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Figure 1.1 for Question 1

*Weekend, 2021*  
Digital Illustration



**Turn over**

**Figure 2.1 for Question 2**

Open Field, 2000  
Light projection on recessed wall and constructed stairs  
Installation with two views



**Figure 2.2 for Question 2**



**Figure 2.3 for Question 2**

The Weather Project, 2003  
Mono-frequency lights on circular screen,  
ceiling of aluminium frames with mirror foil and artificial mist  
Frontal view of installation





**Figure 3.1 for Question 3**

GO, SAID THE BIRD, 2015  
Selection from a series of paintings

*The Kingdom*, 2015  
Oil on canvas, 180 × 150 cm



**Figure 3.2 for Question 3**

GO, SAID THE BIRD, 2015  
Selection from a series of paintings

*Empire*, 2015  
Oil on canvas, 180 × 150 cm



### Figure 3.3 for Question 3

Tiger Tiger, 1958  
Linocut print on paper, 51 × 83 cm



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