

Line Drawing and Primary Color Art Literacy Project

Inspired by Miro

Students will create an abstract, simple line drawing to complete a Miro inspired project.

Supplies:

Black Sharpies	Markers in Red, Blue, Yellow, Green, Purple
Plastic cups	White cardstock
Placemats	

Setup notes

Cover desks with placemats.

The Project

- In pencil, have students write their name and class code on the back of the cardstock.
- Use black Sharpie to draw one or more circles by tracing the rim of a plastic cup anywhere on the page..
- Students should close their eyes and use a Sharpie to gently draw a continuous, swirling line for a few seconds. (Encourage students to draw freely, but they should not scribble as there needs to be room to add shapes, patterns, etc.)
- Use black Sharpie to add details in various places on the artwork; dots, connecting lines, patterns, shapes, etc.
- Use the colored markers to fill in some of the cells/spaces; encourage students to try to create some hidden pictures within the picture!

Clean up & Display

Ensure lids are on markers.

Glue artwork to black mounting paper and attach student label; hang on classroom gallery wall.