

ART ELEMENTARY

EGYPTIAN ART 3 PROJECT UNIT



3 ART HISTORY PROJECTS:
EGYPTIAN ART LESSONS FOR ELEMENTARY OR MIDDLE SCHOOL

ART HISTORY FOCUS



This project unit is geared to elementary & middle school students.



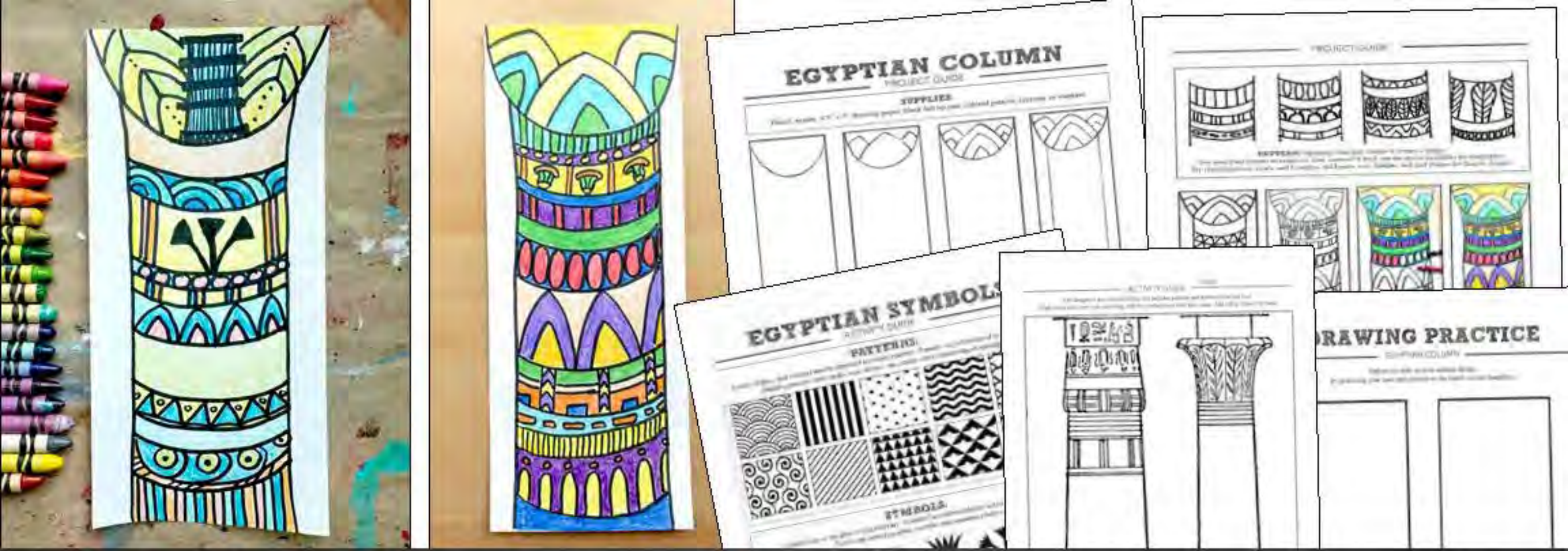
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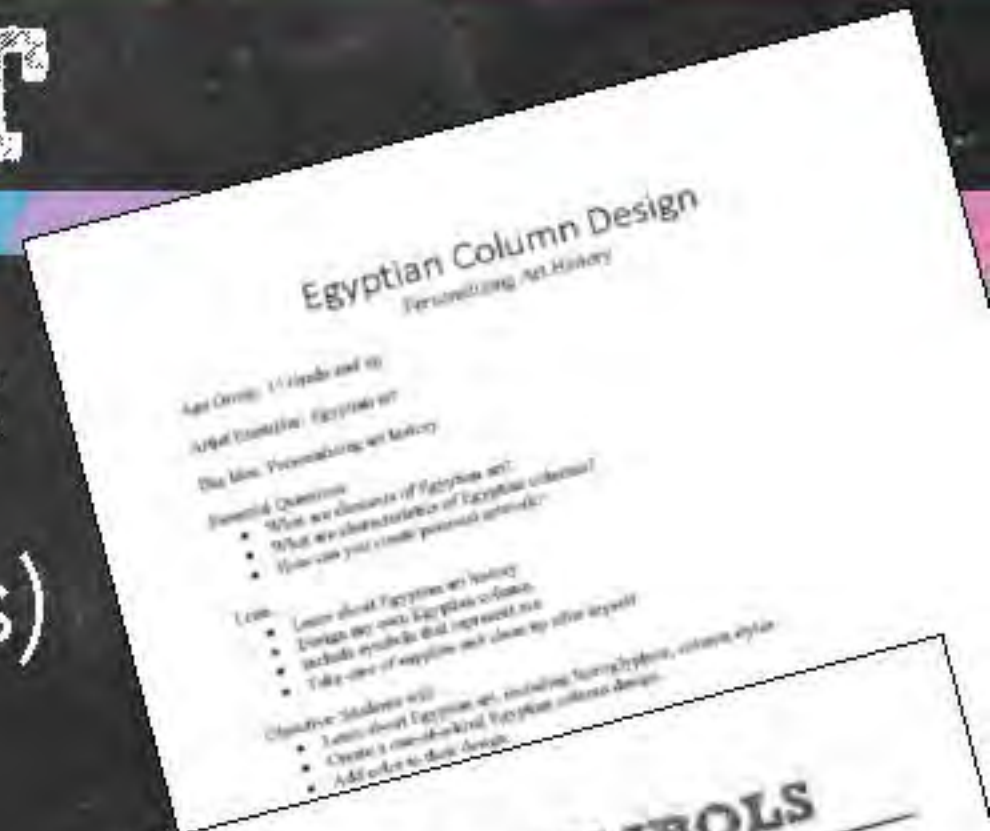
COLUMN PROJECT

