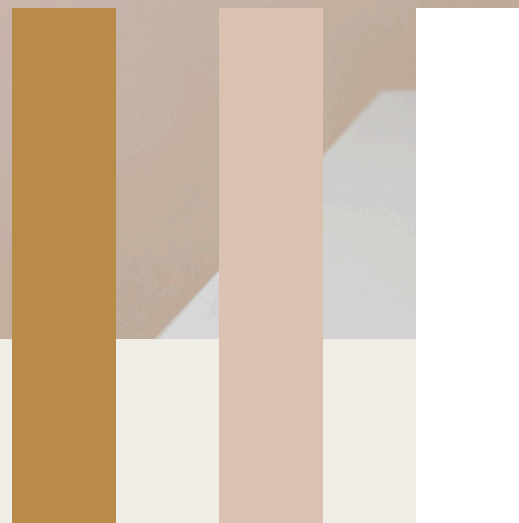


Minimalism

Maximalism

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What is maximalism and minimalism?



Do you prefer
a minimalist or
a maximalist
style? Why?

Which do you like more?



WHY?

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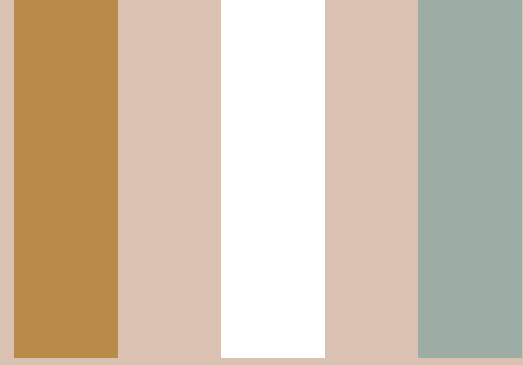


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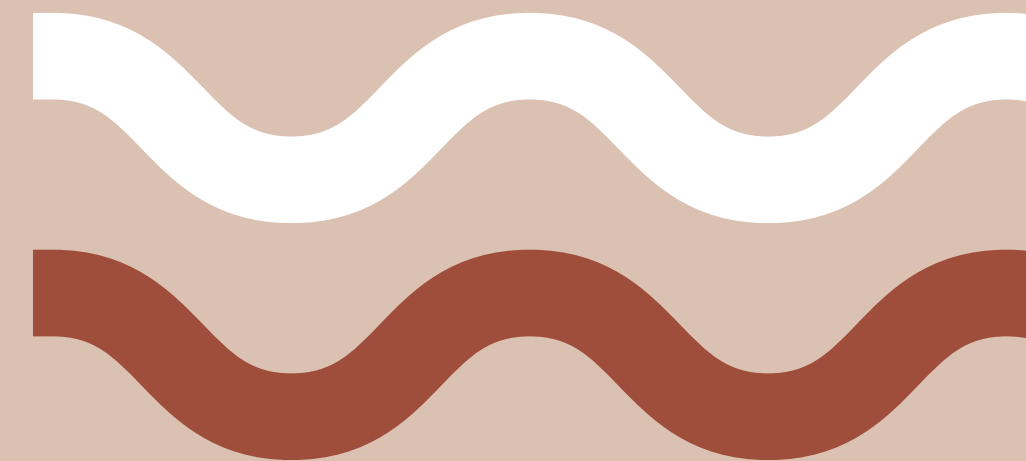


WHY?



Answer the questions.

- How do you think a minimalist or maximalist lifestyle could affect your shopping habits?
- Have you ever tried living with a minimalist or maximalist approach? What were the results?
- How do you think technology and social media have influenced maximalist and minimalist trends in recent years?



Watch the video (0-2:35) and describe the homes.

The extreme homes of maximalists and minimalists - BE
BBC Global

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BBC REEL Watch on **YouTube**

Match the expressions from the video with two styles.

more is more - it makes me feel calm - folded clothes - a massive mirror - this chandelier is just all out of proportion

minimalism

maximalism

Check your answers. What other words and expressions can you think of?

minimalism

- it makes me feel calm
- folded clothes

maximalism

- more is more
- a massive mirror
- this chandelier is just all out of proportion

"the less stuff, the
more freedom"

Do you agree?
Why? Why not?

