

Community/ Student Weekly Art Challenge

Due Date: Tuesday 7th September



Our theme this week is

Sunflowers

Sunflowers are a popular and long-standing subject used by many famous artists. These flowers have significance across cultures. They can symbolise lasting happiness, strength, loyalty and admiration. I think we all need a little of that at the moment!

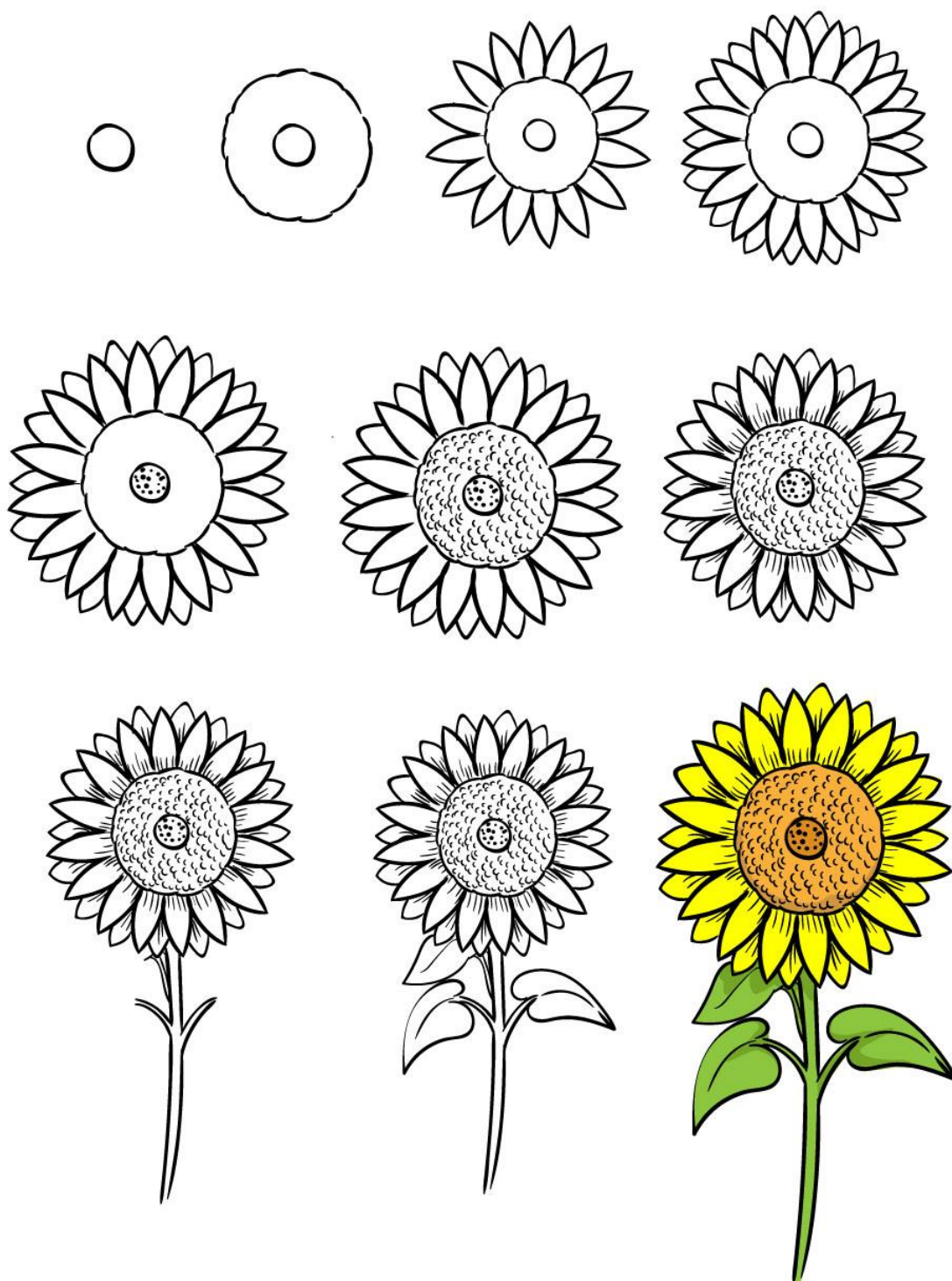
TASK: Using the stimulus attached or your own inspiration, you are to draw or paint, make, create a sunflower artwork. Stimulus material ranges in difficulty to cater for everyone. Students can use their sketch book or any art materials they have at home. You could use coloured pencils, charcoal, graphite, oil pastels, acrylic paint, textas, pens...anything! I've included some step-by-step drawing guides from the internet as well. You may like to draw a field of sunflowers, vase of sunflowers, knit, sculpt, crochet... the choice is yours.

