

ARTWORKS 15 DAY CHALLENGE

K-12 AT-HOME ART ACTIVITIES



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Guidelines

HOW IT WORKS

The Center for Arts-Inspired Learning has created the ArtWorks 15-Day Challenge to promote arts integrated learning during school closures. We want our scholars to have the opportunity to get creative and have some fun during this time.

In this packet you will find prompts and activities that connect to literacy, science, math, engineering, health, leadership, and emotions. There are activities to try on your own or some to try with a partner.

Scholars can choose activities at the following levels: **Beginner** (Age 5-8) **Intermediate** (Age 9-13) **Advanced** (Age 14-18)

GET CREATIVE!

We challenge you to be any type of artist you want so options and prompts are provided that encourage you to:

DRAW IT: Draw a picture

MAKE IT: Create something new using found materials around you

WRITE IT: Write a story or a poem

SPEAK IT: Tell a story or recite a poem

DANCE IT: Create or learn new dance moves

SNAP IT: Take a picture or video

SING IT: Create or learn a song

SHARE IT: Share what you made with someone else or post it online

GET SOCIAL(LY DISTANT)!

If you have connection to the internet you can also share out what you create online using YouTube, TikTok or any other social media platforms using the following hashtags:

#ArtWorksChallenge #ArtsInspiredLearning #CALCreators

DISCLAIMER: Any youth under the age of 13 must have parental permission to view or post artistic creations online.

ADDITIONAL DETAILS

Daily follow along videos will be released as a way for scholars to continually connect and have visual instructions and guidelines for each challenge.

For activities where supplies are needed, you will either find templates in this packet or we have provided a list of common household items you can use.

INTERNET/TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES

Learn more about accessing free internet and tech resources that are available to eligible families with K-12 students:

Free Internet (includes installation) from Spectrum

Call 1-844-488-8395

Free Laptops from Tri-C/PC's for People

Call 216-777-4441 or email ohio@pcsforpeople.com



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DAY 5'S CHALLENGE: UPCYCLE

MAKE IT

BEGINNER: Saving money is important. Let's make a Piggy Bank!

Supplies:

- empty milk or juice jug or plastic bottle
- black sharpie
- glue or tape
- scissors
- toilet paper rolls or egg carton
- pink pipe cleaners if you have it

Instructions:

1. Color in black spots on the milk jug
2. Color the cap of the jug black
3. Draw on the eyes
4. Let's make ears! Using paper, cut out cardboard or a cut up toilet paper roll or paper towel roll, make a triangle shape and color it black
5. If you have pipe cleaners, coil the pipe cleaner and glue or tape on them onto the ears. if you don't have pipe cleaners, be creative and add some pink fabric, paper, or draw on the inside of the ears
6. Glue or tape the ears to the milk jug
7. Cut some circles of toilet paper rolls or egg carton to make the legs
8. Glue to the milk jug
9. With the scissors, cut the opening for the money. (Ask an adult for help)
10. Share what you made on social media with #ArtWorksChallenge and #Upcycle



Milk Jug
Piggy Bank Craft



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INTERMEDIATE: It's time to have fun!!! Let's Play Foosball

Supplies:

- shoebox
- two tubes/rods/sticks
- ruler
- pencil
- paper
- cardboard – from a cereal box
- scissors
- tape
- ball

Instructions:

1. Find sticks or rods. For instance, take the cardboard rods off of your clothes hangers
2. Use the scissors to make holes in the side of the shoebox to fit your rods/sticks
3. Make the goals by cutting a hole in each end of the box. Make sure that the ping pong ball can fit through easily
4. Cut rectangles from cereal box cardboard to be the players. Design them how you want
5. Decorate the outside of the box with duct tape. Or just leave it plain and start playing
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ADVANCED: Make it fashion! Make necklaces out of an old t-shirt

Supplies:

- soft cotton t-shirt
- ruler
- scissors

Instructions:

1. Lay the shirt on a flat surface; cut off the hem and discard. Then cut the body of the shirt horizontally into strips approximately 3/4 of an inch long. (They will actually be loops.)
2. One at a time, pull the loops open and stretch until the fabric starts to curl. Stack the loops on top of one another so that all the T-shirt side seams are in the same spot
3. Once you have the thickness you desire, wrap the seams with a scrap piece of fabric (about 6 inches long) from the same shirt. Tuck the end of the scrap under itself
4. We challenge you to make as many different accessories as you such such as bracelets, anklets, rings or other creative ideas and share it on social media using #ArtWorksChallenge and #Upcycle



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SPEAK IT WRITE IT SING IT

BEGINNER:

Let's sing Twinkle, Twinkle with the original lyrics, then upcycle the song by choosing new words to fill in the blanks below.

Original

Twinkle, twinkle, little star
How I wonder what you are
Up above the world so high
Like a diamond in the sky
Twinkle, twinkle, little star
How I wonder what you are

Upcycled

Twinkle, twinkle, _____ star
How I _____ what you are
Up above the _____ so high
Like a _____ in the sky
Twinkle, twinkle, _____ star
How I _____ what you are

Sing your new song. Does it mean the same thing?

INTERMEDIATE:

Take the 15th line from your favorite book and use it as the first line of a new poem or song. Write it on the lines below.

Example: The 15th line of the Song "Lift Every Voice and Sing" is "have not our weary feet." This then becomes the first line of the following example poem:

Have not our weary feet
Seen better days
Have not our tired hands
Held harder nights
But morning comes, brings a new day
And this new light, washing troubles away
Tells me it'll be alright



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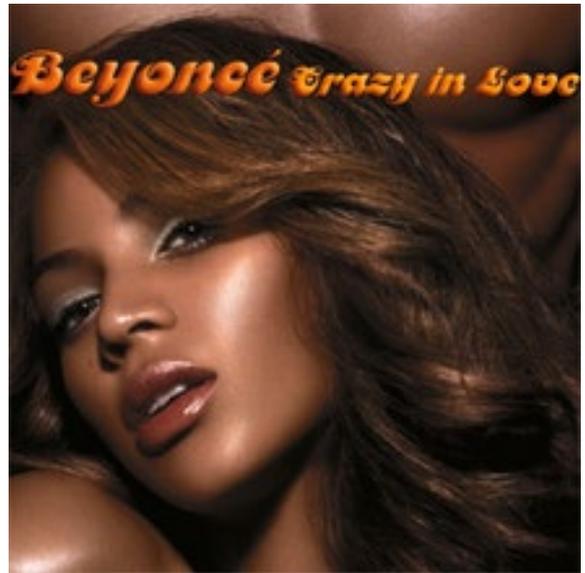
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DANCE IT

BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED:

Take your favorite popular dance moves and put them to an iconic song that is at least 10 years old, such as Michael Jackson's Beat It or even an older Beyoncé song like Crazy in Love. We challenge you to share what you come up with on TikTok using the hashtags #Upcycle #UpcycleDance.



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