Andy Warhol

Andy Warhol was a painter and a film-maker. He is one of the 20th century's best-known artists. He became famous in the 1960s through a series of "Pop art" paintings of soup cans, film stars and car crashes.

Andy Warhol is born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He is the son of Czech immigrants. He goes to a commercial art school. In 1949 he moves to New York City and begins a successful career in magazine illustration and advertising. He makes shoe advertisements.

In 1962, he becomes an overnight sensation when he shows his pictures of Campbell's Soup cans. He is the leader of Pop art, which takes its subjects from the worlds of advertising, packaging, and television. Sometimes he duplicates his pictures with variations of colours. He makes the famous portraits of Marilyn Monroe.

Andy Warhol writes books. He also makes films. Several of these have one-word titles: *Trash*, *Bad* and *Sleep.* When he dies in 1987 he leaves a fabulous fortune. But opinions on him are divided. To some he is a genius, to others just a brilliant con man.

Find and underline the similar meaning:

painter	firefighter	**artist**	rebel
famous	happy	expensive	well-known
can	gun	tin	fun
car crash	traffic accident	vintage race	exhaust noise
immigrant	stranger	beggar	minute man
thrash	rubbish	value	drink
fabulous	sweet	clean	fantastic
con man	teacher	swindler	winner
opinion	point of no return	point of view	ckeckpoint
genius	half-wit	fool	master

Make questions (in the Present tense):

where	Andy Warhol	be from	*Where is Andy Warhol from?*
why	he	be famous	
-	you	like his pictures	
-	you	can see the poster on the wall	
-	the people	know him	
what	you	think about Warhol	