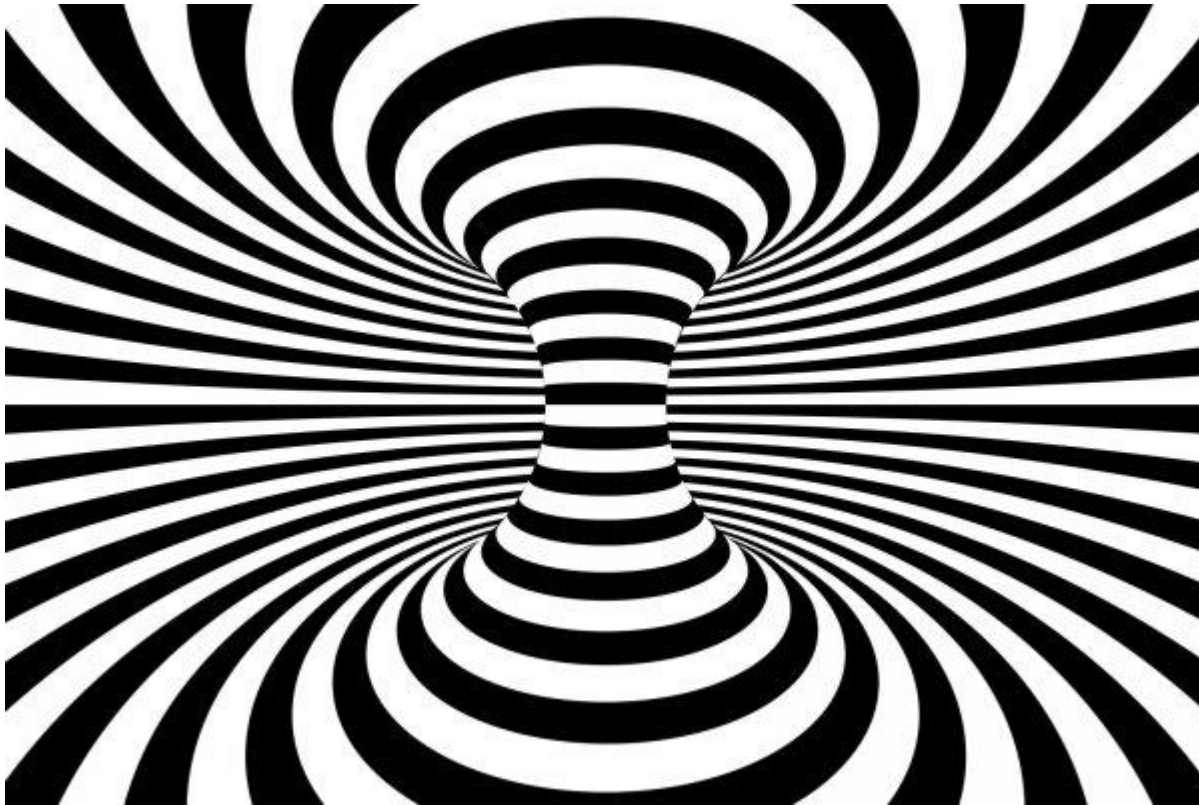


# "Op Art"



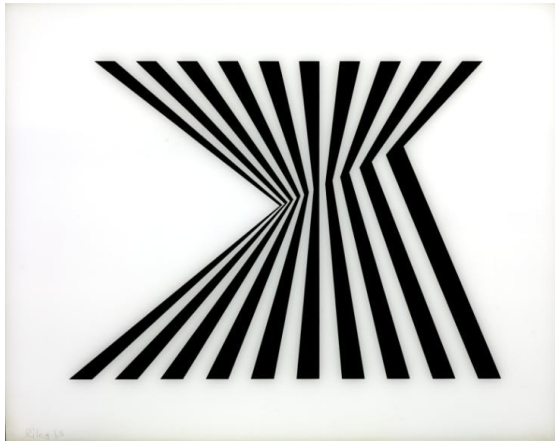
Op Art is short for Optical Art.

Optical means something that refer to sight and light.

Op Art began in the 1960s and is a mathematically themed form of Abstract Art.

The point of Optical Art is to create an illusion and confuse the eye!

Bridget Riley is a famous British artist who creates optical art:



# How to create Op Art

Follow the steps and activity to  
create your own Optical Art

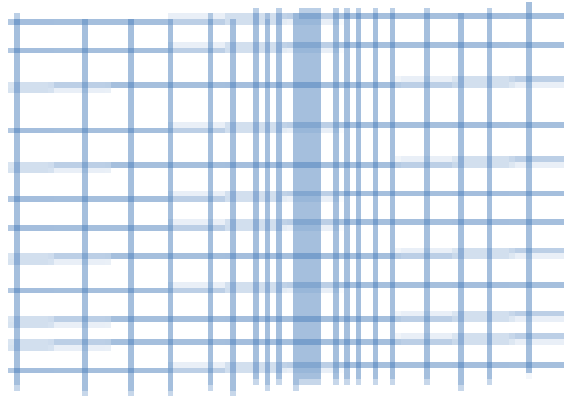
## Drawing 1: Steps

1.



Draw some parallel lines across the centre of your page

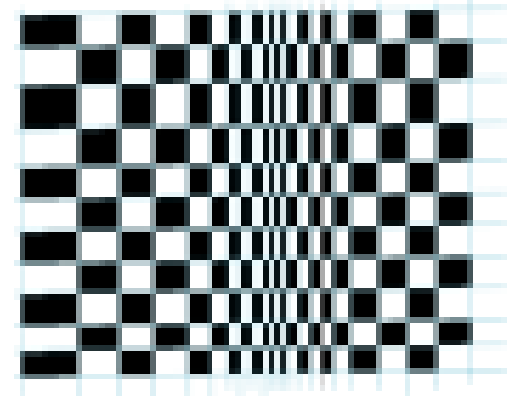
2.



Next draw vertical lines through the horizontal lines.

Make the lines get closer towards the centre then wider towards the other side

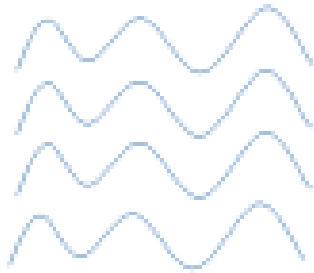
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Colour the squares alternately in black

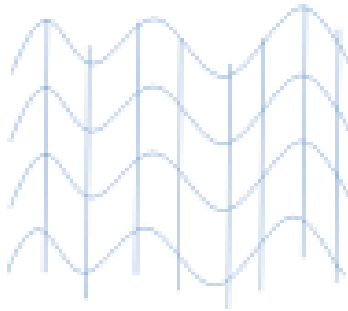
## Drawing 2: Steps

1.



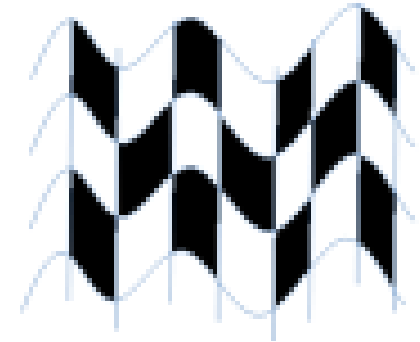
Draw a set of wavy lines across your paper

2.



Draw vertical lines through the horizontal lines

3.



Colour in the alternate squares