Romanticism

Third year classes

Romanticism (also the Romantic era or the Romantic period) was an artistic, literary, and intellectual movement that originated in Europe toward the end of the 18th century and in most areas was at its peak in the approximate period from 1800 to 1850. Partly a reaction to the Industrial Revolution, [1]

it was also a revolt against the aristocratic social and political norms of the <u>Age of Enlightenment</u> and a reaction against the scientific <u>rationalization</u> of nature



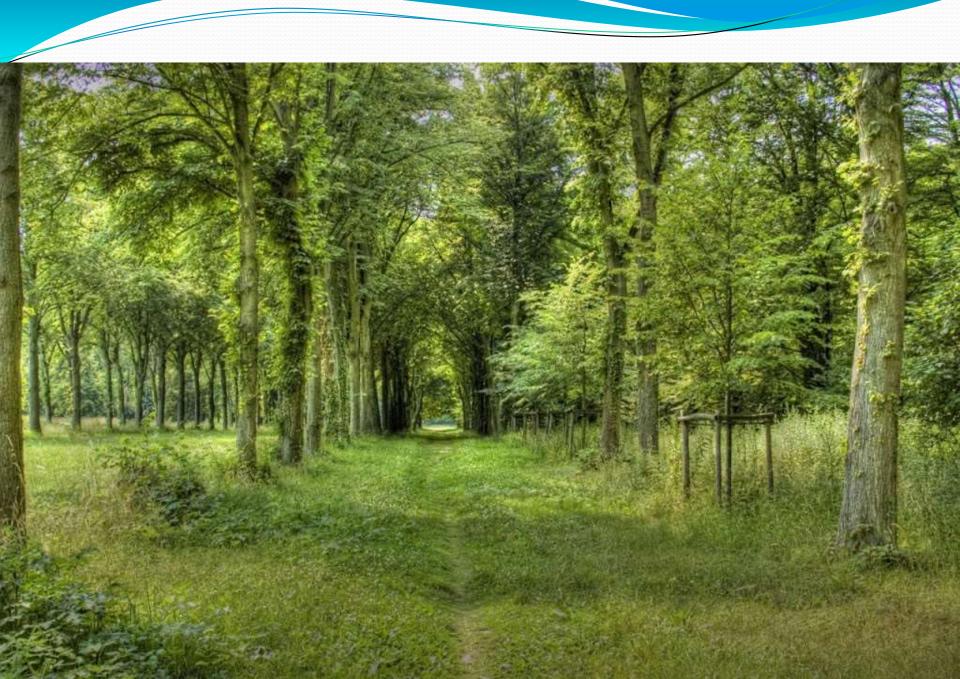












William Blake
William Wordsworth
Samuel Taylor Coleridge
George Gordon, Lord Byron
Percy Bysshe Shelley Ode to the
West Wind
John Keats

Poets such as William Wordsworth were actively engaged in trying to create a new kind of poetry that emphasized intuition over reason and the pastoral over the urban, often eschewing consciously poetic language in an effort to use more colloquial language



Regards

