## Arts and Minds: Asemic Writing and Invented Text

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This was the third session working with students at <u>Cambourne</u> <u>Village College</u> as part of the 'Young People's Pilot', coordinated and managed <u>Arts and Minds</u>, a leading arts and mental health charity in Cambridgeshire.

#### Back to "Heart-Work" Arts and Wellbeing Project



Following on from week two A 'Heart-Work' Conversation, students were given the opportunity to further explore expressive mark making as a tool for self-expression and a vehicle for communication.

Whereas in the previous session students had made marks in response to each other's work in the form of a 'visual conversation', in this session students worked alone.

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#### Arts and Minds: A 'Heart-Work' Conversation

### Sketchbook Exercise: Drawing Brushes with Charcoal

## 50 Minutes Looking and Sketching Autumn Leaves

With rich colours and shapes everywhere, a wonderful opportunity to use sketching to tune into this beautiful time of the year.

Teenagers Write A Letter, A Postcard, A Poem or A Narrative in Invented Text

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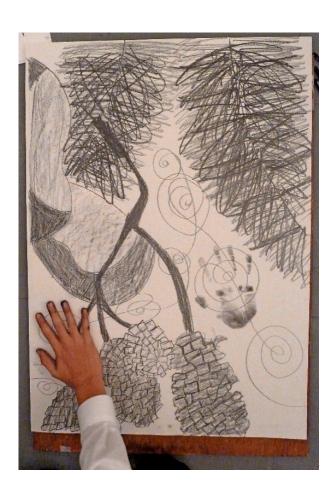
### Teenagers Use Touch to Draw and Explore Small Objects

"Feely Drawings" or Drawing by Touch — a 5 minute drawing exercise



This short icebreaker or warm up exercise, led by Paula Briggs at the Drawing Workshops for ages 6 to 10, encourages the children to relax into their drawing session.

#### Introducing Graphite and Blind Drawing



Teenagers explored mark making, drawing 'blind' with the age old drawing tool 'the pencil' and softer graphite sticks. Sheila Ceccarelli

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Early Primary Sketchbook Exploration

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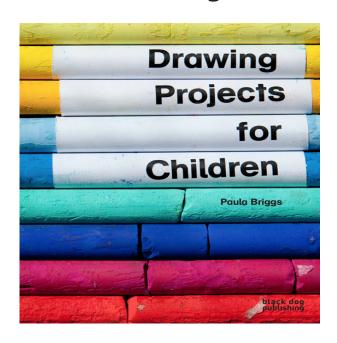


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The drawing journey



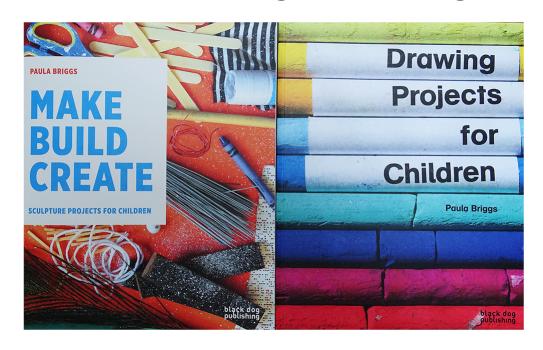
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A session for teenagers exploring how a hands on creative activities might engage students in their revision, and how monoprinting and sketchbook processes might aid a personal connection to the poetry text.

## Playing with tape, projectors, Wicky Sticks and so much more!

Accessible approaches for collaborative drawing with visually impaired students with Sara Dudman and Debbie Locke at the Thelma Hulbert Gallery in Devon

## Water and Rock: Teenagers explore building drawings with graphite and modroc

Teenagers look at pieces of chalk and flint and explore the physicality of rocks and geological processes with graphite and plaster.

#### Year 3 & 4 Making Club: Animal Parade — Week One

To use our Carnival Mask Template to create animal masks for an Animal Parade at the end of this half term.