# **Devonshire Junior Academy | Year 5 - Living things & Life Cycles Art**

Hey Year 5... It's Miss McKenzie here! We miss you all very much and we can't wait for all of us to be back at school so that we can all get creating again. In the meantime, here are a range of activities that link to your 'Living things & Life Cycles' science topic. Have a go at some of the activities with any materials you have at home. Just be creative and have lots of fun doing so. If you would like to share your creations, please ask your parents or guardians to upload images of your work to twitter, tagging @DevonshireJun or email office@devjunacademy.org.uk (please do not send photos with faces or names).

#### Dissect a flower and arrange it for a photograph



Robbie Honey is an artist that takes photographs of the different parts of flowers. Research his work and take a photograph of a flower in his style. Alternatively, you can draw and colour each part on paper.

### Using a pencil - draw one of your house plants in detail.



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qMkcu8L4IIA

This YouTube video will help guide you through some drawing techniques. Don't worry if you don't have a house plant to draw — use an image from the Internet. Please ask an adult when using YouTube so that they can ensure you are safe online.

#### Create a sculpture in the style of Dale Chihuly



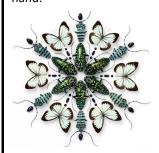
Research the exhibition: Reflections in Nature by Dale Chihuly.

If you have your own resources you could create your own flower, plant or tree sculpture.

If not – you could design what your sculpture would look like and brainstorm which materials you would like to use to create it.

## **Symmetrical Photography Art**

Butterflies have an interesting life cycle. Use images of the different stages of their life to create an image similar to artist: **Christopher Marley** – You could use an app and photographs or draw your images free hand.





Draw your own lifecycle to show changes over time,



Choose an aspect of your life that has changed over time. How could you show these changes in a piece of art? How will this continue to change in the future? You can use any art materials you choose. It could be a photomontage.

## From an Egg to a Duck



Using bright, vibrant colours – show the life cycle of a duck from egg to duckling to adult duck. Fill all your page with colour. This could be paint, felt pens (blend with water) collage using different paper – be creative.