LINE, SHPAPE, PATTERN, & SYMBOLS ART HISTORY LESSON

WHAT YOU GET

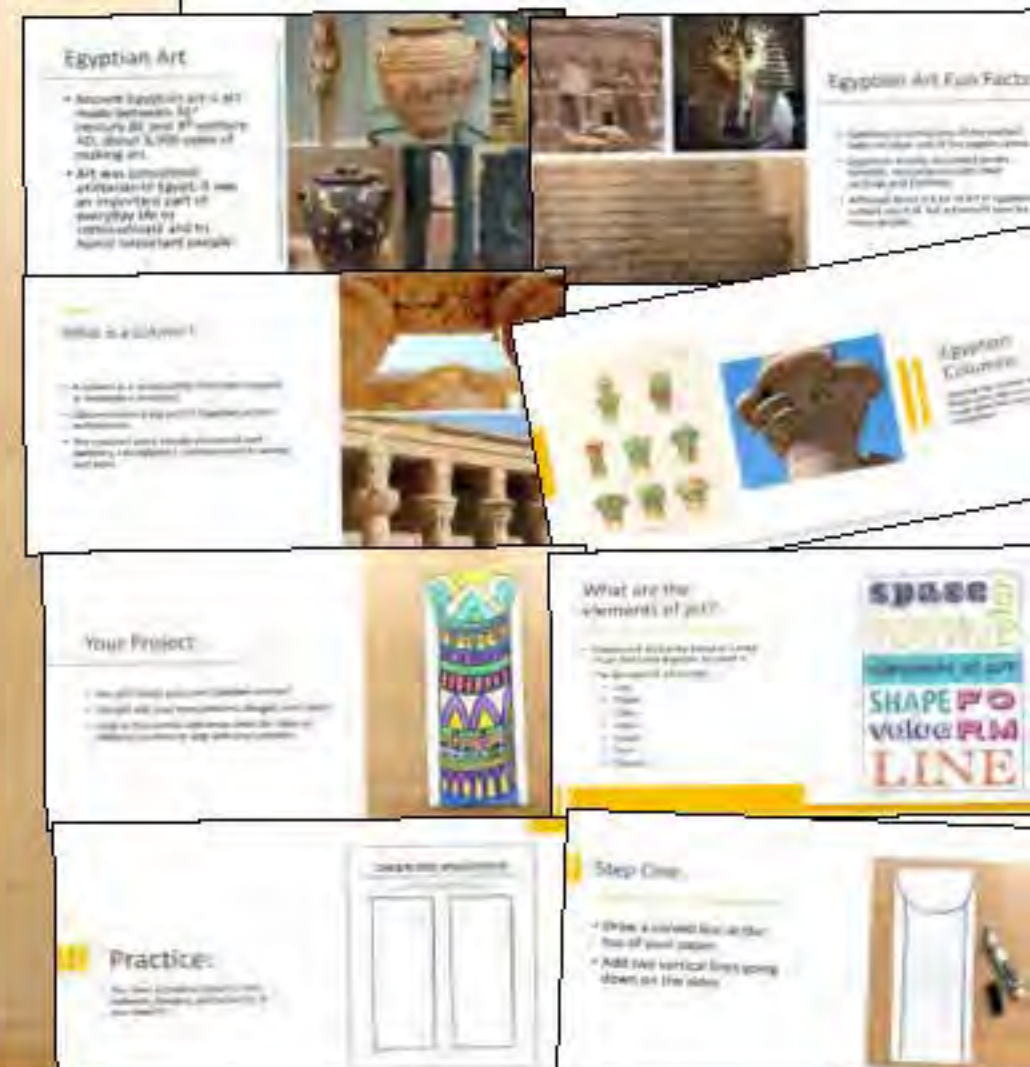
This Project Pack Includes:

- ✔ Lesson plan & notes (6 pages)
- ✔ Demo Video (6 minutes)
- ✔ Fast Finisher (3 pages)
- ✔ Project Guide (3 pages)
- ✔ PowerPoint (20 slides)
- ✔ Checklist (1 page)



Today...

