**Design Vocab**

**Attributes**

Formatting that you have applied to an object to affect its appearance.

**Average**

Command used to align two or more points on the horizontal, vertical, or both axes.

**Caps**

Applied to the ends of stroked paths, and are offered in three varieties: Butt, Round, and Projecting.

**Corner point**

The place where the endpoints of two straight segments are united.

**Direction lines**

Lines that are exposed when you use the Direct Selection tool to select a point on a curved line.

**Direction points**

Handles at the ends of the direction lines that are used to reshape a curve.

**Edge**

Comparable to a stroke; where two overlap, a third is created and can be filled with its own color.

**Embed**

Button used to copy and paste a placed file into an Illustrator document.

**Insertion mode**

A mode used to add new objects into a Live Paint group.

**Join**

Command used to unite two anchor points when the two points are positioned in different locations on the artboard.

**Joins**

Define the appearance of the corner when two stroked paths form a corner point.

**Live Paint group**

A group of "live" regions filled with new colors that maintain a dynamic relationship with each other.

**Live Paint Selection tool**

Tool used to select multiple regions in a Live Paint group.

**Marquee**

A rectangular, dotted line that surrounds the area over which you have dragged the Zoom tool.

**Paths**

Lines that can be drawn using the Pen tool.

**Region**

Comparable to a fill; where two regions overlap, a third is created and can be painted with its own color.

**Smooth points**

Anchor points created by clicking and dragging the Pen tool resulting in a curved path between the points.