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A minimalist interior scene with a wooden chair and a table, overlaid with a large white letter 'C'. The background is a warm, brownish-orange color. The chair is a simple, modern design with a round backrest and a seat. The table is a small, square table with a dark top and a single leg. On the table, there are some papers or books. The overall aesthetic is clean and modern.


**What are the advantages
and disadvantages of
a maximalist lifestyle?**

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A minimalist interior scene with a wooden chair and a table, overlaid with a large white letter 'C'. The background is a warm, brownish-orange color. The chair is a simple, modern design with a rounded backrest and four legs. The table is a small, square table with a dark top and a single leg. A stack of papers or books is on the table. The overall aesthetic is clean and modern.

What are the advantages and disadvantages of a minimalist lifestyle?

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Do you find it easy or
difficult to let go of things
that you no longer need
or use?



What are some items you own that you consider to be part of your maximalist style?

Explain the meaning.

approach

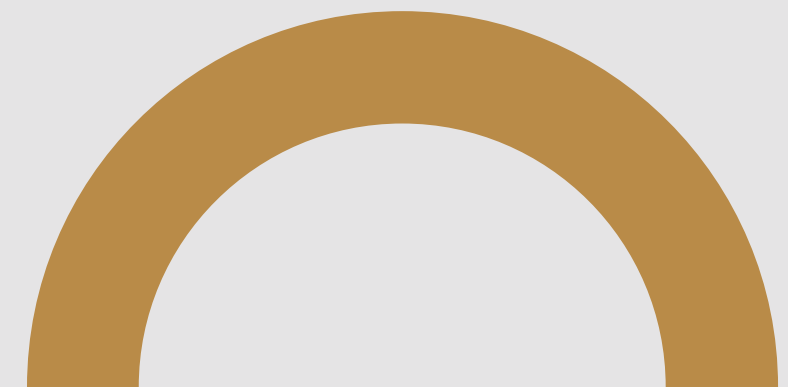
massive

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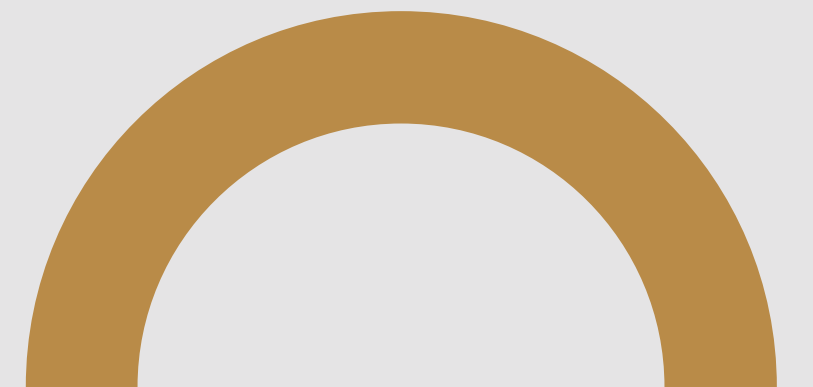
chandelier

let go



Complete the sentence.

Sometimes it's hard to
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favourite toy or a pet.

