

Greetings from Art!

May 4th- May 8th

Hello Artists! Below are some OPTIONAL activities for this week. If you choose to complete one I would love to see it!

Email a picture of it to me @: jvasiliauskas@rsu14.org

Don't forget to include your *name* and *classroom teacher's name* with your picture! Also, If you have any questions, I will be available through email everyday :) Enjoy! Mrs. Vasiliauskas

This Weeks Activities:



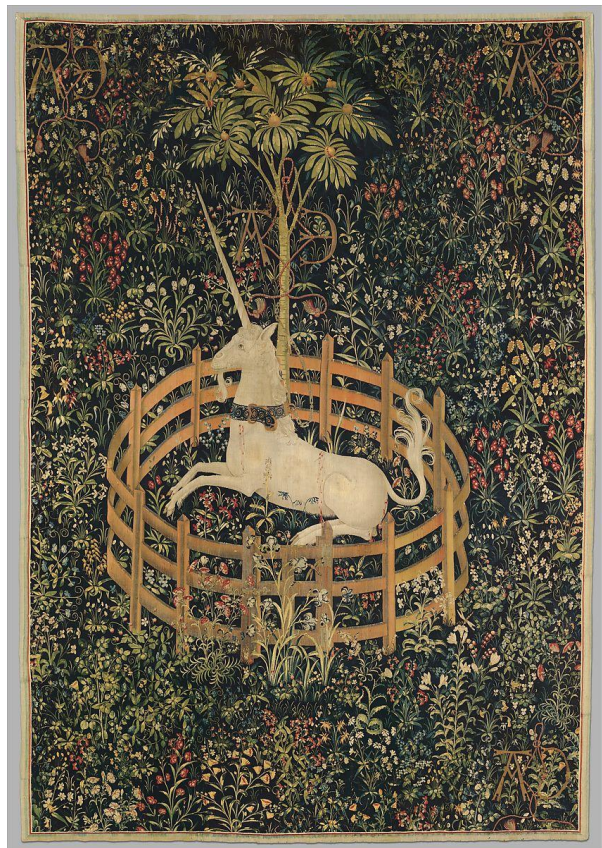
Go on a Texture Scavenger Hunt! -

Texture is the look and feel of a surface.

Go around your house with paper and pencil or crayon and make texture rubbings of as many different interesting surfaces as you can find. Place your paper over the object and with your pencil or crayon on its side, rub it side to side on top of the paper and watch the texture appear! How many textures will you find?

Create an Imaginary Creature!

Think of mixing together parts of different animals that already exist to create a new one. Look at the art examples below. Doesn't the dragon look like a bird and alligator mixed together? How about the unicorn, it has a horse body and a narwhal tusk! What creature will you come up with?!?!



Above Left: Dragon, 17th Century , Italian

Above Right: The Unicorn in Captivity, 1495-1505, Netherlands

Draw with your ERASER!

Explore this different way to use your drawing supplies. This link has a video showing you how to create art using your eraser:

<https://www.metmuseum.org/art/online-features/metkids/videos/MetKids-Draw-with-an-Eraser>

You can create any drawing you want in this style. I was inspired to make a koala (one of my son's favorite animals), while reading: Don't Call Me Bear, by Aaron Blabey. Did you know that koalas are not bears?!?!?!?

Click on the link below to have me read the book to you!

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1gloM-LjUErbwKPYwIP2wW-TbuE-sWMTb/view?usp=sharing>

If you are inspired to create a koala, you can follow my steps below:

