CREATIVE CHALLENGE PACK

Four fun and accessible creative prompts designed by Hugh Myddelton Primary School students during their Arts Week 2023.

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WITH HUGH MYDDELTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

ABOUT THE PACK

64 Million Artists work with different people and communities to co-create programmes and tools to catalyse creativity across the UK.

We're excited to share creative challenges designed by the brilliant Year 3 students at Hugh Myddelton Primary School in London.
64 Million Artists visited the school to run some workshops during their Arts Week. A week of creative workshops to support students to find enjoyment in art and creativity, hold positive self-image and confidence, discover a sense of purpose and fulfilment in artistic expression and lots more.

We led a self portrait workshop where the students filled their drawing with words - all the things that make them who they are! Then from these words they worked together to come up with the challenges you'll find in this pack.

WHAT IS A CREATIVE CHALLENGE?

A creative challenge is a prompt to inspire creative action - an invitation to Do, Think and Share - to try something new, connect with yourself and those around you in different ways, and to have fun.

HOW TO USE THE PACK

There is no wrong or right way to take part in the challenges or use this pack. You could read them and see where your imagination takes you, spend 5 minutes, or 5 hours bringing a creation to life.

You could print the pack and use the templates provided to respond to the challenges, or print and cut out the flash cards to have ready to use and revisit whenever you like.

