Wassily Kandinsky (pronounced Vah-si-lee Kan-din-skee) was a Russian painter, born in 1866. His early paintings were impressionistic landscapes like this one: Old Town II, painted in 1902.



Through the years, his paintings became much more post-impressionistic and abstract, eventually becoming non-representational.

The first two projects for the Kindergarten classes are based on Kandinsky's later artwork. Kandinsky's "309", below inspired the first Kindergarten project, "Traveling Line".



The second Kindergarten project was inspired by this one: You may be familiar with this painting of his that is a popular poster: Study Part One

