

Each week select one activity from the following to complete. Samples of each activities are also listed.

Activity 1: Origami – Rabbit

-Materials: White Paper, Pencil, Color Pencils, Markers, Scissors, Ruler

-Directions:

- 1.) Make sure that white paper is a perfect square. Use your ruler to make sure all sides are the same, preferably no smaller than 3 inches x 3 inches. Cut to size.
- 2.) Take your paper and fold it in half diagonally. This will create a triangle. Make sure it is a clean fold and corners are lined up.
- 3.) Place triangle with point facing down and fold on top.
- 4.) Bend left and right corners up to create ears. You might have to put slight pressure to keep the ears folded down.
- 5.) Fold a small portion of bottom corner up to form a chin. You may also have to place some pressure.
- 6.) Flip paper so that the folds are on the back.
- 7.) Draw your rabbit's face and add details like fur, bow, carrot, etc. in pencil
- 7.) Color your rabbit.

Activity 2: Tempera Painting – Ice Cream Cone

-Materials: White Paper, Construction Paper, Pencil, Eraser, Tempera Paints (white, black, and color of choice), Paintbrush, Palette, Water, Paper Towel, Brown Marker, Yellow Crayon, Scissors, Glue

-Additional Materials: Placemat, Apron or T-Shirt

-Directions: (we had started working on this in class, but did not get a chance to finish)

- 1.) On the white paper, draw 4 ice cream scoops and cone. Draw diagonal lines on the cone to add detail of texture.
- 2.) Use brown marker to trace pencil marks on cone. Color in with yellow crayon.
- 3.) Select one color of paint which will be your hue. You are to mix the hue and white to create tints. Paint 2 ice cream scoops to be the tints. One will be slightly lighter than the other.
- 4.) Mix the hue with black to create shades/shadows. Paint the last 2 ice cream scoops to be the shades. One will be slightly darker than the other.
- 5.) Set painting aside to dry. Approximately 10 minutes.
- 6.) Once dry, cut out ice cream scopes and cone.

7.) Glue pieces on a separate construction paper. Arrange ice cream scoops from lightest (top) to darkest (bottom). Ice cream scoops may slightly overlap.

Activity 3: Drawing – *Springtime Animal*

-Materials: 2 White Papers, Pencil, Eraser, Markers, Crayons, Paintbrush, Water, Scissors, Glue

-Directions:

- 1.) On the first white paper, use markers and crayons to draw large flowers without stems. Draw several to cover the page, especially along the top and sides. I suggest using bright colors!
- 2.) From each flower, draw green stems that connect to the bottom of the paper. Use crayon and marker for each one.
- 3.) With your paintbrush, dip in water and trace over your flowers using brush strokes. The colors from the markers will bleed to create an effect. Be careful to not use too much water! A lot of water can accidentally cause a hole. Set aside to dry, approximately 10 minutes.
- 4.) On the second white paper, you are to draw the face and shoulders of either a fox or bunny.
- 5.) In each section, sketch lines to create rows. Make sure to sketch lightly so that you can erase later.
- 6.) With a black marker, trace the outline of your animal and in each row draw short vertical/diagonal lines. This will help with the illusion of the animal's fur texture. The further the lines are apart, the lighter the fur will seem. The closer and tighter, the darker the fur.
- 7.) Cut out animal and glue on flowers. Be sure your flowers are dry before gluing.

Activity 4: Collage – *Waves*

-Materials: Construction Papers (Blue, White, Brown, Black), Pencil, Eraser, White Crayon, Scissors, Glue

-Directions:

- 1.) You will be using "*The Great Wave of Kanagawa*" as inspiration. This famous art piece was created by Japanese artist, Katsushika Hokusai. What do you see? Is there something in the waves?
- 2.) On the black construction paper, you are going to sketch your version of "*The Great Wave*." Your wave may be on the left or right. You can have one or two. To draw a wave, think of it like a triangle that stretches and curves over.
- 3.) With the brown construction paper, sketch 2-3 boats and cut out to glue on your wave.
- 4.) With the blue and white construction papers, you will tear into pieces of various sizes to glue on your wave. White should go along the top of your wave with the blue filling in the rest. Try not to use your scissors for this step.
- 5.) Using the white crayon, color in lightly the background to create a mist appearance.