- Practice column designs if needed!
- Add a curving line to create the top of your column.
- Add two lines to create the sides of the column.
- Add curving, smile lines to create stripes.
- Add patterns to some of the stripes.
- Pick 1 or 2 symbols to add.
- Add color to your design.
- Optional: Work on a early finisher activity.



PRESENTATION

PROJECT INTRODUCTION, WARM & COOL INTRO, 20 SLIDES



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DEMO VIDEO

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CREATING THE PROJECT

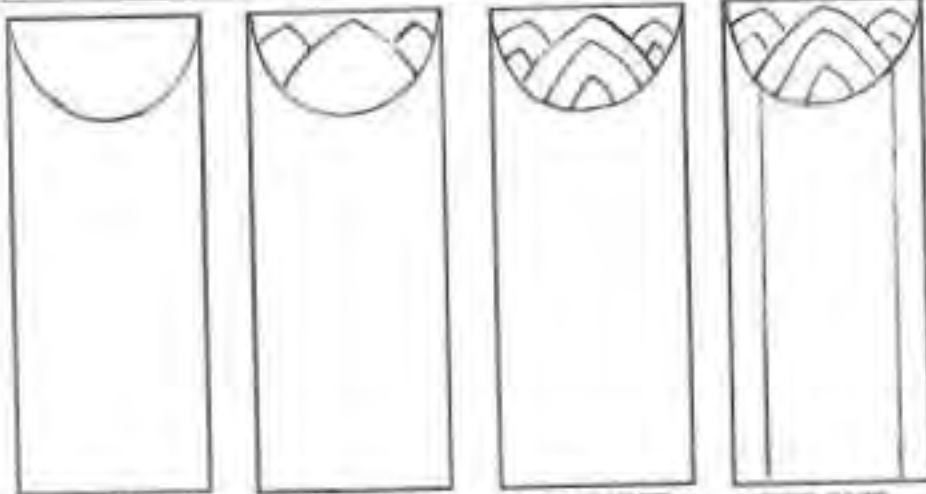
6 MINUTES LONG

EGYPTIAN COLUMN

PROJECT GUIDE

SUPPLIES:

Pencil, eraser, 8 1/2" x 11" drawing paper, black felt tip pen, colored pencil, scissors, or markers.



STEP ONE:

Draw a curving line for the top of the capital of the column.

STEP TWO:

Add curving triangle shapes at the top like you see here.

STEP THREE:

Add smaller curved triangles under the first set to create a decorative look.

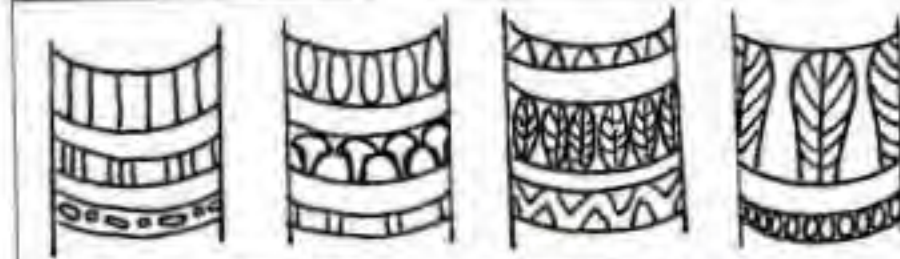
STEP FOUR:

Draw vertical lines for the outlines of the column.

STEP FIVE:

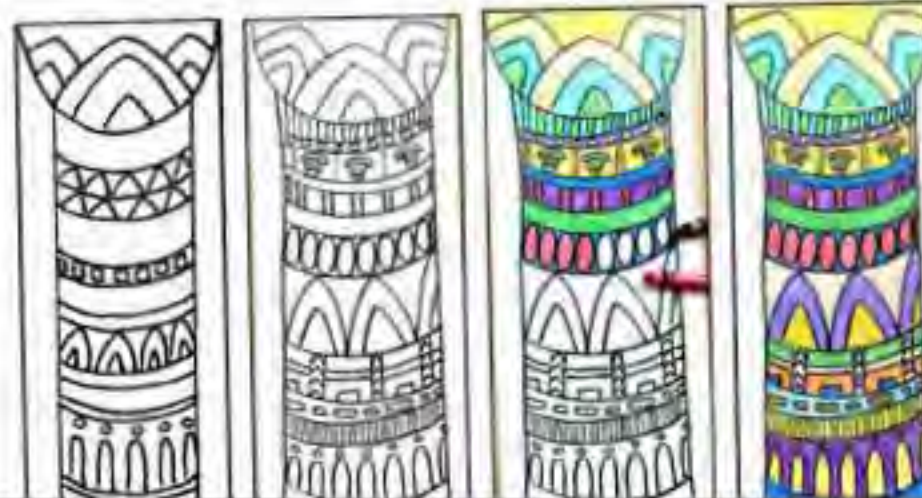
Make curving stripes across the column to divide it into sections. Vary the width between curves to create some thin stripes and some wide stripes. You will add patterns to some of these sections in the next step.