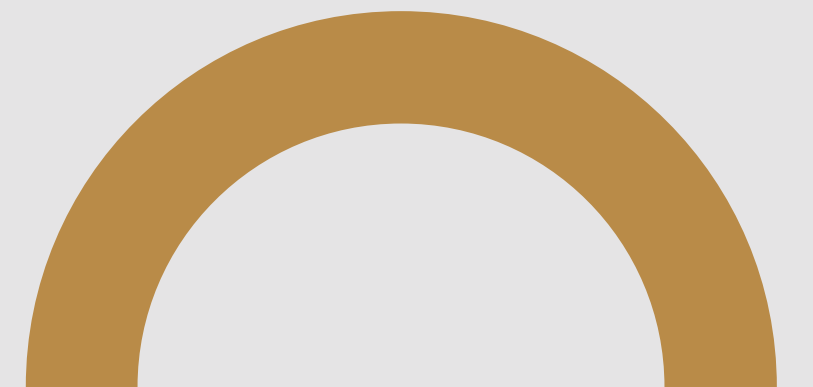


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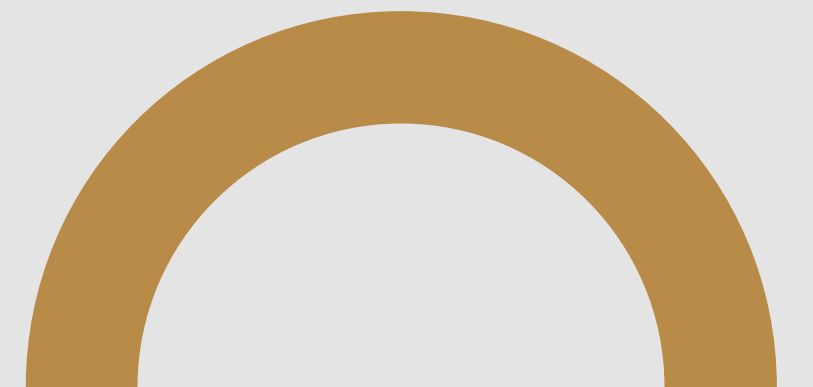
Complete the sentence.

My teacher's to
teaching maths is very
interactive.



Complete the sentence.

My teacher's approach to
teaching maths is very
interactive.

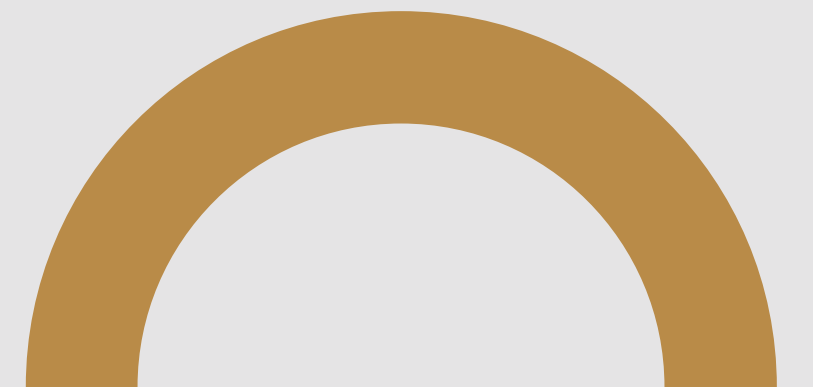


Complete the sentence.

My mom asked me to put
away the clothes in
my dresser.

Complete the sentence.

My mom asked me to put
away the folded clothes
in my dresser.



Complete the sentence.

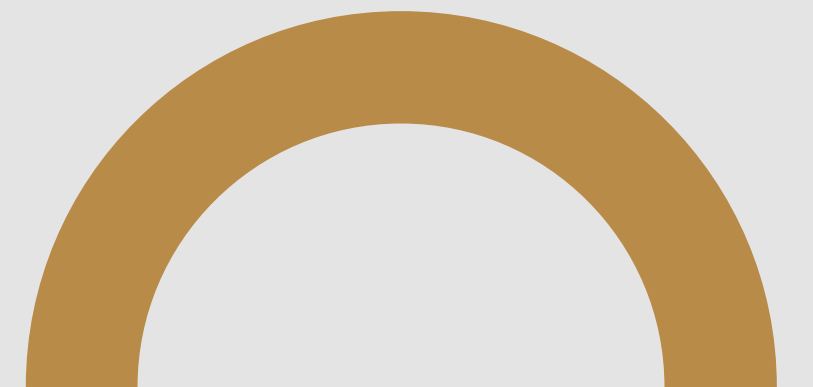
The boy's reaction to not getting his way was out of and he threw a tantrum.

