

# Quentin Blake's Drawings as Inspiration!

3 simple exercises inspired by the drawings of Quentin Blake. Enables children to develop observation skills and explore drawing from life, combined with permission to exaggerate certain aspects of their drawings to help convey intention.

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## Drawing and Making Flowers

Using drawing to inspire making sculptural flowers.

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## Minibeast Artwork by Tracy McGuinness-Kelly

Fun MiniBeast collage project by Tracy McGuinness-Kelly. Aimed at primary school children. [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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## Drawing Clouds and Mark

# Making

Mark-making exercise for children which encourages them to push their drawings, and their imaginations out of their safe zone. [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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# Taking Creative Risks

Is it important to get children to take risks in their artwork?

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# Drawing Out of Your Comfort Zone

Exploring how we can encourage children to push their work and take a few risks...

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# Seasonal Drawings: Observation, Composition and

# Colour

From careful line drawings to full colour collages – rich and evocative imagery by primary-aged children. [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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## Drawing Stories: Illustrations by Children

Using small toys, charcoal and text to create drawings rich in narrative. [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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## Designing Wallpaper!

Using photocopied drawings to design wallpaper! [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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## Discovering Charcoal – Warm-Up Exercise for Children

Drawing exercise for children focussing around 9 actions of using charcoal/chalk. [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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# Drawing by Torchlight

How drawing with charcoal can torchlight can produce dramatic, atmospheric illustrations! [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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# Dressing Up as Fossils!

Fun and active drawing session with primary aged children, exploring mark making on fabric. [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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# See Three Shapes

A simple exercise with Indian ink to help children see and convey simple forms in drawing.

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# Drawing Spiral Snails

Drawing Spiral Snails – a drawing project shared by Tracy McGuinness-Kelly. [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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# Monoprinting with Oil Pastel and Carbon Copy Paper

Making mono prints using carbon paper and oil pastel. [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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## Thoughtful Mark Making

A drawing game to help children diversify their mark making and make their own “drawing decisions”.

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## Communal Drawing: Summer Picnic!

Making a shared drawing!

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## Watercolour Washes Inspired by the Tapestries of Henry

# Moore

Introducing children to working with a restricted palette of watercolours.

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## Making Maps Magical with Thermochromic Paint – Where Art, Science and D&T Meet

Making magic maps using thermochromic paint! [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)

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## Drawing Vegetables: A Drawing Game

A simple drawing game to encourage creativity, which we used to help us make drawings of vegetables. [Full AccessArt Members Only](#)