WORD SELF PORTRAITS BY YEAR 3 STUDENTS, HUGH MYDDELTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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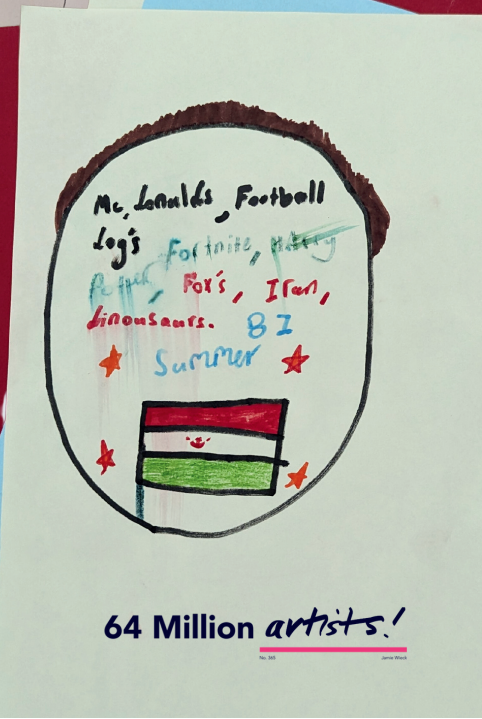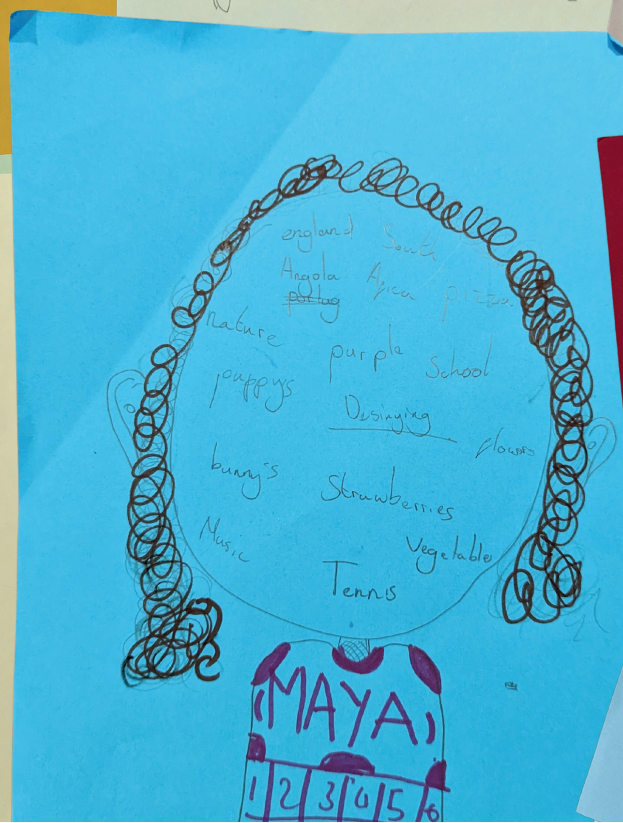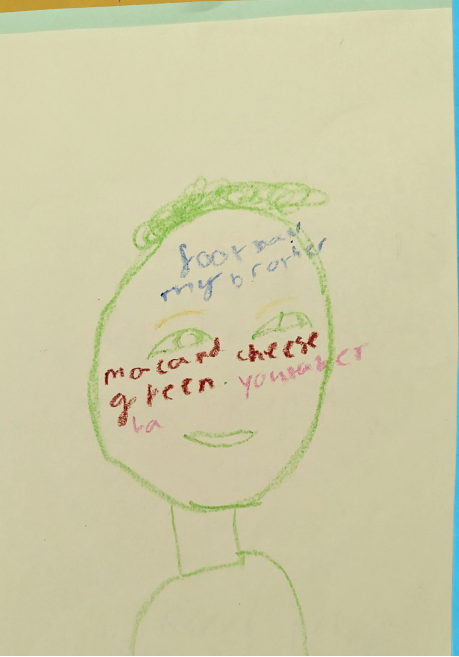