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HAPPY ART
HAPPY KIDS



OCTOBER

*Fall Projects, Videos &
Handouts for You!*

Happy October!

We're heading into a beautiful month...soft, colorful leaves (perfect for printmaking!), cooler days, cozy sweaters and the best part of all...an uninterrupted month of school!

I know, I know. That might feel overwhelming but I always loved October for this very reason. Children love the consistency and they are able to create so much art during this month.

Fall videos!

I can't wait for you to check out the [4 Watercolor Techniques Every Student Should Know](#) that introduces simple varieties of watercolor techniques to your classroom of students for any grade level. Let them experience first hand all the fun ways they can use watercolor!

We're excited to bring you plenty more fall inspired lesson tutorials for your students. Some will be technique focused, but most will be quick, easy lessons to do with your students and kids like our [Watercolor Trees](#), [How to Draw a Friendly Ghost](#), [How to Make a Cozy Fall Cat](#), and [How to Draw a Pumpkin in under 60 Seconds](#).

This Packet contains ALL the handouts you need for all of our October projects in one easy download.



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Art Technique



1

- With a waterproof black marker, draw a simple shape or simple subject.
- Carefully paint inside the shape with watercolor paints.
- Paint the background.
- *What happens when the paint touches?*

WATERPROOF MARKER

2

- With a wax crayon or oil pastel, draw a simple shape, subject or series of patterns or lines.
- Color in some parts of the drawing or shapes with crayon.
- Paint over the entire drawing with one color of paint.
- *Does the paint cover the lines?*

WAX RESIST

3

- With a brush dipped in water, paint over a section of paper.
- Select a color of paint and brush over the top of the wet section.
- Select another color and paint from the bottom up.
- *What happens when the paint merges?*

WET-ON-WET

4

- With a brush dipped in water, paint over a section of paper.
- Select a color of paint and brush over the top of the wet section.
- Before paint dries, sprinkle table salt over paint
- *What happens when the salt dries?*

SALTING

What to do...

- Give each student 1 sheet of watercolor paper (any size), 1 white & black oil pastel or crayon, 1 waterproof black marker (Sharpie brand is great), medium round brush and watercolor paints. Students can share water and paper towels.
- Ask students to draw a border just inside the outside edge of the paper. Then, divide the paper into 4 sections.
- Write the names of each of the 4 techniques in the sections.
- Demonstrate the techniques one at a time and allow students to complete one technique before moving onto the next. Offer the handout on the next page for drawing suggestions or allow students to draw what they wish.





Watercolor Leaves
DRAWING GUIDE

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How to Draw a GHOST

1

**DRAW A WAVY LINE
ALONG THE BOTTOM OF
THE PAPER**



2

**ADD A HUMP
THAT
CONNECTS TO
THE WAVY
LINE OR ADD
ARMS...**



3

**OPTIONAL: ADD ARMS
AFTER BODY IS MADE**



4

**DRAW EYES AND A
SCARY MOUTH**



How to Make a Paper Cat...



