



Self Portrait 1905

## Franz Marc

Born: 8 February 1880

Munich, Bavaria, German Empire

Died: 4 March 1916 (aged 36)

Braquis, France

Cause of death: Killed in action at the Battle of Verdun

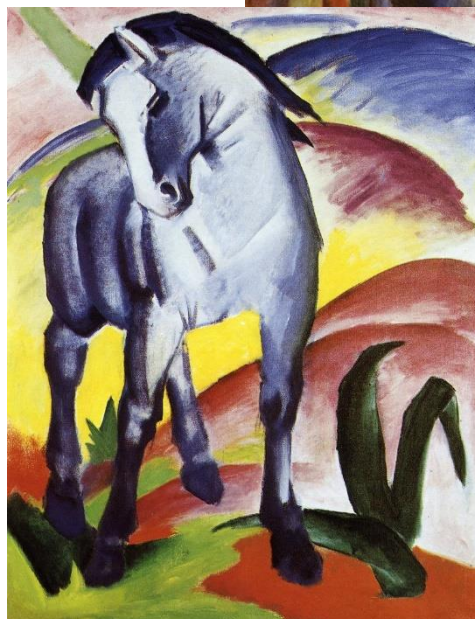
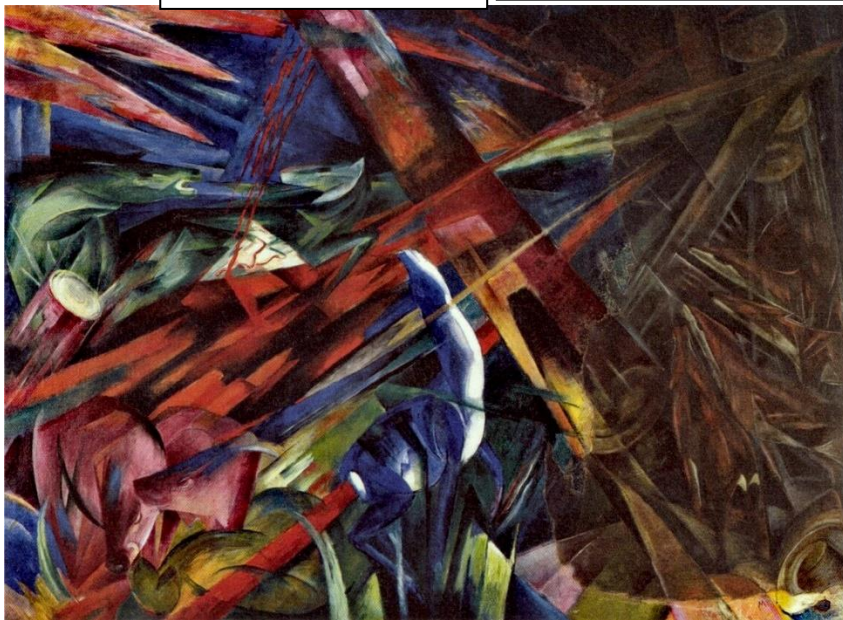
Nationality: German

Education: Academy of Fine Arts, Munich

Known for: Painting

Notable work, paintings: Fate of the Animals, The Tower of Blue Horses, Yellow Cow, Blue Horses (pictured below)

Movement: Expressionism





## Book List:

*13 Artists Children Should Know* by Angela Wenzel

*Franz Marc* by Susanna Partsch

*FRANZ MARC: Life and Work* by Claus Pese

## Websites:

[Franz Marc - Wikipedia](#)

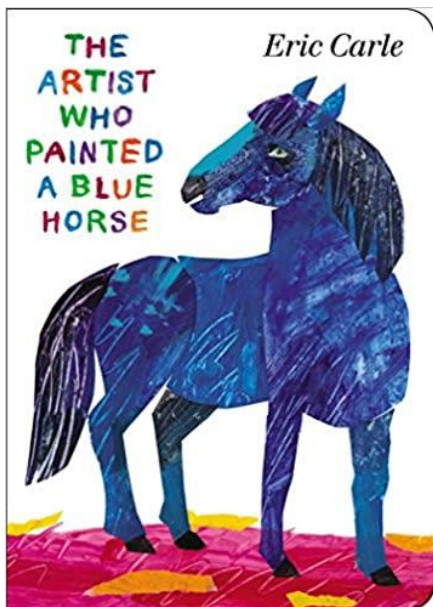
[Franz Marc - paintings, biography, quotes of Franz Marc](#)

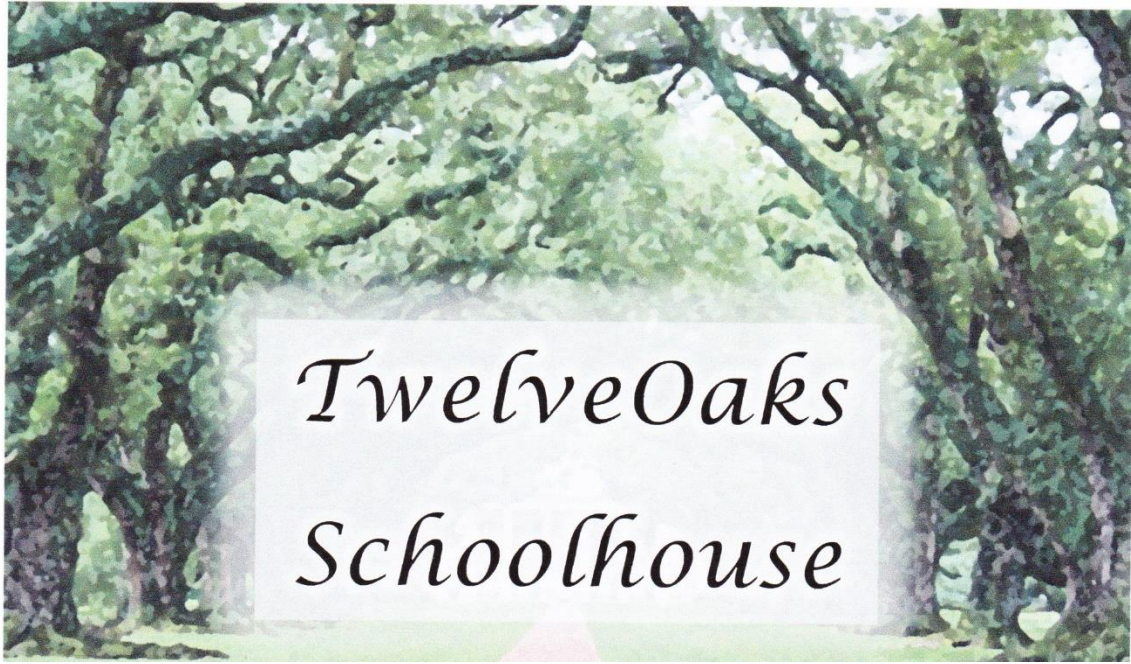
[Franz Marc Paintings](#)

[Fate of the Animals by Franz Marc \(artclasscurator.com\)](#)

## Activities:

1. Paint or use construction paper to make colorful animal artwork
2. Watch this Youtube video - [\(33\) Learn how to draw A FRANZ MARC INSPIRED BROWN BEAR : STEP BY STEP GUIDE! \(Age 5+\) - YouTube](#)
3. Handprint Blue Horse
4. Eric Carle (author of *Brown Bear Brown Bear What do You See?* and many others) pays homage to Franz Marc with his book “*The Artist Who Painted the Blue Horse.*” Read the book. (find the Amazon link for the book on my website)





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