

Alginate Casting

Artist Melissa Pierce Murray introduces teenagers to the process of casting with non-toxic and fast-setting alginate.

Animating Hands!

Using image frames from video to create quirky animations of hands moving!

#BeACreativeProducer – Animating a Demonstration!

Using cut-out images against a green screen to make a simple stop motion animation.

For Remembrance Day

Anne-Louise Quinton creates a project for her Year 9 pupils to commemorate Remembrance Day. The teenagers worked collaboratively to create a collaged frieze of paper soldiers in response to an artwork by John Singer Sargent and a war poem by Wilfred Owen.

The Making of: “Being Creative Helps You Tackle Challenges in All Areas of Life”

Meet Bob! A cloth character with a bendy wire armature to animate in front of a green screen.

The Making of: Hand Coloured Photoshop Animation Frames

This post shares how one of the #BeACreativeProducer team members, Alex, developed his digital skills by working across iMovie and Photoshop to extract single frames from a movie, hand colour them in Photoshop, and then import them back into iMovie to complete the animated scene.

We used the technique as a visual to an aural backdrop of the teenagers working collaboratively on their musical composition.

Three Approaches to Drawing

Melissa Pierce Murray proposes three approaches to challenge habitual ways of drawing by expanding the repertoire of marks and approaches.

The Making of: “Creativity is a Process” and Comebacks to the Ogres”

This resource shares how teenagers practised interviewing skills before filming to get footage for animations.

The Making Of: The “Fill Your Funnel” Scene

Animating text and images using magnets and whiteboard, combined with stop motion footage of drama sessions.

The Making Of: The Shower Scene

See how we made a small clip from the #BeACreativeProducer Project in which teenagers made the props, animated the scene, and then composed music.

Modelling The Head in Clay – by Melissa Pierce Murray

Collaborative Design: Making Dungarees!

Collaborative sewing project which aimed to help builds a sense of “team” in teenager animators. Connecting head, heart and mind in this challenge helped creative juices flow in other areas of the #BeACreativeProducer animation project.

Screen Printing T Shirts for

the How To Be A Creative Producer Project

This post shares the process of screen printing t-shirts for the #BeACreativeProducer teenagers to wear to help them identify as a “team” for the animation project.

Modelling the Head in Clay Part 2 – Preparations

This post looks at two preparations for making a clay head: drawing to help us learn to see the form in the round, and taking measurements from life.

This is the second post in a series of resources showing how teenagers modelled a clay head over the course of a term.

Modelling the Head in Clay Part 1 – Armature

Making a Steel or Wood Armature is the first in a series of resources showing how teenagers modelled a clay head over the course of a term.

Animating with a Green Screen

This resource shares two accessible and fun ways of animating with a green screen, filming people and using props. Both methods use minimal minimal equipment.

Pimp That Snack! Large Scale Food Sculptures

Art educator Anne-Louise Quinton shares a process for making super sized food sculptures from everyday materials, inspired by the work of Claes Oldenburg. This is a fun and challenging sculpture project for Year Nine and above.

Teenagers Visit Norwich University of the Arts

Many thanks to Lynne Simpkin and Sam Webber from [Norwich University of the Arts](#) for making the teenagers from the "[How to Be a Creative Producer](#)" animation project so welcome when we visited the degree show.

The teenagers were given a tour of the animation, architecture, photography, fine art, games art and design, VFX, illustration, and graphic communication shows, seeing at first hand the ethos of the "How to Be a Creative Producer" project at work.

The teenagers also interviewed undergraduates to create video clips which will be used in the project. The clips will be integrated into the animation they teenagers are making.

Ways to Join In!

Take two minutes out of your day to inspire the next generation of creatives! [Find out how you can submit your voice here.](#)

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Project 13

AccessArt Artist Rowan Briggs Smith shares her ideas and outcomes behind Project 13, and AccessArt Artist Mitch composes music to accompany the paintings.

Sculpture from Sculpture

Inspired by sculptures by Henry Moore, Barbara Hepworth and Jacob Epstein and looking at 'inside' and 'outside' shapes, students created their own constructions with help of artist Anne-Louise Quinton.