Cool it Art

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Patterns of the World



Taking inspiration from patterns from different cultures such as Japanese, African, Greek, Celtic, Aboriginal Art and others why not create your own pattern filled piece of art!

Tools and Materials:

- Paper
- Pencil
- Ruler
- Colouring Pencils

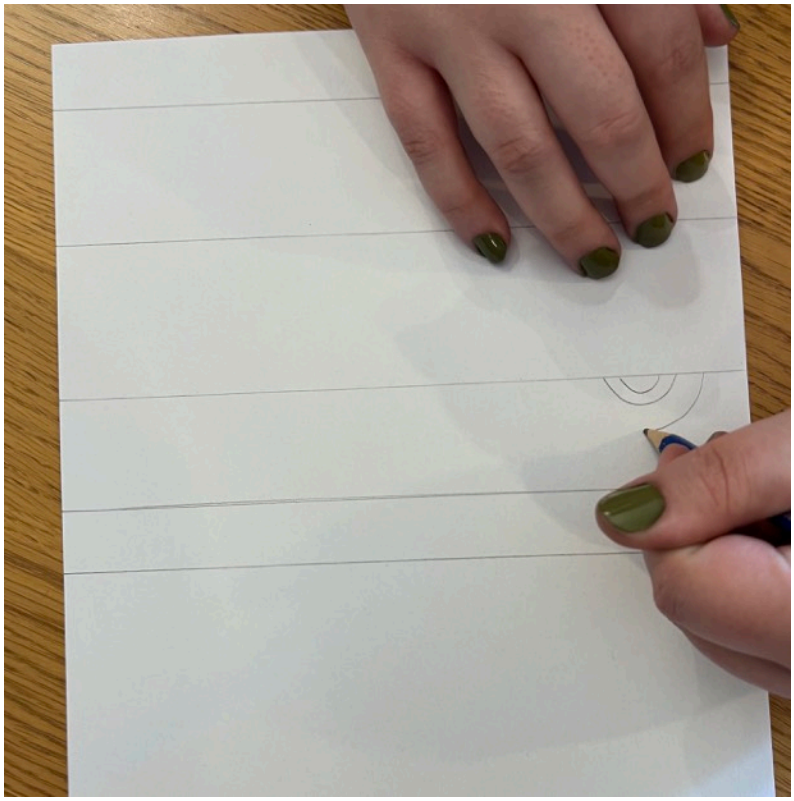


First of all take your paper and divide it into different sections of varied sizes like so





Then when happy with your sections start sketching your patterns - you can take inspiration from all different countries and cultures - look at ceramics (pots or tiles) or fabrics as a starting point. We took inspiration from Japanese “waves” as starting point



Keep going till you have filled your page like so



Once you are happy with your sketch you can start to colour it in - some patterns have defined colours, Japanese patterns can heavily feature blue and white,Greek pottery black and terracotta (red/brown). You can use these or choose whatever colours you like! Contrasting each section or finding a colour harmony



There you have it your very own
“Patterns of the World” piece of art!



Here is another we made to inspire you!

