

Brockton Public Schools – BHS Art Department
May 25th – May 29th, 2020

These are general art and theatre activities. Please make sure you are checking your BPS email and Microsoft TEAMS. Your art and theatre teachers are sending you activities designed specifically for your class. Teacher emails and Office hours are listed

Please click on the link to find your teachers, email addresses and office hours

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Book Cover Design: Art & English Departments



Challenge:

Design a book cover, that visually represents characters, events, settings, and ideas, all in a single image. This activity is to design a book cover for your book or book about your life. Watch this video from Jason Reynolds, the National Ambassador for Young Adult Literature: <https://www.loc.gov/item/webcast-9143/>.

The Writing Process

Think about story you would be interested in reading: what is it about? (You can be the author, or design a book cover for your favorite author. You could also think about your autobiography or memoir in the future. Write a brief description of the book (one paragraph).

The Design Process:

Materials: You may any media available to you: pencil, pen, colored pencil, paint, Powerpoint, Adobe Photoshop, any sort of digital software that you have access to.

1. **Research** - look at other cover designs within your genre. What palettes do they use? What kind of imagery do they have? What type of style do they choose?

2. **Brainstorm** - Show, don't tell. Make a list or visual map of images, colors, and symbols that you could use to communicate the key ideas of the book. A great way to avoid being too literal and expositional with your design is to experiment with using symbols to represent a larger idea or concept.
3. **Choose your media** – Digital, drawing, painting, etc.
4. **Use color, typography that represents the genre of your book.** Consider what colors and font you would use for a mystery or horror book rather than a romance or memoir
5. Use your artistic flair to create a unique book cover that visually represents the genre, characters, events and setting of the book.

STREET ART

Website: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1P47i09QC-Q>

Street Art is always a genre of art that I am in awe of! There are many street artists in various communities throughout the world! Do you see Street Art around your city? Is there a Street Artist you follow? What are some images you like to see portrayed in Street Art?



Watch the above video and please answer the following questions

Do you see Street Art around your city?

Is there a Street Artist you follow?

What are some images you like to see portrayed in Street Art?

What would inspire you to create your own Street Art?

Next: Design a piece of street art. What will your message be? How will you visually communicate that message?



Loo Roll Art Challenge!

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...so, we're all stuck indoors and might be getting a little bored. Time to get your creative hat on!

Hopefully your household successfully got some toilet roll before it was all brought up!

The PINKFOOT GALLERY have set a fun challenge for you to let your inner artist shine.

With some very basic equipment you can give this challenge a go, maybe even challenge your family to get involved too.

You can follow the hints and tips below or free-style it!

When you're finished you can submit your masterpiece to the collection by simply adding the hashtag

#pinkfootloorollchallenge

Check out the 'Pinkfoot Gallery' Facebook page on the link below:

<https://www.facebook.com/pinkfootgallery/>



Hints & Tips



1. You will need:
- Loo roll
 - Basic drawing or painting equipment
 - Possibly an image for inspiration

2. If you are struggling for inspiration then you could find an image on the internet or in a book to copy.

Once you've got an image in mind, you can draw/paint it straight on to the loo roll or you could draw a light / rough guide to what you want to draw before starting.



3. Don't forget this is a three-dimensional piece of art, your drawing / painting should stretch at least two thirds of the way around, if not all the way around! Consider your full composition before you start.

4. Don't forget to be resourceful... even with a basic biro pen you can apply tone and shade with cross-hatching. If you want to paint but don't have any paints, what about using tea / coffee for staining or use food colouring?



5. Above all...have FUN & ENJOY!

Theatre / Film

View the short 3 minute film titled 'THE SKY IS CLEARING'.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3J7dIRE2jxA>

Does it do what it is supposed to in the world of film making? Is its message communicated in a positive way? Do you feel uplifted? Sad? Was it very inclusive as a film? What else should it have included? You don't have to answer all of the questions but let them serve as a guide to help you write a short response on what you are thinking about as you watch



[The Sky is Clearing - An Inspirational Film | Coronavirus Pandemic](#)

"Yes, there is sickness, but there does not have to be disease of the soul." The World is now rebooting for Coronavirus pandemic situation. For these Novel Coronavirus over 165,000 people have died till now from all over the World. The most effected countries are China, Italy, USA, Spain, Germany, Iran, France and many more. Government are ...

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Time Out - The best theatre to watch online right now

<https://www.timeout.com/theatre/best-streaming-theatre-shows-how-to-watch-online>

A new musical every Friday at 2 pm Eastern, available for 48 hours