

FINDING SIMILARITIES IN ART

DIRECTIONS: Look at each of the following paintings and look for similarities among the three paintings. Then, with your partner, answer the questions that follow.



David C. Driskell, *Down by the Brook*, 2009, Screenprint, 15 x 12 in., Purchase, The Hereward Lester Cooke Memorial Fund, 2009; © Cardinal Point Press



David C. Driskell, *Silence*, 2009, Screenprint, 15 x 12 in., Purchase, The Hereward Lester Cooke Memorial Fund, 2009; © Cardinal Point Press



David C. Driskell, *Pond Iced Over*, 2009, Screenprint, 15 x 12 in., Purchase, The Hereward Lester Cooke Memorial Fund, 2009; © Cardinal Point Press

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What is similar about **the lines** in these three paintings? *For example, consider straight, curvy, vertical, and horizontal lines.*

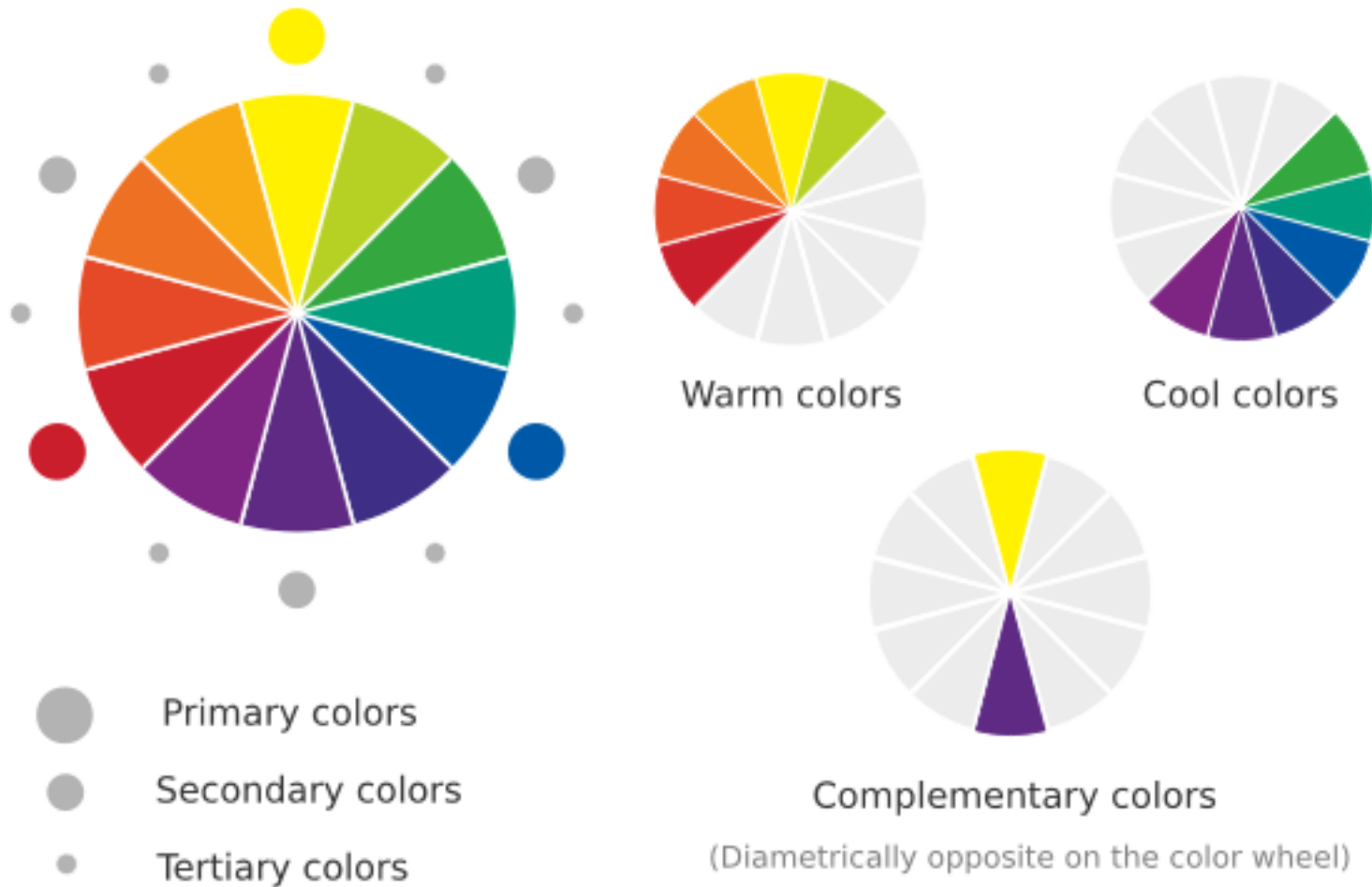
What is similar about **the colors** in these three paintings? *For example, consider warm/cool, primary, secondary, and complementary colors.*

What is similar about **the shapes** in these three paintings? *For example, consider geometric and biomorphic shapes.*

What real thing(s) do these three paintings remind you of?

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Use this color wheel as a reference for looking closely at Driskell's art.



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