Drawing Into Space with Melissa Pierce Murray

In this session, artist Melissa Pierce Murray invited students to create three-dimensional drawings from tape, string and paper, using the entire room as our canvas.

Questioning the Canvas

Decorative Eggs

A project based on Ukrainian Pysanky eggs using broken beads.

World in a Matchbox

Children love working on a miniature scale where they can create worlds which they can control and oversee. AccessArt and Mencap have devised the "World in a Box" activity to enable children plenty of creative freedom resulting in fantastic autobiographical artwork.

AccessArt helps teachers at Belvue School to get ready for a Drawing Week

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Teachers Battle it Out in Conversation with Marks on Paper



Teachers embarked on an exercise whereby they made marks on paper to have a conversation with a partner. This was a playful and fun exercise and teachers very much enjoyed both the process and outcomes.

Teachers Explore Pattern, Shape & Texture with Charcoal, Graphite, Masking Tape and Pastels



This was the second session in the series and an introduction to pattern, shape and texture with charcoal and graphite, and an opportunity for teachers to break down any preconceived ideas about what drawing is and who drawing processes is for.

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"Plasticine Models & Decorated Plinths" Inspired by the Book 'Dirty Beasts' by Roald Dahl & illustrated by Quentin Blake

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