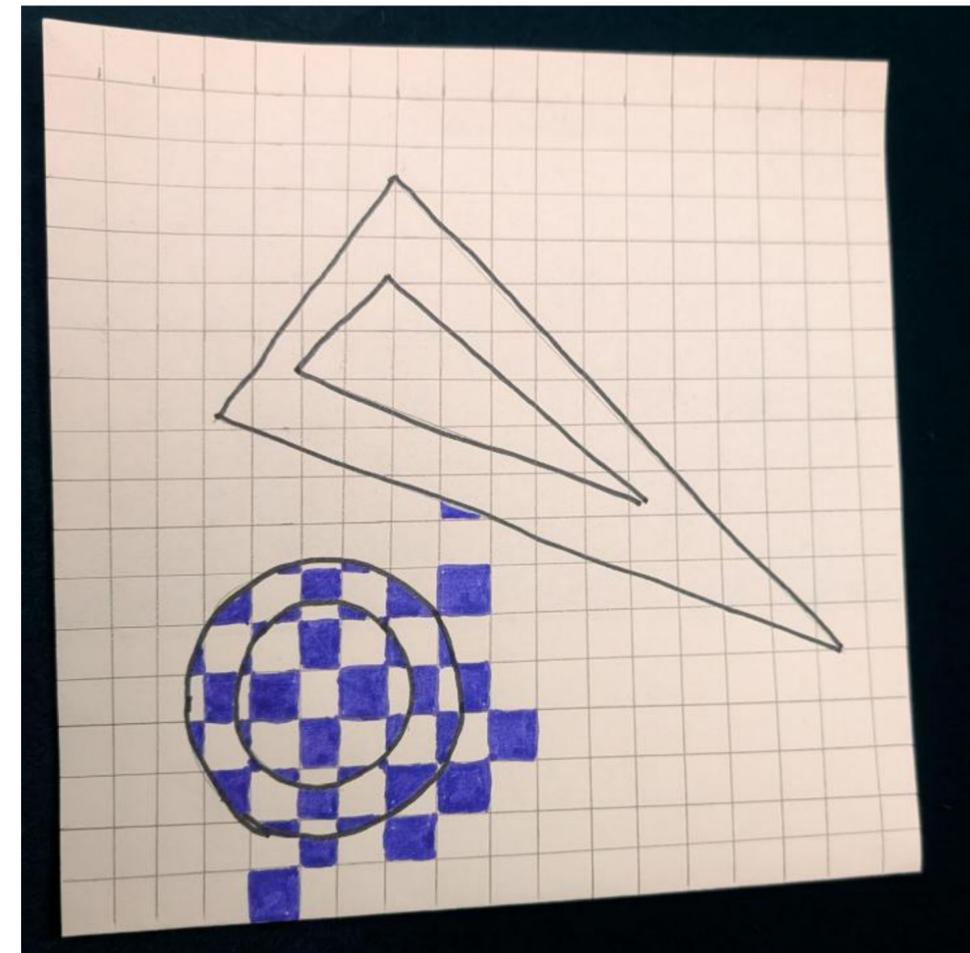
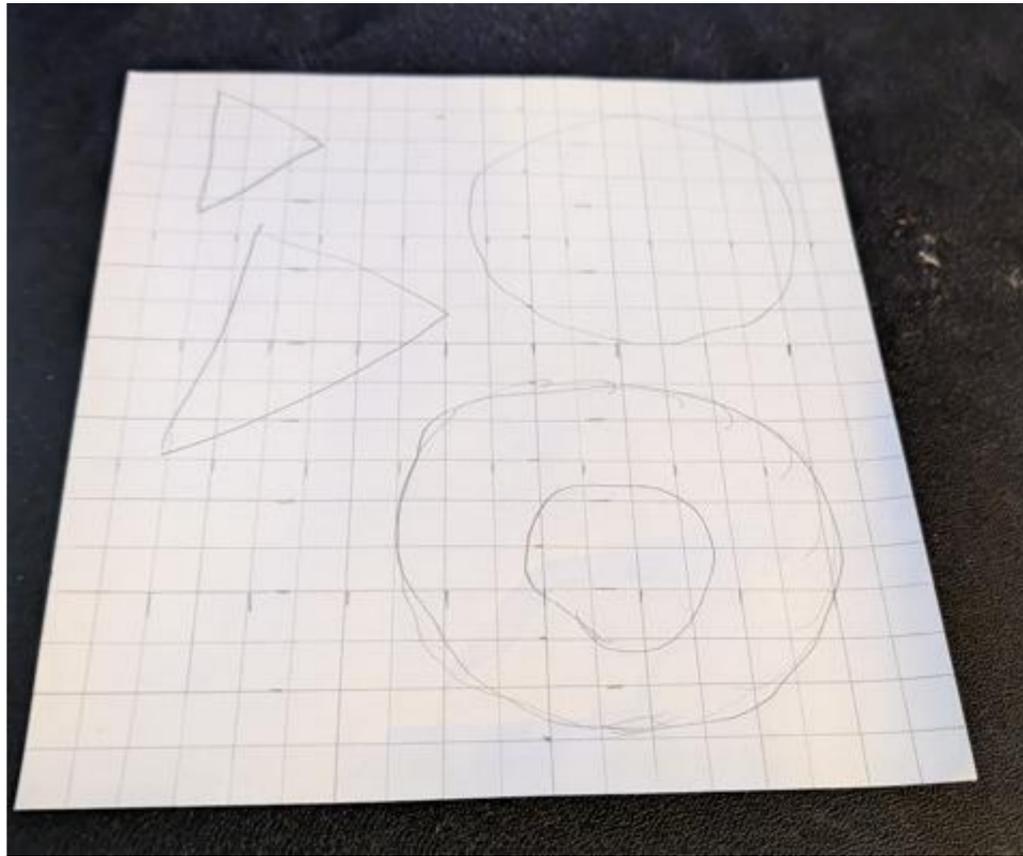


Supplies:  
Ruler  
Pencil  
Drawing Paper  
Two Contrasting Colored Markers  
Black Sharpie





1. Create 1/2 inch grid with pencil
2. Decide on shapes to draw on top of the grid



3. Choose two colors (hint: one can be white if you want less to color)
4. Color each section alternating grid colors being separated not only by rows and columns but by the shapes drawn, the same color should never touch each others' sides, but come together at each point
5. Outline shapes with black marker if desired

