

Black Cat Appreciation Art



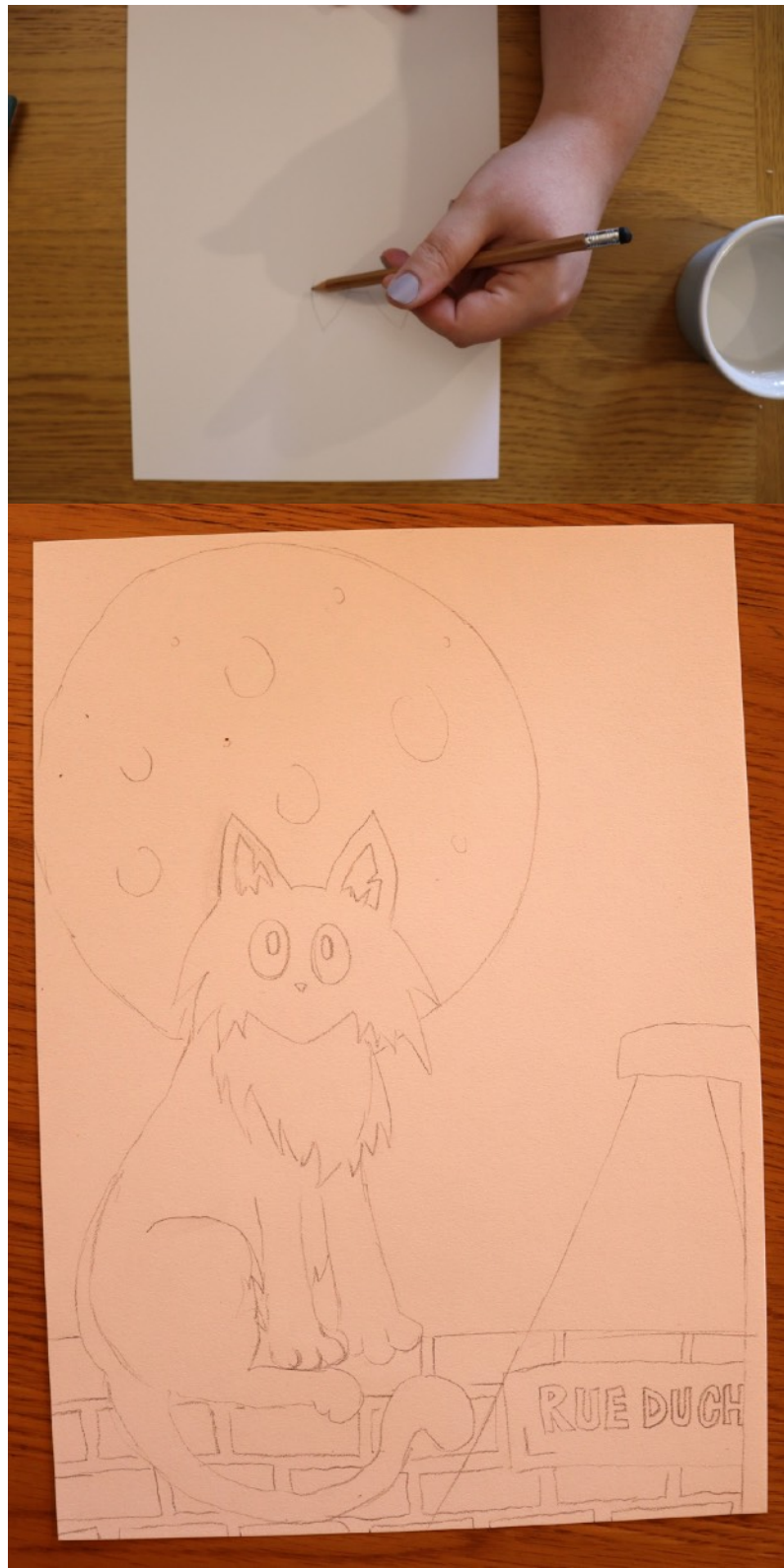
Falling on the 17th of August “Black Cat Appreciation Day” inspired us to look at what fine art pieces contain cats - why not create your own work inspired by our feline friends!

