

**Rococo**

light-hearted sensual/sexual subjects  
sensual, pleasurable purpose  
emphasis on curves  
scattered, moving compositions  
lush, sensual environments  
light, airy, pastel colors  
sensuous brushwork and textures  
sensual beauty / pretty

**Classicism**

heroic stories from Ancient Greece & Rome  
didactic, moral purpose  
geometric/rectilinear  
static, closed, central, balanced compositions  
plain, austere environments  
earth colors + basic primaries (red, blue)  
crisp definition, outlines  
idealized (cold/perfect beauty)