

## Visual Arts Virtual Learning

# High School Drawing II Unit: Observational Perspective Lesson: Imagination is ALIVE

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### Objective/Learning Target:

The students will be arranging, possibly photographing, and drawing creatively with items around them. The student will create an original drawing that correctly shows observational skills utilizing everyday items.



### Let's get started:

Creativity Warm Up: Draw things that make noise and illustrate the sound.



### **Activity Lesson:**

Today, we will continue this lesson and create at least one sketch. Find a new object around the house. If you drew a paperclip into a human, try a new object as a new item like a car. Variety is key, it allows you to explore new avenues.

Below are some examples of what you can create with the object(s) that you collect.

The artist below is <u>Christoph Niemann</u>. He illustrates images for the New York Times, and to get his creativity growing he enjoys making everyday items come to life.







# Activity Lesson: More Examples:











### Check for Understanding:

- 1. What items did you pick for your everyday item?
- 2. What difficulties did you have with your everday object?
- 3. Did you try to rearrange item? Instead of right side up did you tilt it or put it laying down?
- 4. How would you describe your artwork with your everyday item? Goofy? Scary? Awkward? Shy?
- 5. What suggestions would you share if you were to direct a peer on this artwork so far?
- 6. What do you think your weaknesses and strengths are at this point?
- 7. Do you think this helped your imagination?
- 8. Have you tried something like this before?
- 9. Did you have difficulty creating something original?
- 10. Did you try to put your item in an action or involved in a movement? For example the avocado was being caught by the baseball player.



### **Announcement:**

Please post your artwork on Twitter and/or Instagram using the hashtag #isddoesart

All of the teachers are excited to see our students and their work!



### Resources and Supporting Material:

<u>Christoph Niemann- Making art with everyday</u> <u>objects</u>

<u>Digital Synopsis of Design, Advertising, & Creative Inspiration</u>

How to create fun illustrations

24 Creative drawings using everyday objects

12 Creative drawings using everyday objects Kaif Sketch