PROJECT GUIDE



PATTERNS:

Use any repeating lines and shapes to create a design. Think about what patterns you could use on your column? Check out the various examples for inspiration. Use repeating lines, angles, and shapes. Add patterns, textures, and feel shapes to these designs.

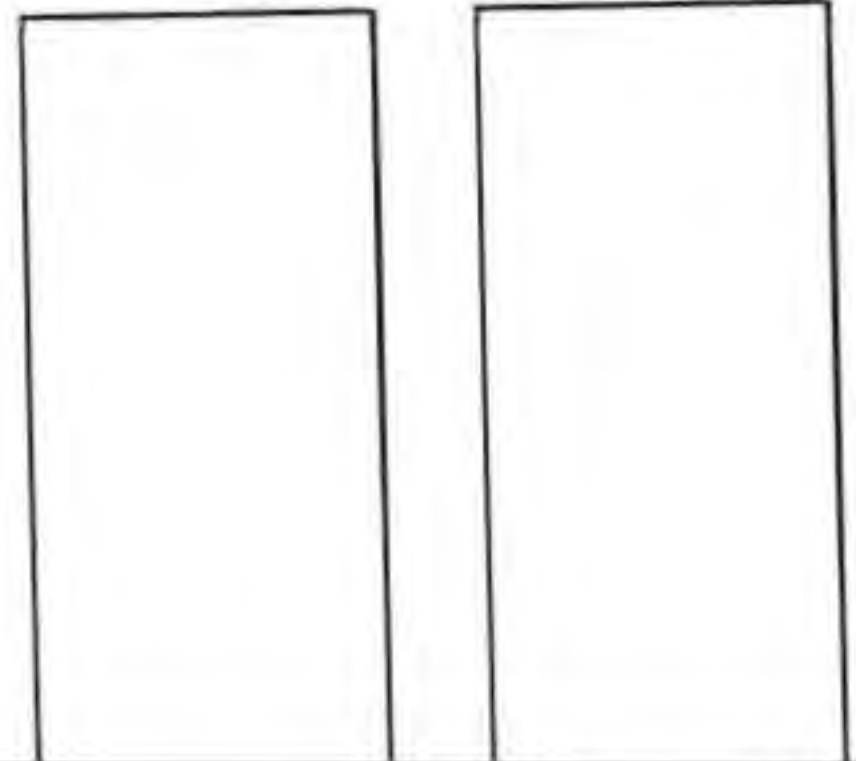


DRAWING PRACTICE

EGYPTIAN COLUMN

Before you start on your column design,

try practicing your lines and patterns on the below column templates.



PROJECT GUIDE

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS,
COLOR & COLOUR SPELLING, 2 PAGES

EGYPTIAN SYMBOLS

ACTIVITY GUIDE

PATTERNS:

3 lines, shapes, and colors can be recycled at every position. This creates a rich blend in Egyptian art.
Simple patterns, such as the ones below, can create really interesting designs as well.



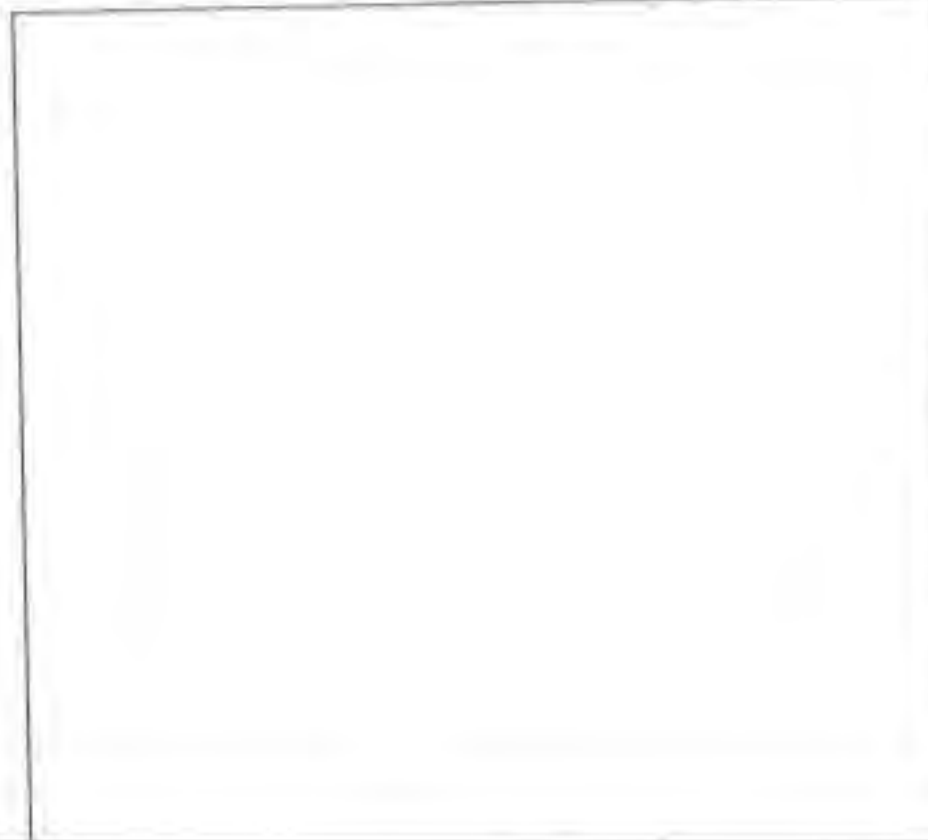
SYMBOLS:

