# Brockton Public Schools – Middle School Art Department June 15<sup>th</sup> – June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020

These are general art activities. Please make sure you are checking your school email or Clever page. Your art teacher is sending you activates designed specifically for your class.

STAR WARS Character Drawing with Mr. Lynott https://youtu.be/K56YhrWcp9U

**The Eye Project...** "The eye is the window to the soul" by William Shakespeare

**Objective:** Create art that expresses an idea or emotion **Materials:** Pencil, paper, eraser, computer

**Step1:** Click on the link below for a demonstration on how to draw an eye....DRAW BIG <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v8ZF9fgPE-0&t=225s</u>

Step 2: Draw the Reflection Inside and around the ey. Draw what the eye is looking at?
WHAT IS YOUR MESSAGE? What do you feel strongly about or like?
Ideas: It can be serious...funny...sad...anger....something you love or feel strongly about....

## It is a reflection; it is what the eye is seeing.





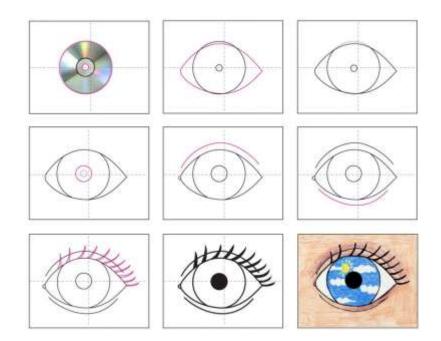






#### Some choices/ideas can be- How and what do you want to express?

- Draw an eye with a reflection inside
- Draw an eye with a reflection inside and around it
- Draw half a face with eyesDraw a full face with great eyes (challenge yourself)



## **Figure Sculpture**

## **Giacometti Action Figure**

Please watch this video about Alberto Giacometti art by a young boy at The Tate Museum in England. <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9jeBISIIVgo</u>

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You will need a piece of kitchen foil – a piece a bit bigger than A4 / Letters size is good to start with.

Have a look at the photo below to see how you can segment the foil into pieces that will become the head, arms, legs, and torso of your person.



Draw out the guidelines on your own piece of foil, and then cut along them.

Next, use your hands to scrunch up the foil sections to make your person.



Once you've got the idea of how the flat kitchen foil can be sectioned out and scrunched up, you can have fun creating all sorts of different figures.

Move your foil figure to recreate some of the stick figures you have drawn. The arms, legs, back, and neck will all bend easily so you can carefully re-position your person.

You can also use additional pieces of foil to make more people.

Try to make your figure stand, run, even do yoga!

Maybe you can get your sculpture to stand up on its own? This is quite hard, as you need to play around with the balance of your person and their center of gravity.



OR...

#### Photography



<u>Goal</u>

Students will use their cell phones or camera to photograph found objects around their home that create the shape of letters to spell their name or a word.

#### How can objects be used to create what would appear to be a letter of the alphabet?

#### Requirements:

All letters MUST be made out of a found object creating that shape.

No letters off of signage can be used, that's cheating because it is already an existing letter.

Try to use different objects to make up each letter

Once you photograph all the letter use an editing app (photopea.com or another if you like)