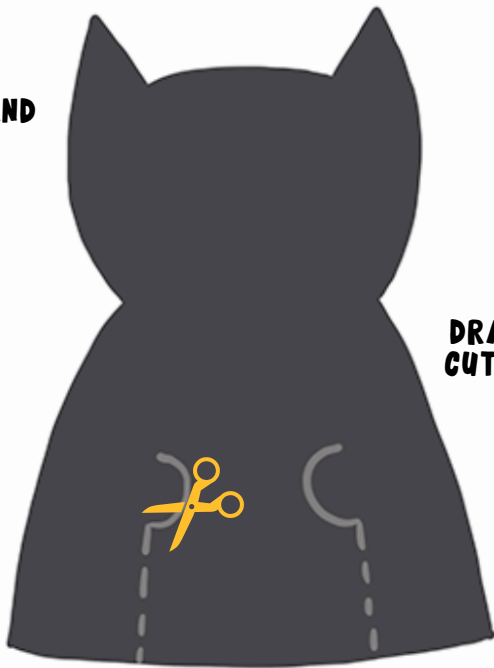
GRAB A BLACK SHEET OF PAPER



FOLD PAPER IN HALF & DRAW HALF A CAT



CUT CAT AND OPEN UP



DRAW PAWS & CUT TO BOTTOM



PAPER EYES

POM POMS



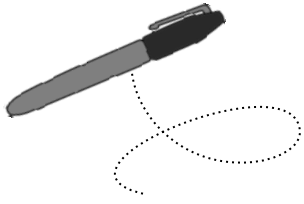
WINTER SCARF



PUMPKIN

1

DRAW A LONG TREE TRUNK WITH A BLACK MARKER. A STRAIGHT LINE WILL DO JUST FINE.



2

DRAW STYLIZED TREE BRANCHES IN ANY STYLE YOU LIKE.



3

PAINT OVER TREES WITH A LIGHT WASH OF TRANSLUCENT WATERCOLOR PAINT.

TIP: IF USING OPAQUE WATERCOLORS, PAINT BLOB FIRST, THEN DRAW OVER DRY PAINT.



How to Draw Folk Art Trees

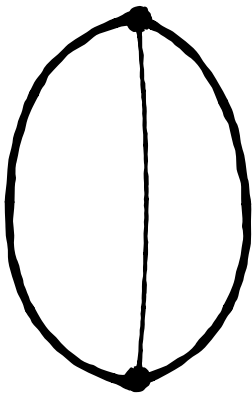
How to Draw a Pumpkin



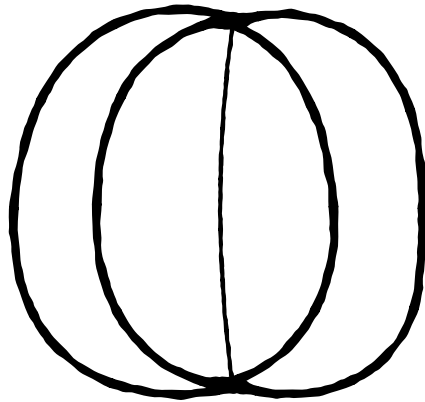
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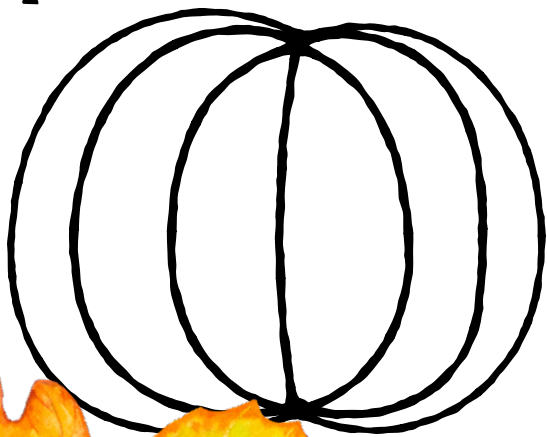
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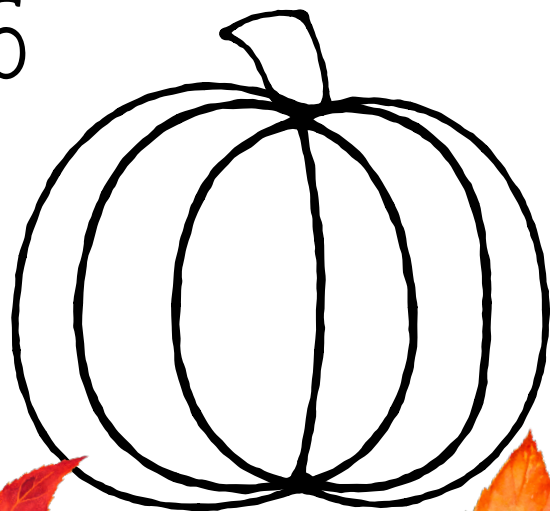
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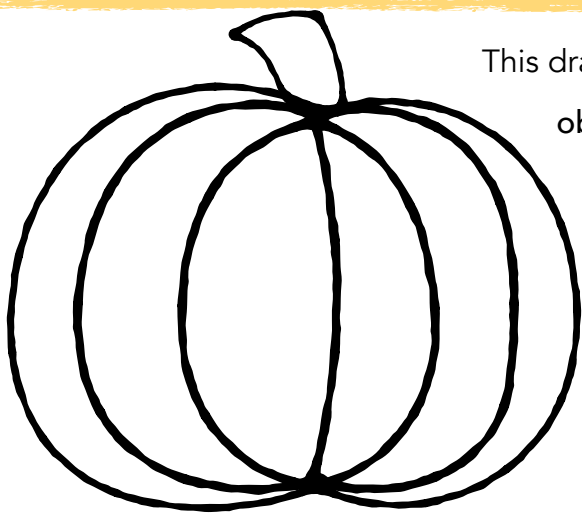


