

ArtResource2 Gr.7 March 30-April 2

Make Your Own Sketchbook:

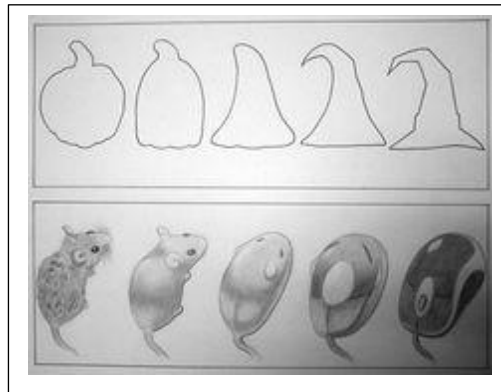


Gently open all edges of envelopes

Staple or stitch together all papers and fold

Your Own Sketchbook - Draw! Wednesday Prompt: Metamorphosis in 4-5 sketches

Metamorphosis: Use a pair of scissors or an object of your choice that you really like as a beginning point, creatively transform the object into something else- a robot, a machine, a vehicle, an animal.



Thursday Prompt: Draw an imaginary friend.

Illustration - Embellish a well-known symbol with your own creative details



Making Your Mark - Experimenting with Natural Pigments

Brown – Natural soil or earth, coffee, tea

Purple/pink/red/lilac/blue – Try blackberries, blueberries, raspberries, strawberries etc.

Red/Orange – paprika, chili powder, rust scrapings (wear gloves), terracotta pots. The best red that I achieved was using cooked blackberries and layering the color.

Black – soot or charcoal

White – chalk or even talcum powder

Yellow - try using the outer skin of an onion, or the spice turmeric which gives a beautiful golden yellow.

Green – was always a tricky color for artists to obtain, which is weird considering how much green is visible in the natural world. See if rubbings certain leaves will work.

Blue – blueberry juice with distilled vinegar, which turned blue on paper after several hours!