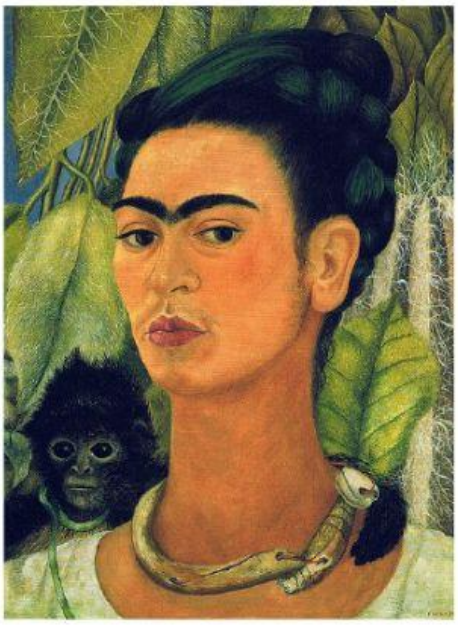
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SPECIFIC OR GENERAL?

Look at the famous painting Self-portrait with a monkey" by Frida Kahlo



Complete the description of the painting with the correct article: *a/an/the/ --.*

There is *a/an/the/* -- woman from the neck up in the middle of *a/an/the/* -- painting. She has her hair in a bun tied with a green ribbon. Also, there's *a/an/the/* -- necklace around *a/an/the/* -- woman's neck. This necklace is made of segments of bone connected by a thin red cord.

At the back, there are *a/an/the/* -- some green plants with *a/an/the/* -- big leaves. With this background, the woman in the painting is highlighted towards the viewer. There's *a/an/the/* -- black baby monkey on the left of *a/an/the/* -- woman. *a/an/the/* -- monkey's hand is around *a/an/the/* -- woman's neck. It seems the monkey wants to protect her. Also, there's *a/an/the/* -- green ribbon around *a/an/the/* -- monkey's neck. In Mexican mythology, the monkey symbolizes lust, but here it is shown as tender and affectionate.