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To explore how to create reflections of cityscapes on water.



Bangkok

Look at these Asian cityscapes with their reflections on the water.

Singapore



How would an artist re-create this scene?
What could they use?



Beijing



Shanghai

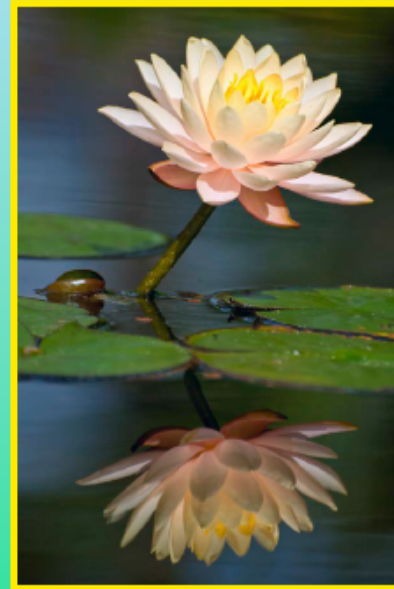
**How would an artist re-create
this scene?
What could they use?**

**What is a
mirror
image?**

**Water acts like a
mirror and provides a
mirror image of a
cityscape.**

**Artists find this
aesthetically pleasing
and enjoy taking photos
or painting this sight.**

Here are some examples of mirror images.





This is Singapore during
the day.
Discuss what you can see in
the reflection.



This is Singapore during the
night.
Discuss what you can see in
the reflection.



During the day, the colours of the buildings are reflected in the water. The darker the building the darker the reflection is.




Which one looks the best?

At night, you can see the bright lights of the buildings in the reflection. The more lights the building has the brighter its reflection is.



Today you are going to create your own cityscape reflections using watercolours.



The next few slides will teach you some watercolour techniques.

