## Art Activities for the week of June 15, 2020 Kindergarten and First Grade

Choose one or more than one of these activities each week. I hope you find that Art can be a great activity to help you relax and connect with others. I can't wait to see what you create!

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A design has symmetry if we can draw a line through the middle of it and the two halves are mirror images of each other. If you fold a piece of paper in half and cut a shape around the fold, when you open it up, the shape will have symmetry.

## Symmetrical shapes

Fold some pieces of paper in half. Cut out shapes from the folded paper by starting and ending at the fold line. Make lots of different shapes. As long as you can fold the shapes exactly in half, the shapes have symmetry!





## Symmetry search

Look for objects at home or outside and try to decide if they have symmetry or not.. Try to find 3 items with symmetry and three objects that are not symmetrical.

## Thank you drawing/letter

Draw a picture to thank an essential worker. Take a photo of your drawing/painting and email it to me. Keep the originals in a safe place. Bring them back to school when we return and we will send them out.

## **Everyday Hero Portrait**

Think of someone who is working hard to help us stay safe. Maybe you have a family member who is working in health care or is a grocery store worker etc. Draw their portrait. Be sure to write their name and job. Email me a photo of your drawing.

#### Recreate Famous Artwork

Check the Mill Creek PTC Facebook page for the artwork that I will post. Work together with your family to find props to recreate those paintings. Post a photo in the comments section on the Facebook page.

Have fun!

## Free drawing/sculpture

You may use your imagination to do a drawing or make a sculpture of your choice, You may follow along with Art hub for kids or try to observe something very carefully and draw what you see. You may also create something using Legos, Play-Doh or any materials you have at home. Take a photo and email it to me.

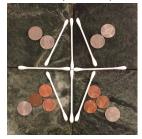
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# A design has symmetry if we can draw a line in the center and the two halves are mirror images of each other.

## Symmetrical design

Create a symmetrical design with a collection of objects. Remember that whatever you place on one side of the line of symmetry, has to match with the other side. Here's my example:



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## A design has radial symmetry when the parts of the design are arranged around a center point.

#### Radial balance design

Use found objects and arrange them symmetrically around a center point. Here is my example:



#### Radial symmetry search

Look around for examples of radial symmetry. Look in magazines, junk mail, even t-shirts. How many examples can you find?

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