* He was born in 18 December 1879 at Switzerland
* He was a Swiss-German artist.
* He was one of the most famous painters of the 20th century.
* In 1906 he had his first major [exhibition](https://simple.wikipedia.org/wiki/Art_exhibition).
* Besides his painting, Klee taught art at the [Bauhaus](https://simple.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bauhaus) from 1920 to 1931.
* When he was very young he trained to be a [violinist](https://kids.kiddle.co/Violin). Then he decided to become an artist.
* His work was influenced by [Expressionism](https://kids.kiddle.co/Expressionism), [Cubism](https://kids.kiddle.co/Cubism), and [Surrealism](https://kids.kiddle.co/Surrealism). He was also very interested in the [theory](https://kids.kiddle.co/Theory) of [color](https://kids.kiddle.co/Color).
* Died 29 June 1940 (aged 60) Muralto, Switzerland