

Drawing from Memory



A project designed by Anika Kowalik for the Artist-in-the-STUDIO residency spring 2021

- 1 Think of a memory from your childhood that you really love.**
- 2 Use the chart and write down your memory at the top of the page.**
- 3 Write down the things you experienced during that memory based on your senses into the chart. (For example- you remember laying on a fuzzy green pillow. You'd write down what you touched was "fuzzy" in the "Touch" column)**
- 4 Now, look over your list of experiences and choose materials that best fit your memory.**

Find a base for your artwork, such as a piece of paper or cardboard. Consider drawing images onto the surface or on another surface to cut out and collage onto the surface to represent your memories, colors you associate with the memory, and things you were feeling or experiencing. Use the materials you collected to embellish your work, such as photographs, tissue paper, and materials with textures. Use your list as a guide to help you bring these thoughts to life!

Remember, nothing has to be perfect. Create freely with the materials as you'd like.

Materials suggested for this project:

Glitter Glue Pens

Paper (Preferably, something durable like watercolor paper)

Colored pencils

Markers

Assorted colors of tissue paper

Scissors

Glue stick