

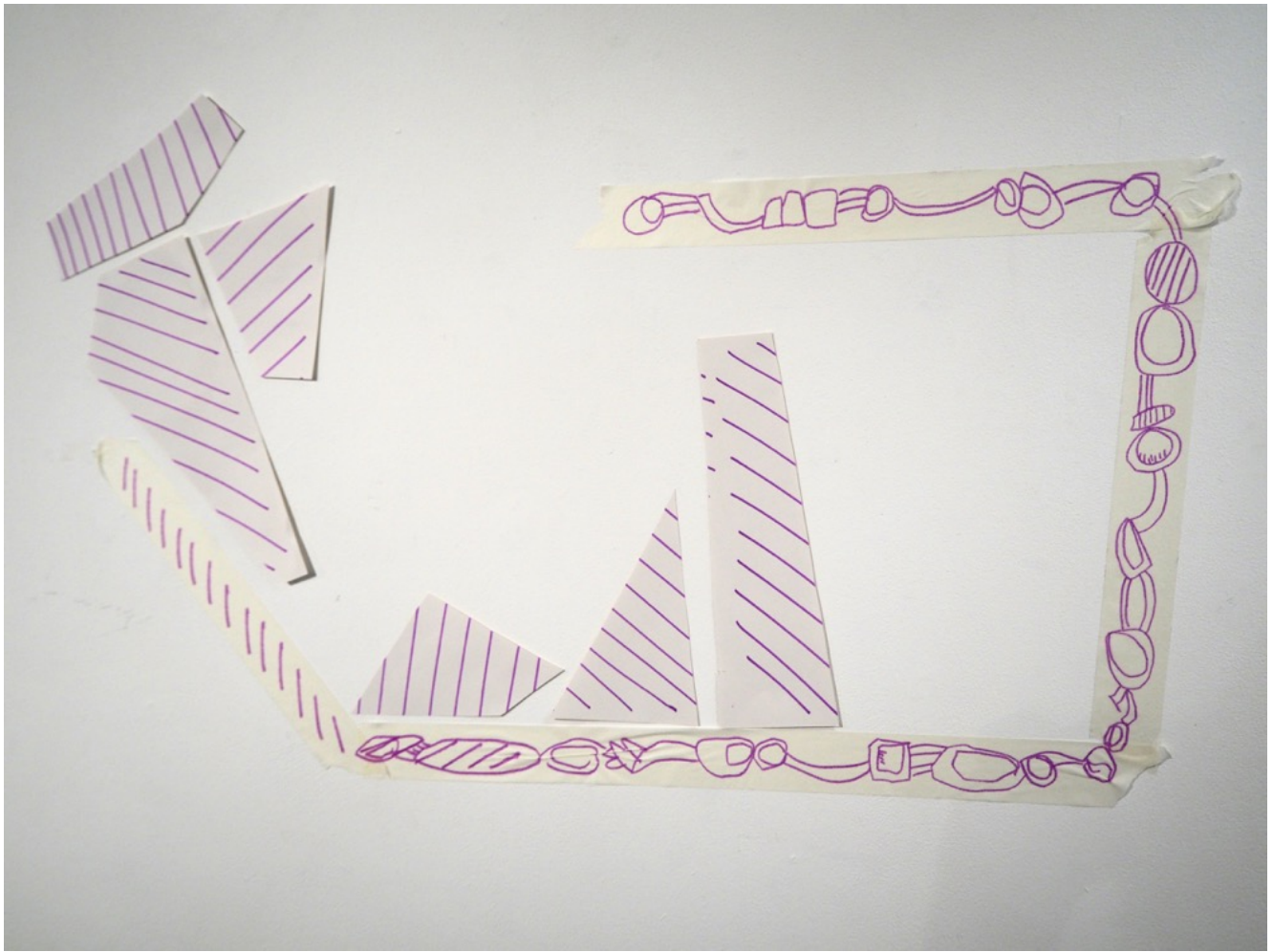
Wall Drawings with Tape

By [Melissa Pierce Murray](#)

In this session we used wide masking tape, paper and coloured markers to make large temporary wall drawings. The walls became immense extendable canvases and the studio a gallery space which we filled with dramatic and intimate artworks. Working this way allows you quickly create large compositions, by 'drawing' directly on the walls, and can be easily removed.

We could easily cover large areas of the wall using several methods:

- creating coloured patterns on paper to cut out shapes and tape to the wall
- sticking straight or curved lines of plain masking tape to the walls and then drawing directly on the tape
- using coloured electrical tape, or string or scrunched paper to create different textures.



