

Encounter Craft

- having fun at home!

This week: Shadow Drawing

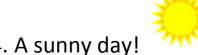


You will need:

- 1. Paper large sheets, or lining paper if possible
- 2. Pencils, paint, chalks, felt tips, marker pens, charcoal, crayons - anything you enjoy drawing with



3. Interestingly-shaped objects or toys that you can stand up - dolls, play figures, play animals, a vase of flowers, toy trees, etc. Use your imagination!



4. A sunny day!



How to do it

1. Position the objects along the paper so that the sun casts their shadows



2. Now draw around the shadows using whatever you choose to work with – try experimenting!

You could even have someone draw around YOUR shadow!





Another alternative is to put your paper underneath a branch if you can, and to then draw around the beautiful shadow... This is more complicated but would look stunning!



You can then colour your shadow drawings any way you want. Have fun!!

Challenge: Notice how the shadows change. Can you find out why this happens, and how...?

..And remember – **NEVER** look directly at the sun!!!