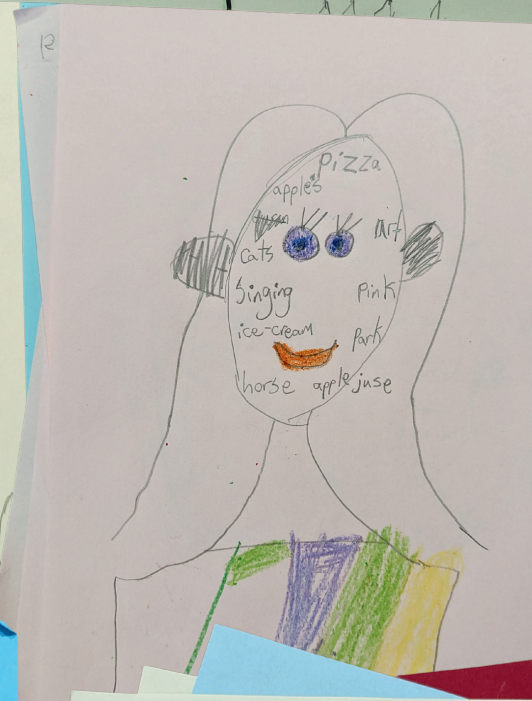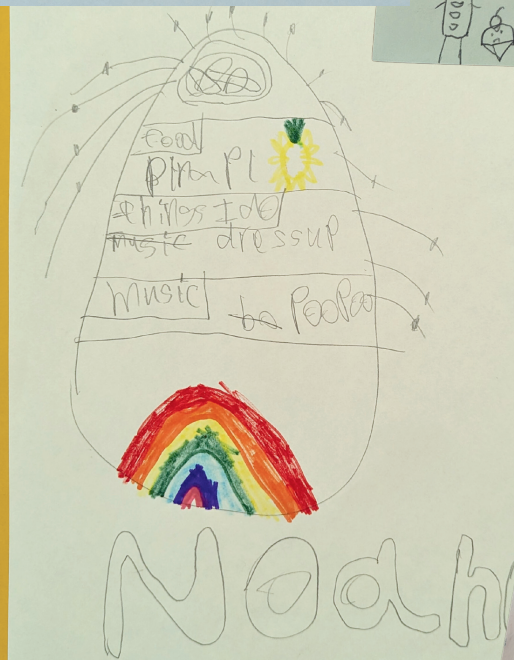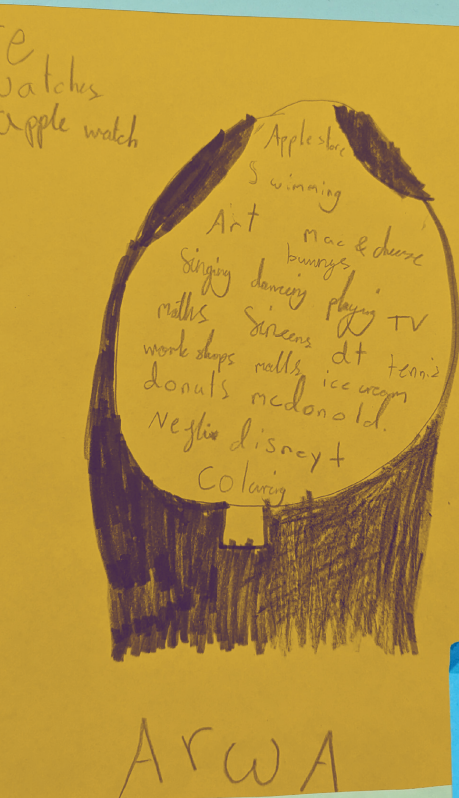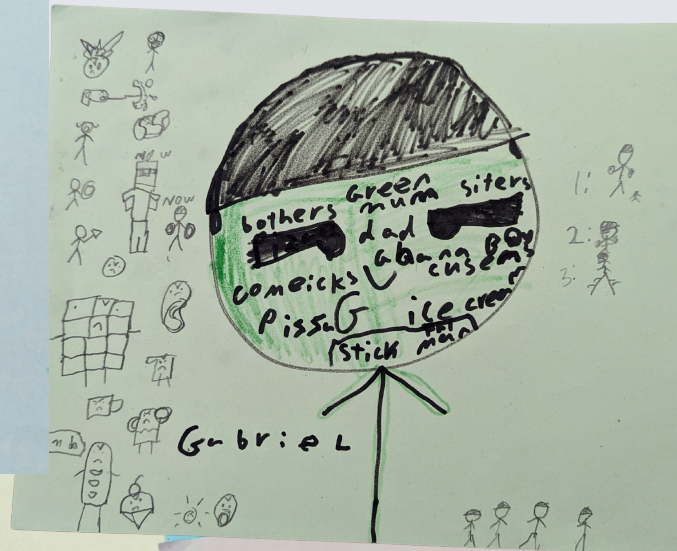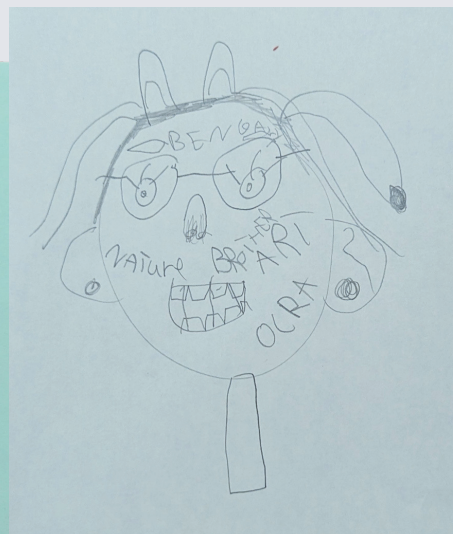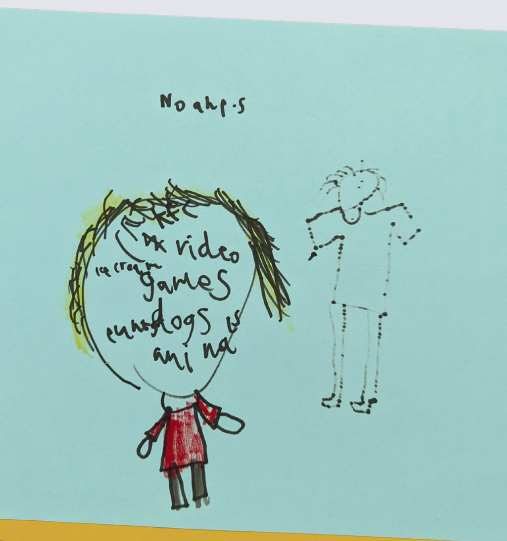
PANDA MATCH