Symbols are a big part of Egyptian art. Symbols are often used to create big, full scenes.
Check out some Egyptian symbols and meaning below.



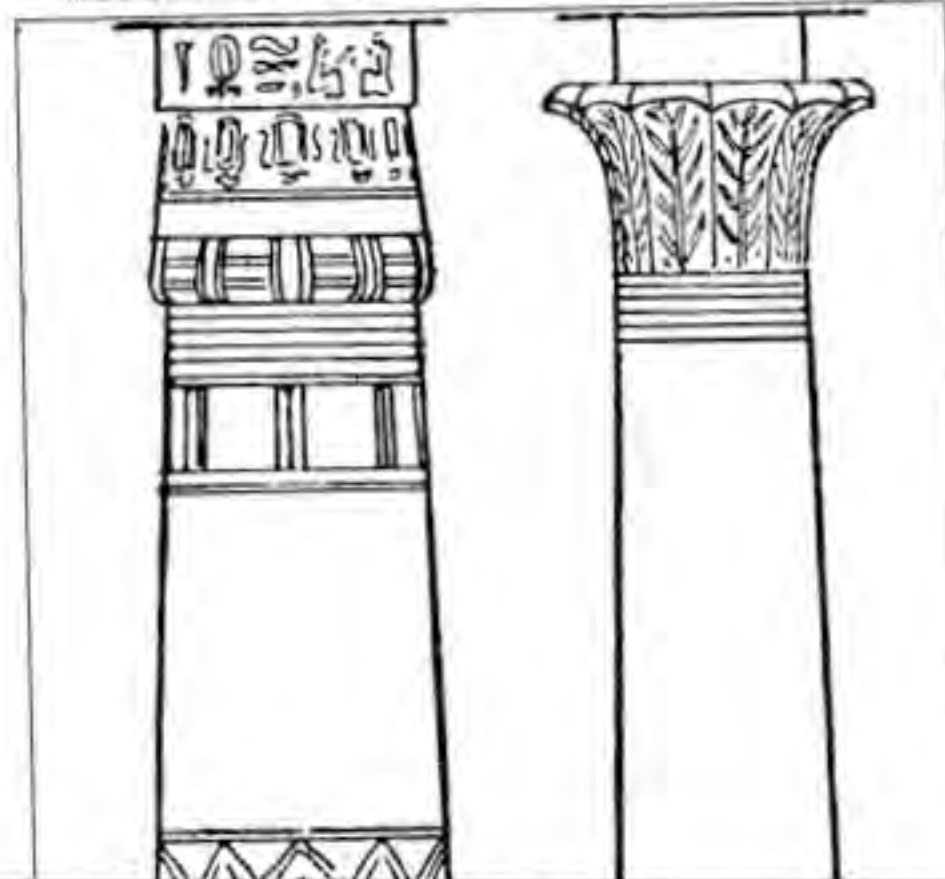
ACTIVITY GUIDE

1. Draw a design using the patterns and symbols from the first page.
Think about what your lines are telling with the symbols and what they mean. Add colors when you like.



ACTIVITY GUIDE

2. Add Egyptian symbols to your design.
Think about what your design is telling and how the symbols are helping to tell the story.



FAST FINISHER

EXPLORING PATTERN & SYMBOLS, 2 PAGES



SARCOPHAGUS PROJECT

PATTERN & SYMBOLISM ART HISTORY LESSON

WHAT YOU GET

This Project Pack Includes:

- ✔ Lesson plan & notes (6 pages)
- ✔ Demo Video (7 minutes)
- ✔ Fast Finisher (3 pages)
- ✔ Project Guide (3 pages)
- ✔ PowerPoint (18 slides)
- ✔ Checklist (1 page)



Today...