Sticking tape and cut-out shapes to create wall drawings

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Classical Inks

Abstract Face – Relief Sculptures

In this construction and painting resource, students make an abstract face, relief sculpture from cardboard, adding colour, texture and metal findings. This resource was inspired by the work of Kimmy Cantrell, a self-taught contemporary artist who uses asymmetry to question long-established views around beauty.

Nib & Ink Mark Making Still Life

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The Wildflower Meadow

Rachel Burch, Head of Art at Burton Hathow Preparatory School and her pupils explore simple drawing, collaging and painting techniques to create beautiful artworks inspired by a summer meadow.

Painting A Rainbow Forest

Rachel Burch, Head of Art at Burton Hathow Preparatory School and her pupils paint their own large scale, colourful forest inspired by AccessArt's resource 'Painting A Bluebell Forest'. Rachel shares her process in this resource.

Layers

Teenagers draw on layers of acetate to make a palimpsest with Melissa Pierce Murray.

Simple Animation: Making a Flick Book

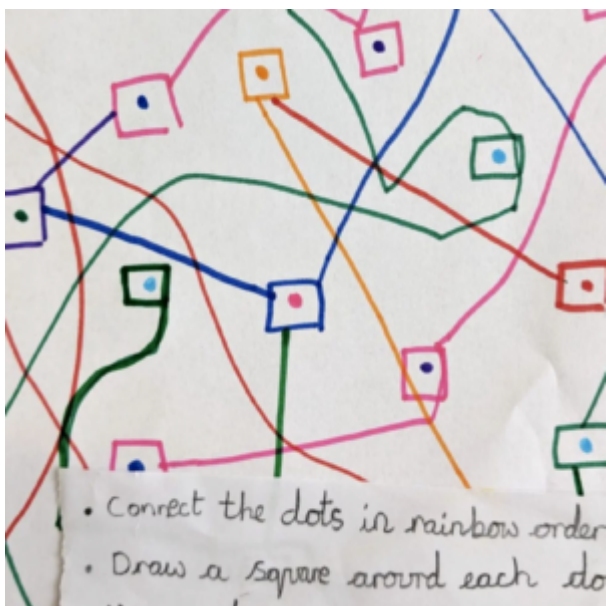
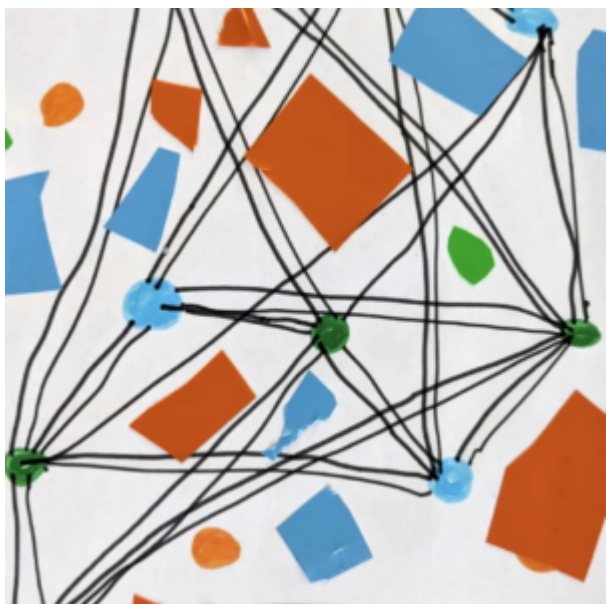
Flick books are a great way to make simple animations.

Nursery Night Time Collage

Inspired by the AccessArt Village, artist Rachel Thompson works with pre-school aged children in St Matthew's Nursery School, Cambridge to make their very own night time scenes with collage and wax-resist.

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Japanese Sushi Inspires Our Art

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Painting a Bluebell Forest in Cyan, Magenta and Process Yellow on a Large Scale

In this project young teenagers were given the opportunity to paint on a larger scale; to explore working big whilst immersing themselves in colour.

We were all inspired by the spring!

Students transformed the room into a bluebell forest in cyan, magenta and process yellow Scolaquip acrylic paint.

By Sheila Ceccarelli

How to Make Beautiful, Liquid Drawings Inspired by Degas

This resource looks at drawings by the French artist, Edgar Degas (1834-1917), and how to enable the production of beautiful, 'inky drawings' in the classroom. This resource was created in collaboration with AccessArt and the Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge.