# Please choose from **ONE** of the following lessons to work on over the course of two or three half-hour weekly sessions.

## **Recycled Sculptures**

Joan Miro is an artist that is known for using organic shapes to create abstract paintings and sculptures.

Week 1: Collect some recyclables and create some sketches on how you want to use your recyclables to create a sculpture.

Week 2: Using your collection of recyclable materials, create a sculpture inspired by Joan Miro's work. Upload your finished product to send to your art teacher. Here's a link that explains more about Miro's life and work:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NQLk66KorOq

## Here's some examples:



#### Tate Museum Field Trip

Find an artist or artwork on the Tate Museum website. that inspires you. Send your art teacher a message or a video explaining why it inspires you.

https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore

# Superhero Design

Week 1: Brainstorm superpowers that you would like to have. Maybe you will be solving a problem, helping someone, or simply making a task a little bit easier. Sketch yourself as a superhero. Add details to your costume that help support your superpower. Does he have a sidekick? Week 2: Create a background that supports your characters superpower.



#### Comic Strips

Illustrate a comic strip that has a beginning, middle, and end. Here's a link to a free printable comic strip template:

https://frugalfun4boys.com/printable-comic-strip-templates/

Week 1: Sketch your characters, it may be helpful to have two or three, so they can interact. You can use the super hero that you created. Think about what type of personality and look each of the characters would have. Spend the time working on this before moving into setting and action.

Week 2: Sketch your settings, create action and story.

Week 3: Finalize your sketches and color it in!

#### Zoom In! What is this?

Zooming and cropping is a technique that is often used to build drawing skills. Zooming is when you look carefully at the details of your subject and make them larger. Cropping is when you only draw ONE section of an object.

Week 1: Use your iPad to zoom in on an object in your house, a tool, kitchen utensil, toy, or anything that has interesting shapes and lines in close up. Take a photo of a part of that object. Do a drawing of your photo, go lightly with pencil, sketching and capturing large shapes and lines. You can add details as you draw. Take a picture of your drawing and send it to your art teacher. Do you think others can identify your object?

NEXT WEEK: Draw the whole object for your reveal!

