

## Focus Artist: Gustav Klimt

Background: Born 14th July 1862 in Austria. He died on 6th February 1918 in Vienna.



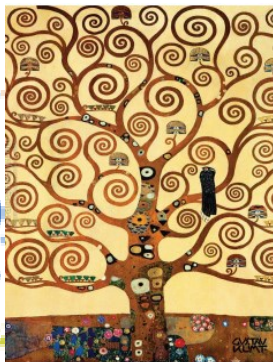
## Key Vocabulary:

Painting, movement, mural, mosaic, sketch, sitter, detail, decorative, swirl, spiral, geometric shape, outline, tone, pattern, themed, symbolism, commission, embellish, gem, gold leaf, silver, mirror, platinum, pearls.

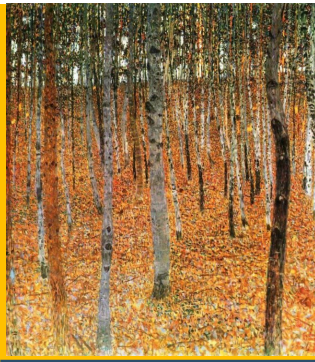
Artist Recognition: Most famous for his highly decorative **paintings** in the **1880's** to the **1900's**.

## Interesting Facts:

- Klimt never created a single self-portrait.
- He started two different Art Movements, 'The Company of Artists' and 'Vienna Secession'.
- He stuck gold foil, mirrors and gems onto his pictures.
- Some of his paintings included the initials of sitters.



'Tree of Life'



'Birch Forest'



Portrait Of Adele