- ❑ Practice pattern designs if needed!
- ❑ Add an oval for the head.
- ❑ Add a headdress and face.
- ❑ Add curving, smile lines to create stripes.
- ❑ Add patterns to some of the stripes.
- ❑ Pick symbols to add.
- ❑ Add color to your design.
- ❑ Optional: Work on a early finisher activity.



Egyptian Art

- Ancient Egypt is one of the world's oldest civilizations. It existed from about 3,100 years of making art.
- Art was considered an important part of everyday life in ancient Egypt and is found throughout the country.



Egyptian Art and Parts

- Egyptian art is made of many different materials, including stone, wood, and metal.
- Egyptian art is often found in tombs and temples.
- Egyptian art is often made of gold and silver.

What is a sarcophagus?

- A sarcophagus is a large stone coffin.
- They were used to hold the bodies of the dead.
- They were often decorated with hieroglyphs and other symbols.



Egyptian Sarcophagi

- Sarcophagi were often made of stone or wood.
- They were often decorated with hieroglyphs and other symbols.
- They were often made of gold and silver.



Your Project

1. You will create your own Egyptian sarcophagus.
2. You will use markers to create patterns and symbols.
3. You will use the patterns and symbols to create your own Egyptian sarcophagus.
4. You will use the patterns and symbols to create your own Egyptian sarcophagus.



Pattern

- When you repeat lines, colors, and shapes in a predictable way it creates a pattern.
- Patterns were used by ancient Egyptians to create their art.
- You will use patterns to create your own Egyptian sarcophagus.



Step One

- I started making a template from the materials I had.
- I used the patterns and symbols to create my own Egyptian sarcophagus.
- I added an oval to the top of the sarcophagus.




Early Finisher

- You will use the patterns and symbols to create your own Egyptian sarcophagus.

