

REFRAME YOUR LANDSCAPE



LANDSCAPES surround us. Whether in Wisconsin, Brazil, or New Zealand, the places we inhabit is made up of different types of water like oceans, rivers, or lakes, and land like deserts, rainforests, and mountains. These **BIOMES** (areas of Earth with similar plants, animals, and climates) provide sustenance to humans and other wildlife and act as a place for us to call home.

Artists have been depicting landscape for centuries.

CONTEMPORARY ARTISTS (those who are living and working today) have redefined our understanding of what landscape means in this day and age. Visit the galleries and explore *Women Reframe American Landscape* to see examples of both historic and modern representations of landscape.



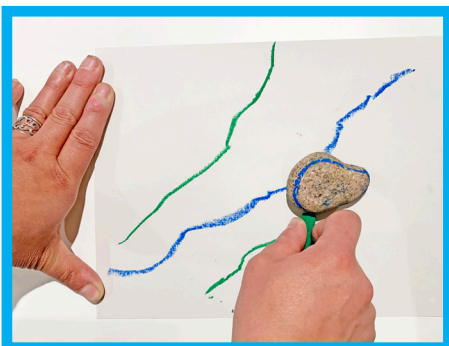
MODERN REPRESENTATION OF LANDSCAPE; Jaune Quick-To-See Smith, *Unhinged (Map)*, 2018, mixed media on canvas



HISTORIC REPRESENTATION OF LANDSCAPE; Laura Woodward, *Looking Up Keene Valley, Adirondacks*, 1874, oil on canvas,

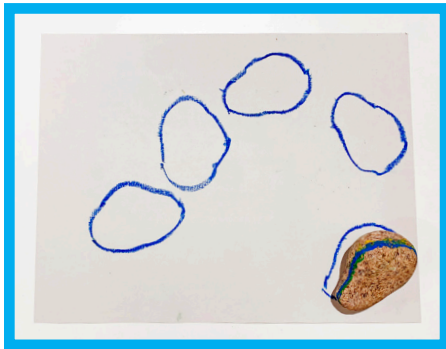
ROCK OUT!

Enjoy the summer landscape and go for a walk outside. Collect a rock small enough to fit into the palm of your hand. Use the Wikki Stix and oil pastels to create your own landscape! Lay your rock down on top of the paper and push it around with your oil pastel to make squiggly lines. Let the rock guide your drawing. Next, fill in areas of your drawing with color. Then, cut, shape, and bend the Wikki Stix into plants or water before adding them to your landscape.



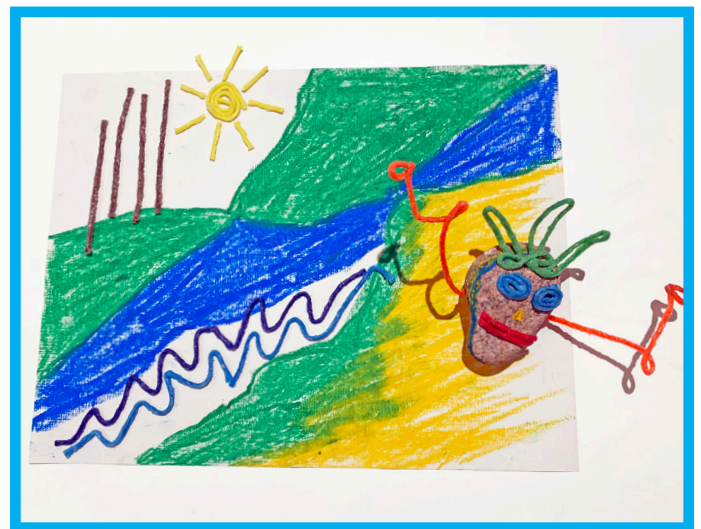
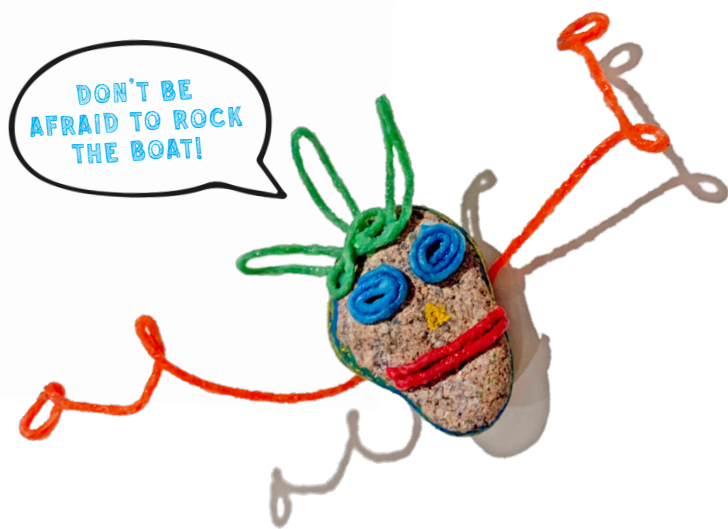
KEEP ON ROCKIN'

Next, try out an **ABSTRACT COMPOSITION** (one that does not represent an object exactly) by tracing your rock on your paper several different times with multiple colors. Fill in the rock shapes with color, lines, or patterns. See what happens when you blend the colors of oil pastel or layer them together. Add Wikki Stix in the negative spaces to finish your creation.



BRING YOUR ROCK TO LIFE

Use the Wikki Stix to build a creature who inhabits your landscape. Heat up the Stix with your hands to make them stick to each other and to your rock. Bend and twist the Stix to give your character some personality!



YOU ROCKED IT!



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