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This drawing project involves TWO styles of drawing technique: observational and guided. I like this combination approach because it's incredibly helpful to look at a real pumpkin prior to the drawing.

Through observation, younger (and even older) children will notice that a pumpkin is entirely round, but made up of segments.

Here's what to say:

- Fold the paper that is on your table in half. Take one side of the paper and fold it to meet the other side. Make a crease by smoothing your hand over the paper fold. Open up the paper.
- Make a dot on the folded line near the top of the paper. Don't touch the very top because we want to leave some room for the pumpkin to grow.
- Follow the crease or folded line towards the bottom of the paper and make another dot close, but not on, the bottom of the paper.
- Take your crayon and place it on the top dot. Draw a curved line—like a belly—from the top dot all the way to the bottom dot.
- Do the very same for the other side.
- Place your crayon on the top dot—again. This time make an even bigger belly by drawing a curved line all the way to the bottom dot. Do the same on the other side.
- Can you see what you are creating? Yes! Pumpkin segments.
- One more time. Place crayon on top dot and draw a curve line to the bottom dot. You'll have to really stretch around the segments.
- Is your pumpkin big enough? If want to add another segment, you can do it now.
- Now draw a stem on the very top of the pumpkin.



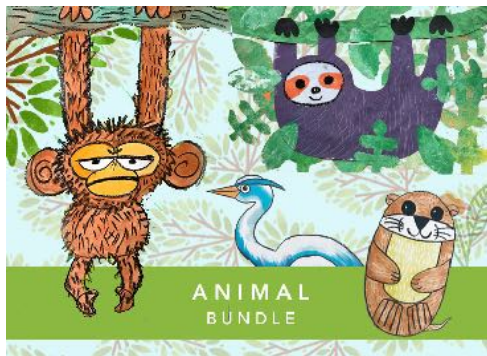
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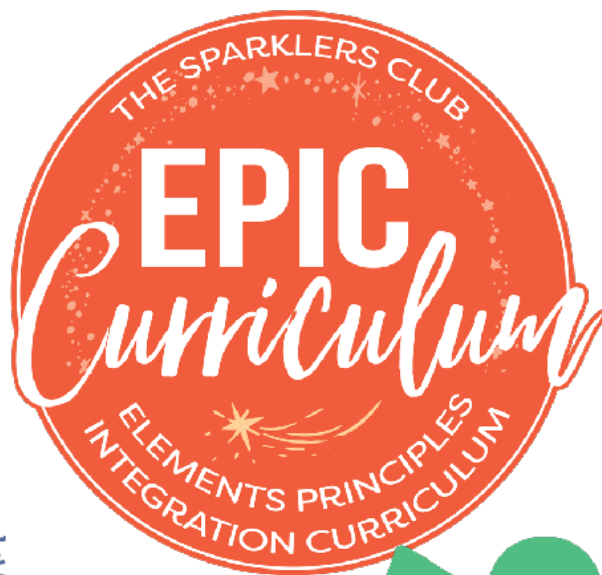


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