PRESENTATION

PROJECT INTRODUCTION, WARM & COOL INTRO, 18 SLIDES

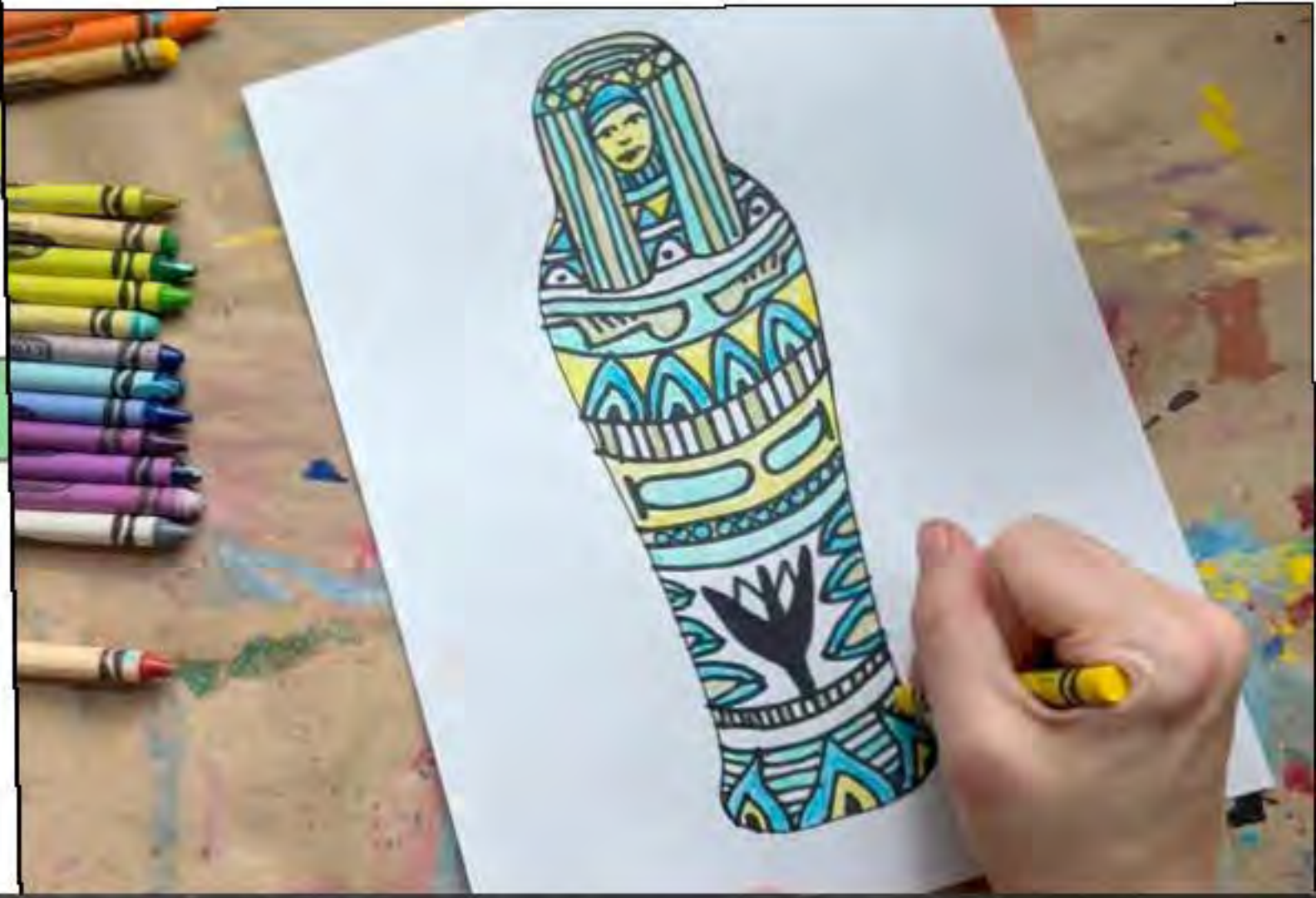


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DEMO VIDEO

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CREATING THE PROJECT

7 MINUTES LONG

EGYPTIAN SARCOPHAGUS

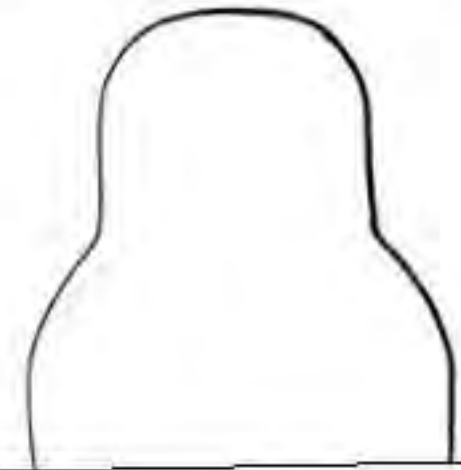
DESIGN YOUR OWN



SARCOPHAGUS HEAD: Trace around the line. Add eyes, nose and a mouth. Add hair or a headdress. The headdress shows the face pattern on the face line.

EGYPTIAN SARCOPHAGUS

EXAMPLES



EGYPTIAN SARCOPHAGUS

PATTERN PRACTICE

Practice combining lines and shapes to create new patterns in the boxes below.
Look at the sarcophagus examples for pattern ideas.
When you feel ready, design your own sarcophagus on the next page.

EGYPTIAN SYMBOLISM

ACTIVITY GUIDE

PATTERNS:

Look at the patterns below and try to create your own patterns. Patterns are often found in Egyptian art.
Simple patterns, such as the ones below, are a good starting point.



SYMBOLS:

