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Victorian Art and Architecture

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KEY VOCABULARY

Victorian	the period of history during the **time of the reign of Queen Victoria**
classical architecture	the style of architecture in **ancient Greek or Roman times**
neoclassical	the style of architecture that got its **inspiration from classical architecture**
gothic architecture	the style of **architecture in medieval times**
gothic revival	an architectural style that got its i**nspiration from medieval (gothic) architecture**
medieval	the **period in European history from about 600 C.E. to 1500 C.E.** (also known as the Middle Ages or Dark Ages)
Pre-Raphaelites	a secret society of young artists founded in London in 1848: they were **against the promotion of paintings that showed ideal human forms and settings**, as shown in the work of Raphael
realism	when used in relation to Pre-Raphaelite paintings this means when **an artist makes something looks realistic**, like in a photograph
watercolour	**paint thinned with water**, giving a transparent colour
wet-on-wet	where layers of paint are painted on top of previous layers of paint which are still wet
wet-on-dry	where layers of paint are **painted on top of previous layers of paint which are dry**

Rossetti



The Annunciation
(1849-50)

the Houses of Parliament
(1840-1876)

London





Ophelia
(1851-1852)

Millais