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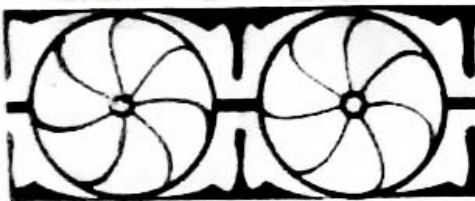


Fact File: Owen Jones

- Owen Jones was one of the most influential designers and design theorists of the 19th century and a pioneer of pattern design.
- 140 years ago he published *The Grammar of Ornament*, the first world history of ornament and practical design sourcebook.
- His book has inspired generations of art and design students and professionals.

Here you can look closely at Owen Jones' original designs for *The Grammar of Ornament* and get inspiration for your own designs.

1. Find a simple shape and create a **repeating** pattern design.



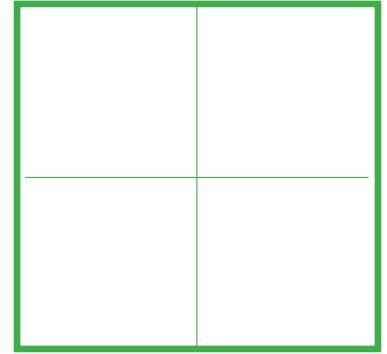
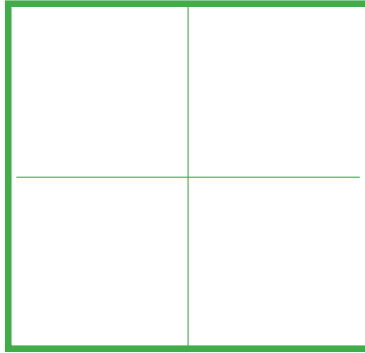
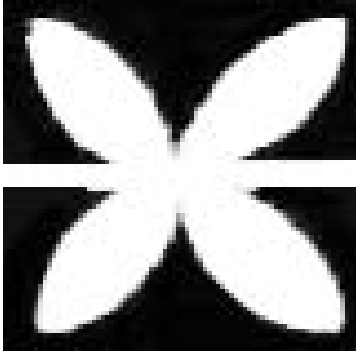
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2. Find a simple shape and create a **reflecting** pattern design.

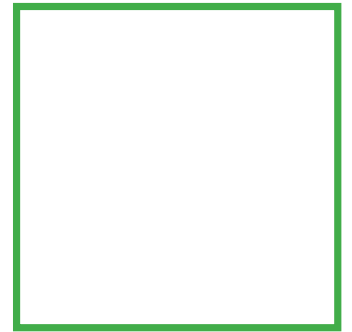
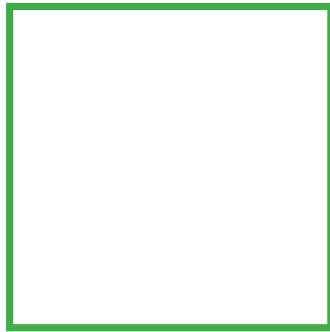
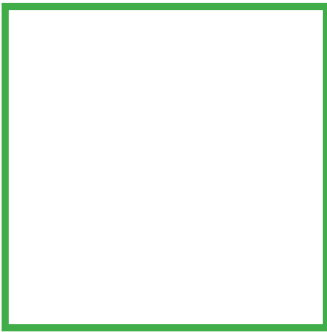


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3. Find a simple shape and create a **rotating** pattern design.



4. Find and draw four new shapes that interest you.



5. Create a new pattern design inspired by Owen Jones' designs.