BY FLORA, ALMA & FARHAM

DO

"Go into nature and request a football match with Pandas"
Now that might not be so easy to achieve, so inspired by the students' idea….

Choose a natural landscape, a sport and an animal. Write or illustrate a story that includes all three!
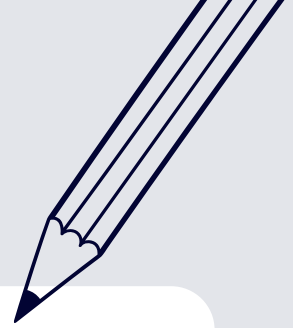
NATURAL LANDSCAPE:

ANIMAL:

SPORT:

Use the next page to draw or write a story that includes all the above!

PANDA MATCH

THINK

Did your story surprise you in any unexpected ways?

SHARE

Invite someone to join in and share your stories with one another!

LAUGH OUT LOAD

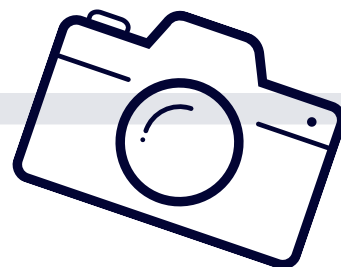BY SABIR, OLIVIA, CAMEO, NOAH & LUJAIN

DO

"I challenge you to make someone laugh."

Tell a joke, start laughing for no reason and see if it catches on, share a funny story, do a silly dance. Capture the moment of laughter through doodles or a photo!

THINK

How do you feel after you've had a good giggle?

SHARE

Share the laughter far and wide - how many people can you make laugh today!

ROUTINE DANCE

BY ALIIZA, MAYA, ARWA & SCARLETT

DO

"Create a dance routine inspired by school or TV."

Create a dance inspired by something in your everyday routine. Think about the movements you do whilst moving through space or interacting with others. When you add a beat or sound how can those movements change into dance?

When you've created your routine, draw some of the moves here so you can remember them!
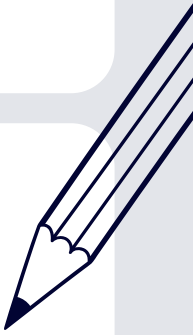
THINK

What's your favourite song to dance to? How might the lyrics inspire your dance?

SHARE

Share your dance routine with someone you know and teach them the moves!

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PLAY MINECRAFT, EAT PIZZA

BY THALIA, OSCAR, MOLLY & OTIS

DO

"Play Minecraft and eat pizza." Pair your favourite activity with your favourite food!

Plan a day that involves both, or create a drawing that merges the two. Or maybe your favourite activity IS eating your favourite food, so here's an invitation make it happen.

Plan out your day of activities and food here!

THINK

What are the textures, smells or sounds that you associate with your favourite activity and favourite food?

SHARE

Invite someone to join in, ask them what their favourite activity and favourite food is.

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Finish the sentence:

CREATIVITY IS...

....

Here are a few things Hugh Myddelton Year 3 students thought.

...PUTTING YOUR MIND TO IT.

...USING MY IMAGINATION.

...WHEN YOU THINK IT'S BORING, BUT YOU ADD STUFF AND THEN IT'S GOOD.

...BEING DIFFERENT AND UNIQUE.

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THANK YOU FOR TAKING PART!

WANT TO TAKE PART IN MORE CREATIVE CHALLENGES?

Join 'The Weekly Challenge' programme and receive weekly inspiration and creative prompts from inspiring communities across the UK. A new, fun and accessible challenge is shared every Monday throughout the year, direct to your email inbox.

Take part in the challenges with your community to build creative connections and have fun together!

Sign up here for FREE: tinyurl.com/theweeklychallenge

If you are a teacher and want to find out more about involving your school in creative challenges contact yashoda@64millionartists.com

ABOUT 64 MILLION ARTISTS

We are all creative. 64 Million Artists explore the impact of how our individual and collective creativity can make positive change in our lives and the world around us.

Working with communities, schools, universities, cities, workplaces, cultural institutions and health and government bodies - they run programmes to catalyse creativity across the UK.

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