

# STEAM Questions

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1. Gustav Klimt traveled infrequently. However, his trip to Italy (Venice and Ravenna) and his exposure to the legacy of Roman design had a great impact on him. Identify contributions made by the Romans in engineering, architecture, art, and design.
2. What are the design characteristics of mosaics? How did Gustav Klimt apply this design concept to this painting?
3. What are the characteristics of Byzantine design? Give examples of influences of Byzantine design on Gustav Klimt and the modern world.
4. Gustav Klimt died indirectly as a result of the Great Influenza Epidemic of 1918. How many people died in this epidemic? What technology did public health workers have in 1918 to fight the epidemic?
5. Are influenza epidemics still a major threat to human health? How has technology improved disease fighting since 1918?

