The Elements of Art and "Shaming the Gulls" by Thomas Hoyne

Find and number the elements of design in the drawing below:

1. Foreground

2. Middle-ground 3. Background

4. Subject: Where did the artist place the subject?

5. Horizon line separates water and sky

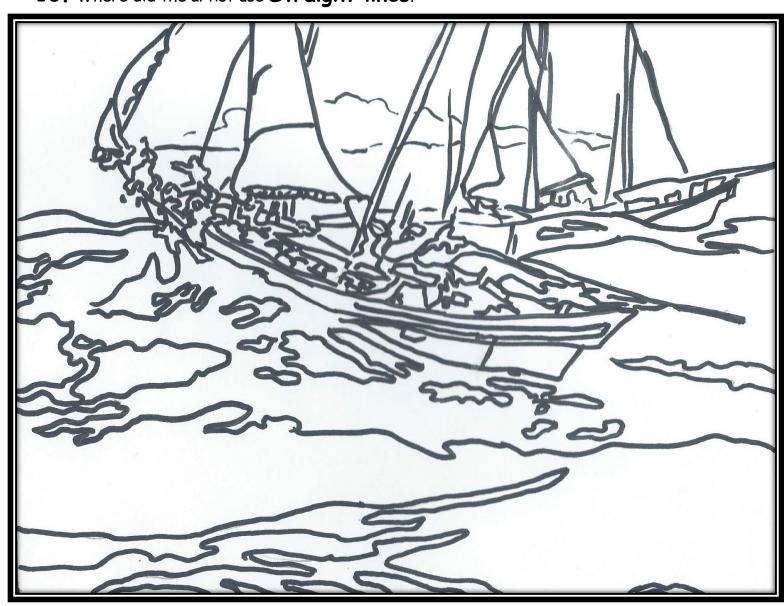
6. Perspective: The artist help us feel distance with size. Which boat is painted smaller?

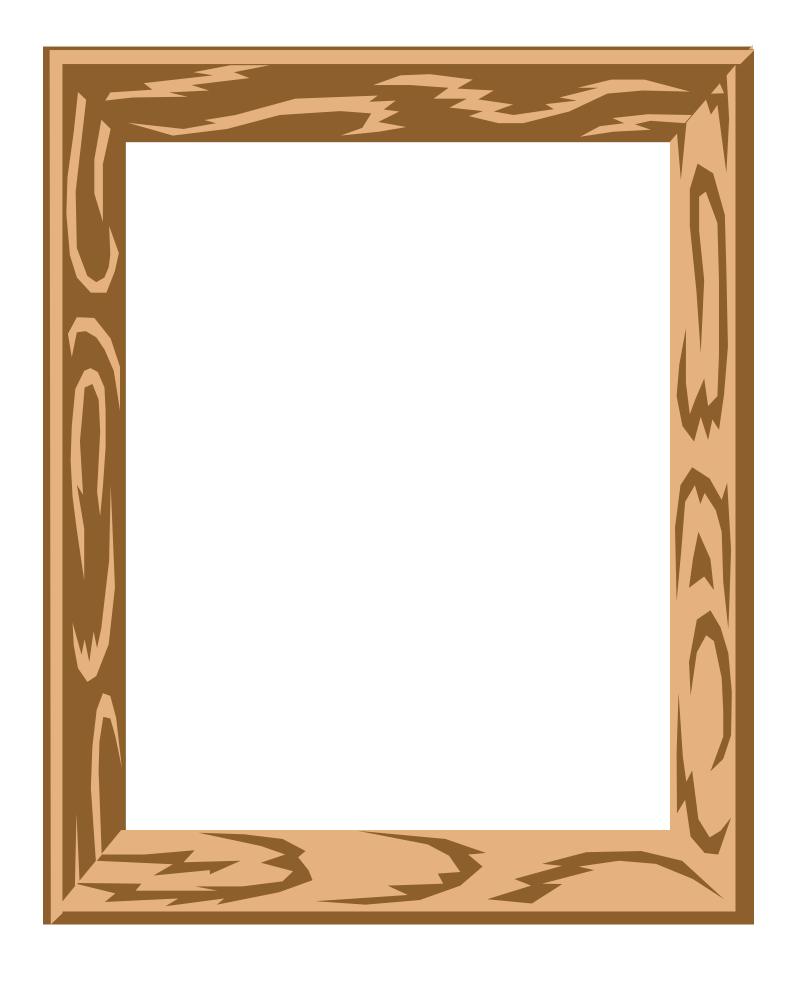
7. Perspective: The artist help us feel distance with details. Which boat has more?

8. Shapes Find triangle shapes

9. The artist used Curvy lines to show texture in the water. Trace and number them.

10. Where did the artist use Straight lines?





Calm Seas or Stormy Seas?

Which do you prefer?





A Kaag and Smalchip Under Sail
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