
Entertainment in the 60s

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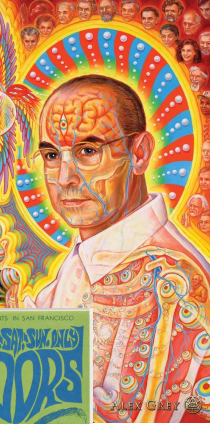
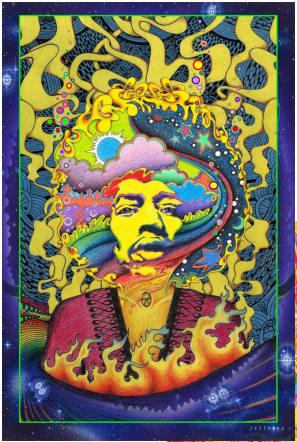


Drugs in the 1960s

- Discovery of LSD and hallucinogenic drugs
 - The “heyday” of illegal drug use
 - DMT, Purple haze, MDMA, orange sunshine, synthetic mescaline, psilocybin mushrooms, and STP were just some of the drugs anyone could get their hands on
 - Cocaine, marijuana, methamphetamine, and heroin were what the average hippie was on
 - After world war II the pharmaceutical industry exploded into new research of drugs which opened the opportunity for all of these substances to be open to the public to use for whatever ailment or treatment they desired.
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Arts and music

- Psychedelic art prevailed- peaking between 1966 to 1972
 - Pioneers of this era were Rick Griffin, Wes Wilson, and Victor Moscoso
 - Depicted bold color palettes with patterns of spirals or ornate lettering
 - Closely linked with the creation of album covers and inspiration of music
 - “Make peace not war” Vietnam war protest
 - Pink Floyd was a popular psychedelic rock band
 - The Beatles also influenced the psychedelic rock with songs like day in the life and Sgt Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club
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Our essays

- Psychedelics and their impact in the 60s
 - Counter argument: Other art movements were more influential

 - Cars in the 60s
 - The 60s is the most influential time period for modern cars
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Television

- Television began to become a news source.
 - First presidential debate was televised on september 26th, 1960
 - NASCAR first aired from daytona florida on February 12th 1960
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