

# Finding Beauty

## Discussion Questions

- What do I see or do every day?
- If I look more closely, what colors, shapes, lines, or textures stand out?
- Where is the beauty in my place, my neighborhood?

## Artists To Look At:

- Aaron Bos-Wahl
- Alice Stone-Collins
- Nikki Brugnoli
- Heather Lowe
- Denise Glasser

## Let's Create!

### Finding Beauty

- Take a walk. This could be around your home, down your street, or in a nearby park or forest. Look closely at the things and places you see often.
- What do you notice? Is there a calming color combination? An intricate spider web? A soft texture?

### Gather Your Supplies

- What materials can showcase the beauty you found in your everyday?
- What do you have around you? Instead of paper, you could use an empty cereal box. Instead of paint, try food coloring or even coffee! Take a walk and look for materials in nature.

### Start Making

- Dive in! Make a mark and then add to it. You can start with a shape or a color or you can start with a more realistic drawing or a photo.
- Look at the artists' work and videos for inspiration if you get stuck.
- Experiment! What happens if you start by tracing a photo?

### Revise or Edit Your Work

- Take a step back and look at your work. What stands out? Where does your eye move?
- Is there anything you could change or add to better highlight the beauty you found in every day life?

## Let's Reflect

How does your artwork share something special about your every day life?  
What materials did you use?

What are you most proud of in your work?

## Share your work!

We'd love to see what you make! Share it on social media and include #seewhereittakesyou