

How to Make An Art Time Capsule!



1. Find a box! A shoe box or another sturdy box will do
2. Plan with your family Where will you keep your time capsule safe for a long time? In a closet? A cabinet? Under your bed? Think of a place indoors where it will stay dry for years. You can always move it if you need to, just don't lose it!
3. Decorate! Make your art time capsule special with paint/crayons/markers/collage
4. Write! When you will open your art time capsule! A year? Two years? Ten years? My family plans to open ours in May 2030.
5. Start Collecting! You might include a story, a newspaper or magazine from this time, a list of your favorite songs or games or books or movies that are helping you through this time... You could print some photos. You could take turns interviewing someone you live with, or call an elderly neighbor, friend or relative! (Interview sheet on next page)
6. Think... What is special or important to you about this time? Who are you spending lots of time with? What are you doing for fun at home? How are you helping your family? How are you growing as a person? Save these ideas for next week's Artful Thursday! Michelangelo and Mrs. Kane will have some super cool and interesting art projects for you to choose from.

Interview Questions Menu (for a Family Member or Adult Friend)

Where did you grow up?	What was your childhood like?	Who were your favorite relatives?	How would you like to be remembered?
Can you tell me about a person who has been kindest to you in your life? How?	Can you tell me about one of your happiest memories?	Can you tell me about a time when things were hard for you and how you got through it?	Can you tell me about someone you'll always remember?
Can you tell me about someone who has been important in your life? What lessons did that person teach you?	What do you feel most grateful for in your life?	What are some of the most important lessons you've learned in life?	What is your favorite memory of me?
What are you proudest of in your life?	Can you remember a time in your life when you felt most alone?	If you could hold on to one memory from your life forever, which would it be?	How has your life been different than what you'd imagined?
How would you like to be remembered?	What are your hopes for me? For my children?	For future generations years from now: is there any wisdom you'd want to pass on to them? What would you want them to know?	Turn the tables: tell the person you're interviewing what they mean to you.

