

Whenever you are in Barcelona go to Figueras, a town about 100 kilometres away. Figueras is where Salvador Dali, a world-famous painter, was born. You can visit there a collection of his works.

Dali loved to provoke people. „When I was ten,“ he said, „I wanted to be Napoleon. From that time my ambition has grown. Now I'm the master of all masters, the greatest living painter.“

Dali had a moustache that curled upward. He said they were antennas to pick up the influence of the cosmos. His paintings are a combination of dreams, imagination and deformation.



The watches are not normal watches, but „soft“ ones that look very much like candy that is melting. The watches symbolise human memory that is always on the point of losing its power.

**about:** ungefähr  
**collection:** Sammlung  
**provoke:** provozieren  
**grow, grew, grown:** wachsen  
**moustache:** Schnurrbart  
**curled:** gelockt, gedreht  
**imagination:** Vorstellung  
**deformation:** Umformung  
**candy:** Schleckzeug  
**melt:** schmelzen

## Translate:

- Er liebt es, die Leute zu provozieren. ....
- Dali wurde in Figueras geboren. ....
- Er ist der größte (großartigste) Maler. ....
- Als ich zehn war, wollte ich Maler sein. ....
- Er ist nicht ein normaler Künstler (artist). ....
- Die Uhren sehen wie Schleckzeug aus. ....
- Verlier deine Uhr nicht! .....
- Die Batterie (battery) verliert ihre Kraft. ....