Once completed, take a photo and email it with your name to jennie.wilson@det.nsw.edu.au (monitored every day) or the school mobile 0428313580 (although I cannot access this everyday due to working offsite some days). I will be joining in the challenge and hopefully post artworks created from different mediums throughout the week on our school Facebook page to help you with ideas and stimulate artistic thinking. Your photos will be added to a virtual gallery each week. You may even want to complete more than one artwork! We are all in this together and thank you for being part of this project.

Keep your artworks! We have plans to have a community exhibition when restrictions are lifted. It is not about having gallery quality pieces, it is about working together and lifting each other up and through this tricky time.

Jennie Wilson



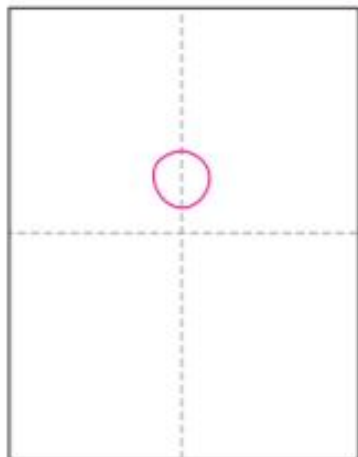


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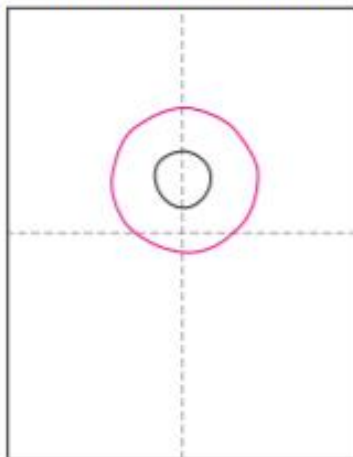




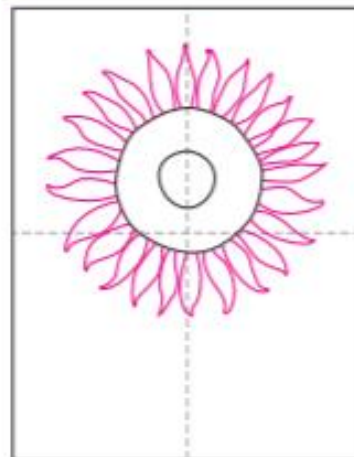
How to Paint a Sunflower



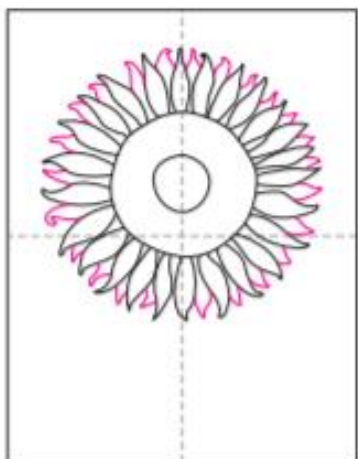
1. Draw a circle.



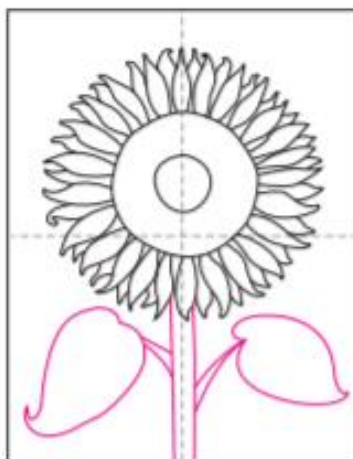
2. Draw a circle around it.



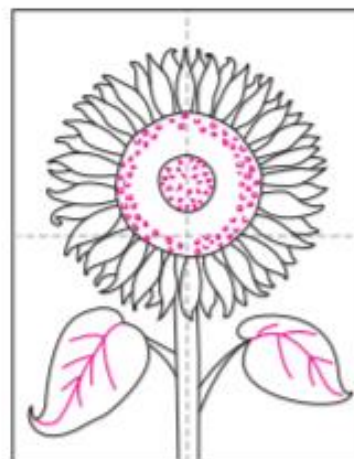
3. Add petals around the outer circle.



4. Draw more petals in between.



5. Draw a stem and leaves.



6. Add details inside leaves, flower.



7. Trace the flower with yellow, brown and black crayons.



8. Paint the flower with yellow, brown and green paint.



9. Paint background with a contrasting color.

