

CREATIVITY

'You can't use up creativity. The more you use, the more you have.'
- Maya Angelou

'Wrong' hand portraits

Try drawing a self-portrait with your non-dominant hand (if you are right-handed, use your left hand and if you are left-handed, use your right) What did you find tricky about this?

Mini art challenge

Draw the below items in a miniature-style. Each drawing should be no bigger than 5cm x 5cm and you should include as much detail as possible.

- A plant/flower
- A mythical creature
- A mouth
- A treasure map
- Your hand

Rock painting

Find some pebbles and create your own story rocks. Decorate them to look like characters from a well-known story, using paint pipe cleaners, card, googly eyes etc. Add some props and then re-tell the story!

Still life drawing

Create a still life picture of an object. You might draw a piece of fruit, a vase, a cup, or a combination of objects. Use a normal pencil for this and explore how to shade the object(s) depending on where the light and shadows fall.

Creativity Challenge

What can you do with an old cereal box? You might want to design something new with, create a piece of art or use it as part of an experiment.

Share your skills

Show off your cooking skills by creating a food tutorial video. You could cook a meal or bake. If you don't want to be in front of the camera, make a recipe book

Marble run

You will need: cardboard, sticky tape and marbles. Can you build a run that keeps the marble moving for at least a minute?

Flood control

Create a flood barrier to stop a cube from getting wet. You will need: a tray, a paper cube, materials that will stop the cube from getting wet. Pour water in the tray to test your design.

Superhero

Draw someone in your life as a superhero. Design a costume for them and decide what their superpower is.

Spaghetti bridge

Design a spaghetti bridge using only spaghetti and marshmallows. How many chocolate bars can your bridge support?

Maths of me

List all the numbers associated with you: birthday, shoe size etc. Use these numbers to create a number sentence poster all about you.

Creative writing

Write a short story using this starter: It was unmistakably a conveyer belt, in the middle of the forest, disappearing into the earth.