

# The Art of Louise Nevelson

# Louise Nevelson

She was born in 1899 in the Ukraine and died in 1988 in New York City. She was a prominent American sculptor who made large “monochromatic” sculptures.

# “Monochromatic”

Monochromatic means one color scheme. In Louise Nevelson’s case, that was work which was primarily all black or all white.

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-Boxes



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- Boxes
- Repeating  
Forms
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Objects
- Everything painted  
one color



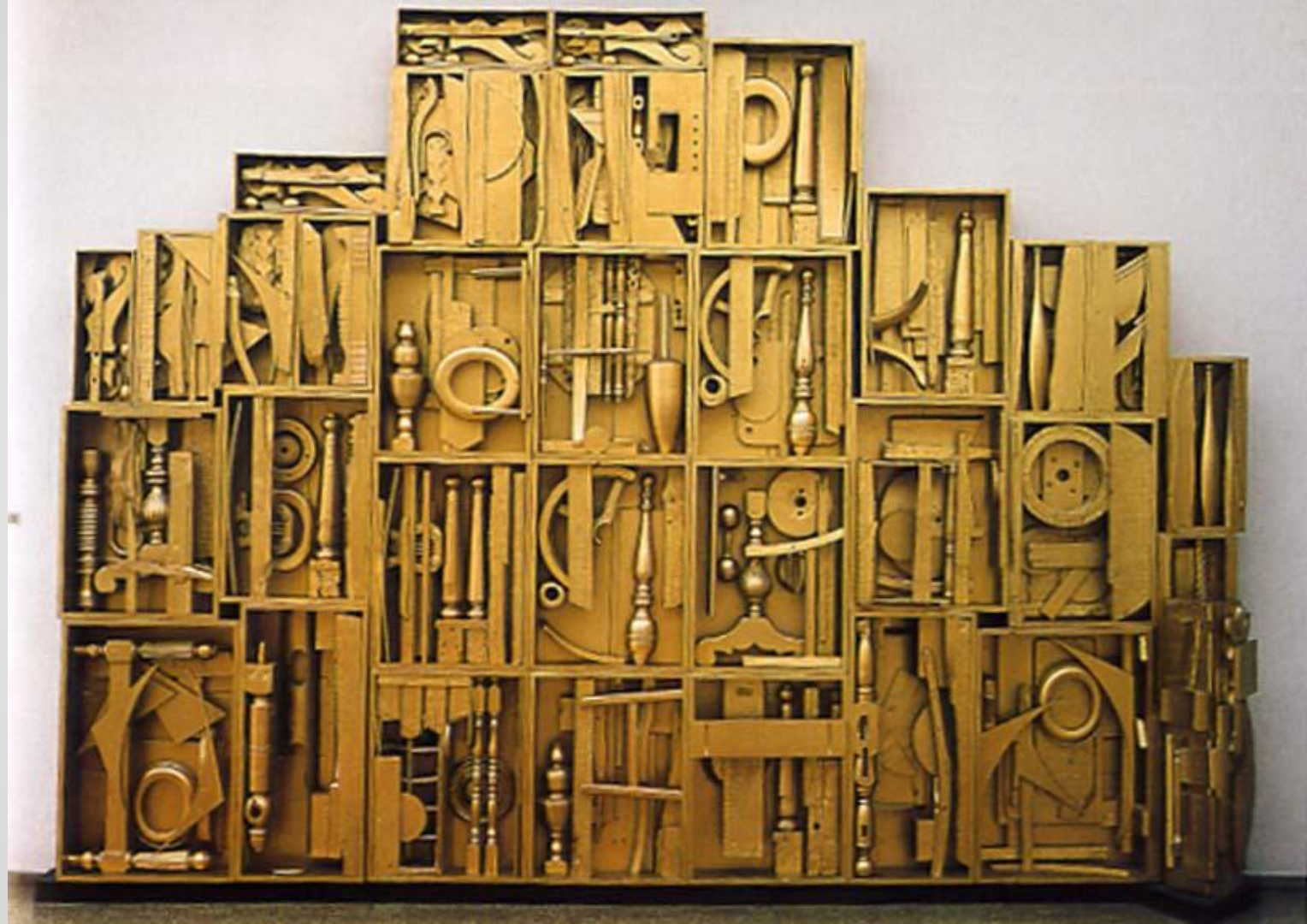
# Our Job Today

Use more of our recycled materials to create low-relief sculptures.

- 1) First you need to plan your sculpture.
- 2) Think about pattern, shapes and repeating forms.
- 3) Think about boxes or rectangles and squares to arrange your forms inside.

# Examples in Gold:





# **Our Job Today**

Once we have planned our low-relief sculpture carefully, we will glue it in place.

## **Next Week:**

We will carefully paint our sculpture a solid color after the glue has set up.