Complete the sentence.

The boy's reaction to not getting his way was out of proportion and he threw a tantrum.

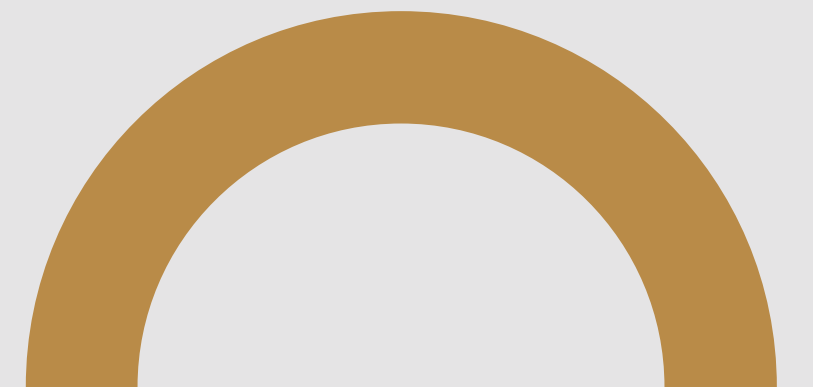
Complete the sentence.

The elephant at the zoo
was and
impressive to see.



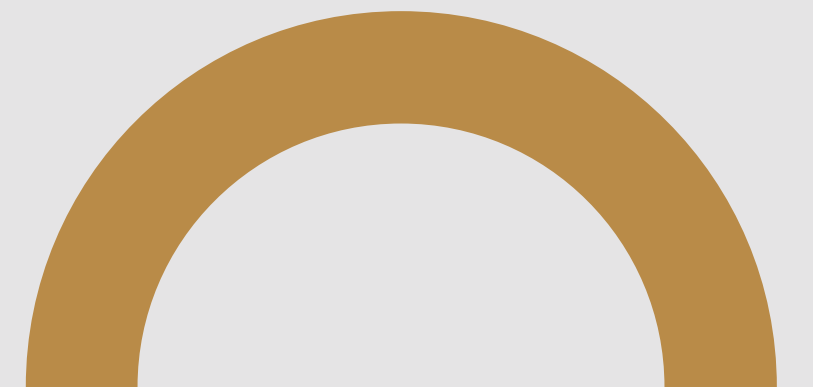
Complete the sentence.

The elephant at the zoo
was massive and
impressive to see.



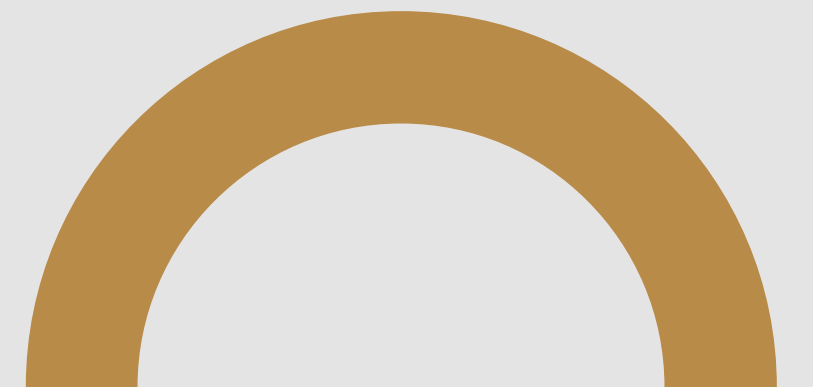
Complete the sentence.

The in the
ballroom sparkled and
shone brightly.



Complete the sentence.

The chandelier in the ballroom sparkled and shone brightly.





Describe the picture

Try to use:

- folded
- let go
- approach





Describe the picture

Try to use:

- chandelier
- massive
- proportion





Choose one room and describe it.





Choose one room and describe it.



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