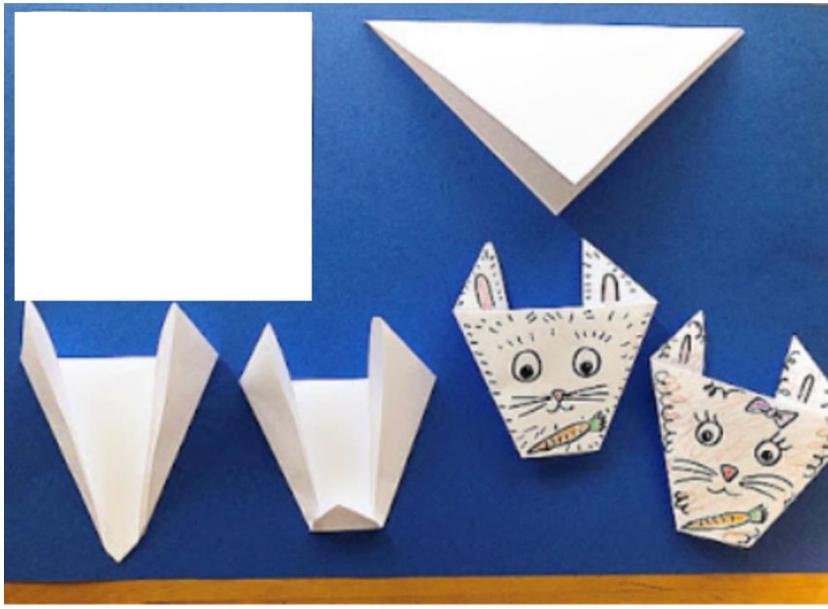
Activity 5: Drawing – *Color Wheel Name*

-Materials: White Paper, Pencil, Eraser, Ruler, Crayons or Color Pencils

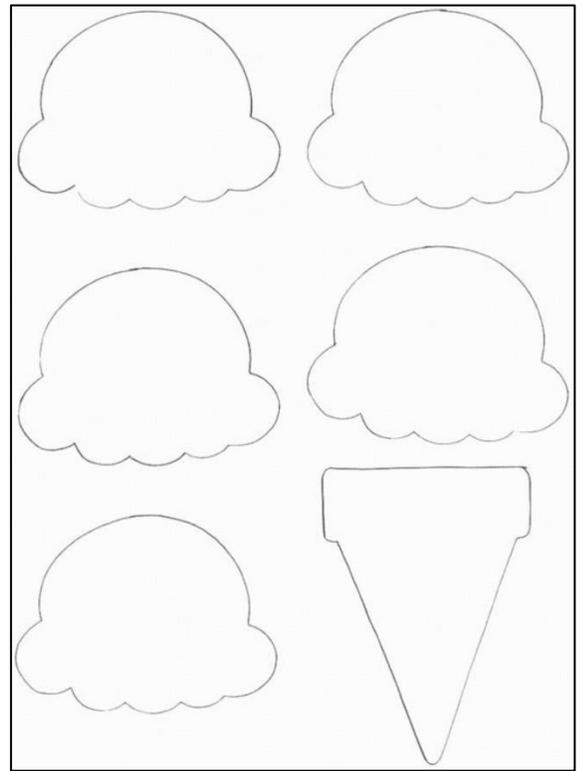
-*Directions:* (Primary Colors: are colors that cannot be created; Red, Yellow, Blue. Secondary Colors: are colors created from mixing two Primary Colors; Green, Purple, Orange. Complimentary Colors: are colors that match well, one from Primary and one from Secondary; Red & Green, Yellow & Purple, and Blue & Orange.)

- 1.) Place paper horizontally.
- 2.) Sketch your name or nickname in the center of the paper using big block letters.
- 3.) Using your ruler, draw a horizontal line in the middle going across your name to edges of the paper.
- 4.) Draw two diagonal lines from each corner that it forms a wide "X" on the paper. Be sure the crossing point connects with the horizontal line.
- 5.) Coloring on the outside of your letters, each triangle section will have one color. Color in the order of Red, Orange, Yellow, Green, Blue, Purple. These are Primary and Secondary Colors. Do not color inside the letters. May use crayons or color pencils.
- 6.) To color the inside of the letters you must look for the correct complimentary color. Ex: If the triangle is Purple, then the parts of the letter in this section will be Yellow. Use crayons or color pencils.

Activity 1



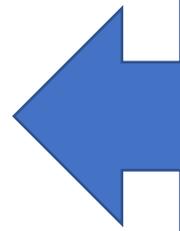
Activity 2



Activity 3



Activity 4



Katsushika Hokusai
"The Great Wave off
Kanagawa"
1831



Activity 5

