

Art for Week of: MAY 25-29

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AT-HOME LEARNING DIRECTIONS:

Choose from the options below (choose one or both) to explore Texture. I would love to see what you have made (along with any other art), please send images to my email econnelly@ecasd.us or message me in Microsoft Teams!

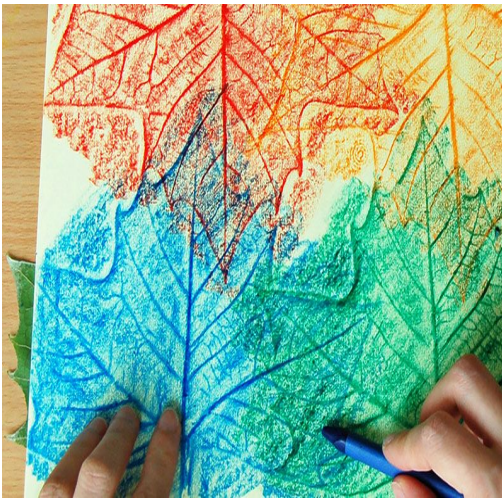
You can also upload your images to Artsonia! See the link also on the Putnam webpage for directions.

THIS WEEK'S ELEMENT OF ART FOCUS IS **TEXTURE**

TEXTURE: how objects feel or look like they feel

ART CHOICE #1: Nature walk and RUBBINGS

Go outside and FEEL the following items: a rock, sidewalk, leaf, and tree. What words would you use to describe how they feel? Sharp, rough, smooth, soft, hard, bumpy?



1. Place a piece of paper (can be a recycled envelope or newspaper) on top of a leaf.
2. Using the flat side of a crayon, pencil, or marker, rub the tool across the paper where the leaf is hiding underneath. An image of the leaf should appear!
3. Try placing your paper against a tree and rub your crayon on the paper.
4. Try placing your paper on top of the sidewalk and rub your crayon on the paper.
5. Try rubbing your tool across your paper on top of a Lego or spatula from the kitchen or tombstones in the cemetery!



ART CHOICE #2: Assemblage

Louise Nevelson was a Russian-American artist who created low-relief sculpture like you see in this picture of her.

1. Gather items from the recycle bin to put together into an interesting pattern.
2. Looking at the project to the right, can you see the egg cartons, toilet paper tubes, bottle caps, popsicle sticks, and corrugated (wavy) cardboard?
3. Tear up or cut up the items you found and place them into an interesting composition. You can place them on the floor or use a background object (like paper or cardboard) to hold the items.
TIP: *you can use glue or tape to hold the items in place.*
4. OPTIONAL: This artist painted the finished project to make it the same color.



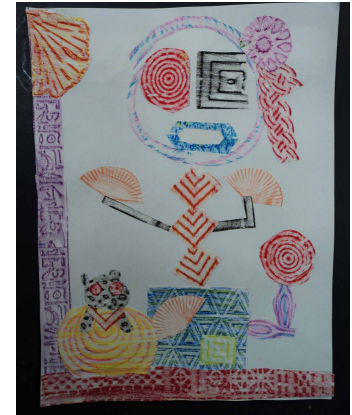
BONUS RESOURCES

Want to learn more about TEXTURE? Check out these ideas!

Find out more about [Louise Nevelson](#) here.

[Texture](#) words!

BONUS PROJECT IDEA:



Try creating a picture using the textures you find!

TEXTURE

