MAKER space

We have developed ART SPACE AT HOME to give you ideas for making art and playing together.

This sculpture marks the entrance to the art museum and welcomes the visitor with symbols of the lake. The right pillar resembles a rock shelf and life under the water, the left is a mooring. Between the two is a familiar boat shape like a discarded wreck.

WHAT DO YOU LIKE ABOUT THE LAKE?

Make a hanging sculpture with symbols of the lake.

SALT DOUGH RECIPE

- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 cup salt
- 1 cup cold water

Mix flour and salt together in a bowl. Slowly mix water, a few tablespoons at a time, into flour mixture until dough is smooth and easy to handle. Knead dough for 10 minutes and let rest for 20 minutes. Preheat oven to 120°C. Form dough into desired shapes and arrange on a baking sheet. Bake in the preheated oven until dry and hard, about 2 hours. Allow to cool completely.

ARTMAKING

WHAT YOU NEED
- Salt dough (recipe below)
- Sticks
- String
- Scissors
- Optional Paint / food colouring

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Make Salt dough.
2. Make shapes that remind you of the lake out of dough.
4. Bake in a low oven for 1-2 hours. Let cool completely.
5. Paint if you like.
6. Use string to hang your shapes from a horizontal stick.
7. Hang your mobile out of the weather or inside.
8. Share your artwork with family and friends in person, on FaceTime or using social media #artwithmac

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BUILD A RAFT

When you are out for a walk, or explore your yard, collect sticks, leaves and beautiful bits and bobs to make a raft.

1. Use wire or string to attach the mast to your boat base.
2. Add leaves for your sail.
3. Tape one or two plastic bottles to the base to keep your raft afloat.
4. Does it float? Test it out. Take a photo to share.

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