Tools and Materials:

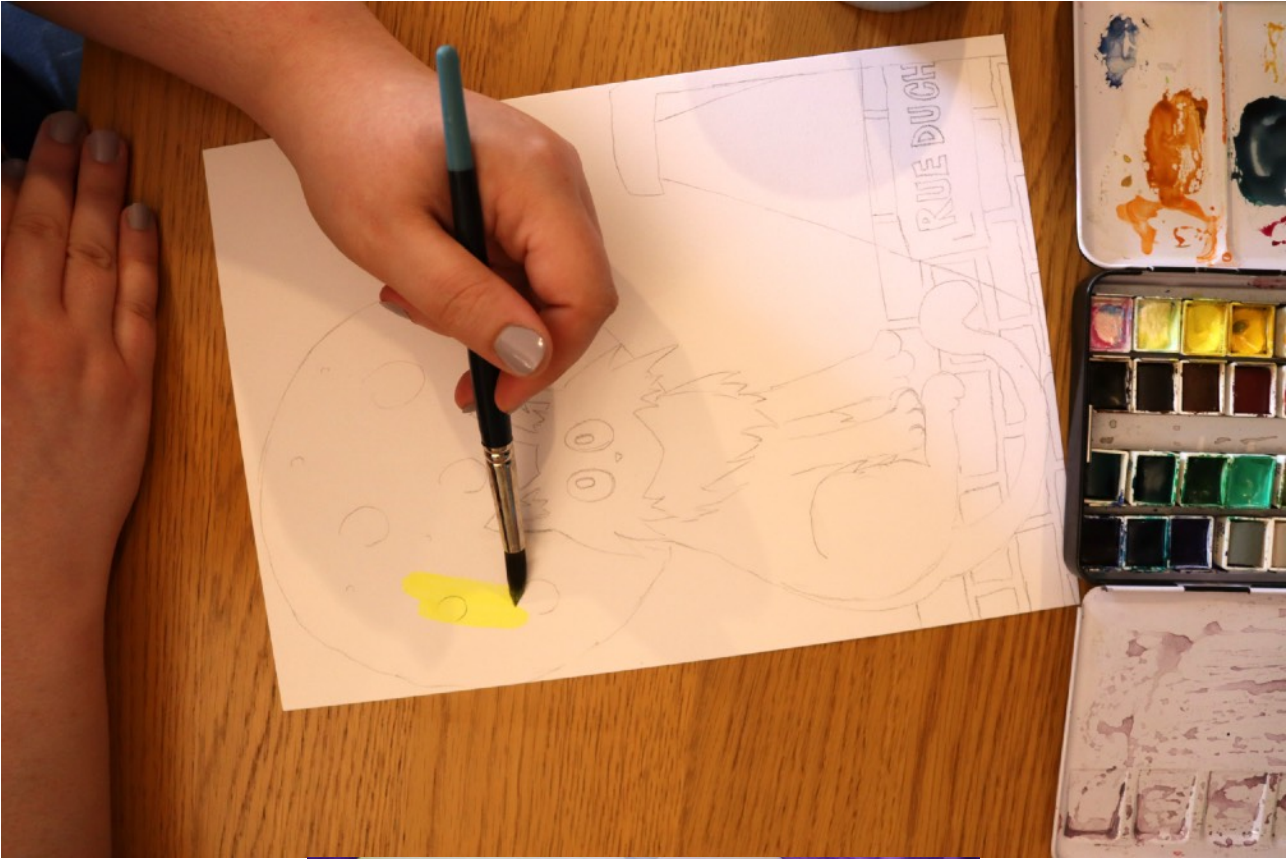
- Paper
- Pencil
- Watercolour
- Water
- Paintbrushes



First of all what cats can you think of in art? There are many but black cats specifically; “Black Cat” by Min Zhen in the 18th Century, “La tournée du Chat Noir” by Théophile Steinlen at the end of the 19th Century, “Girl with a Black Cat” by Matisse created early 20th Century are a few to get you started! We took inspiration from “La tournée du Chat Noir” - start sketching your scene out to work out your composition like so



Once you are happy with it you can start to paint your artwork, with watercolour line marks can come through - something to think about when choosing your colours



There you have it your very own
“Black Cat Appreciation Art”!



Here is another we created to inspire you -
based on an antique fan!