HANDOUTS & ACTIVITIES

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS, EXAMPLES, FAST FINISHERS

COLOR & COLOUR SPELLING, 3 PAGES

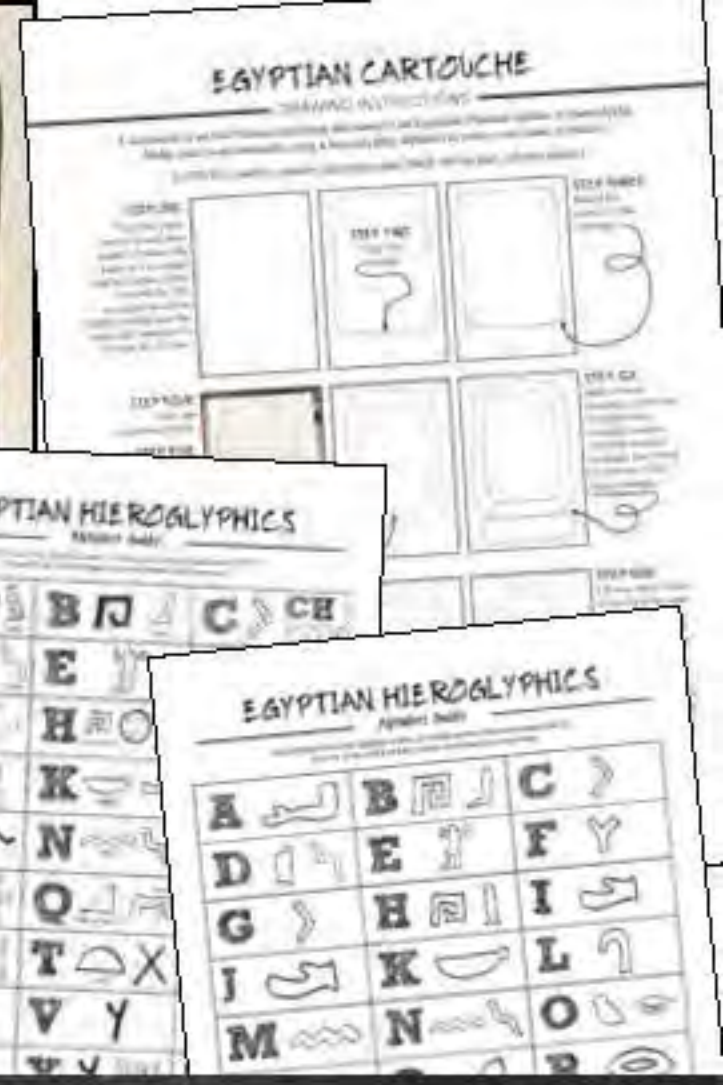
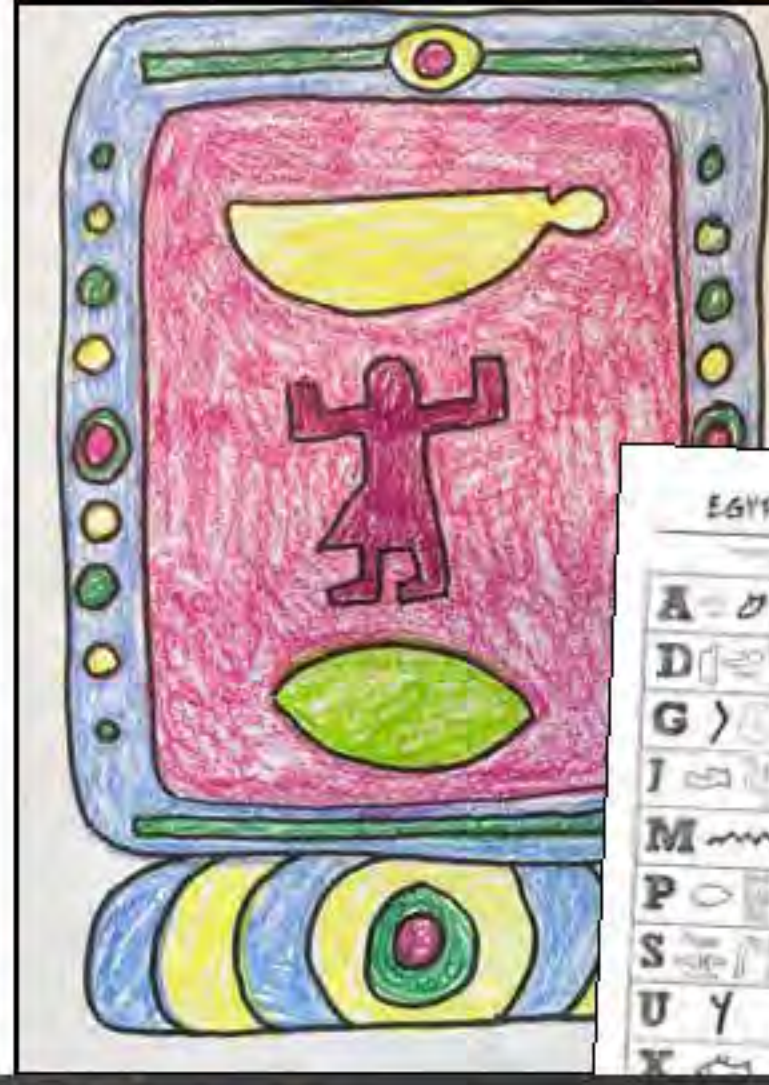
SARCOPHAGUS DESIGN

CHECKLIST

- _____ Optional: traced the sarcophagus template on a sheet of paper.
- _____ Added a face to the design.
- _____ Added a headdress, hair, or similar decoration around the face.
- _____ Added curving, smile lines to create stripes.
- _____ Added patterns to some of the stripes.
- _____ Lines, shapes, and colors are repeated to create patterns.
- _____ Picked symbols to add to personalize the design and symbolism
- _____ Added color to your design, selected colors based on meaning.
- _____ The color helps to emphasize the pattern in the design.
- _____ Optional: Worked on an early finisher activity.
- _____ Cared for supplies and cleaned up after yourself.

GRADING

CHECKLIST, 1 PAGE



CARTOUCHE DRAWING

INTRO TO PRINTMAKING & A LOOK AT HIEROGLYPHICS

EGYPTIAN ART

The pack includes:

- ✔ Lesson plan
- ✔ Teacher notes
- ✔ 4 art guides
- ✔ Intro presentations
- ✔ 2 Egyptian art activities
- ✔ Demo video

Egyptian Cartouche Drawing

Personalizing Art History

Age Group: 2nd Grade and up

Artist Example: Egyptian art

Big Idea: Personalizing art history

Essential Questions

- What is Egyptian art?
- What is a cartouche?
- What are hieroglyphs?

EGYPTIAN HIEROGLYPHICS

Alphabet Guide

Alphabet key for Egyptian cartouche drawing. It is a key of the symbols used in the cartouche drawing. It is a key of the symbols used in the cartouche drawing.

A	B	C	CH
D	E	F	Y
G	H	I	L
J	K	O	R
M	N	Q	TH
P	T	X	W

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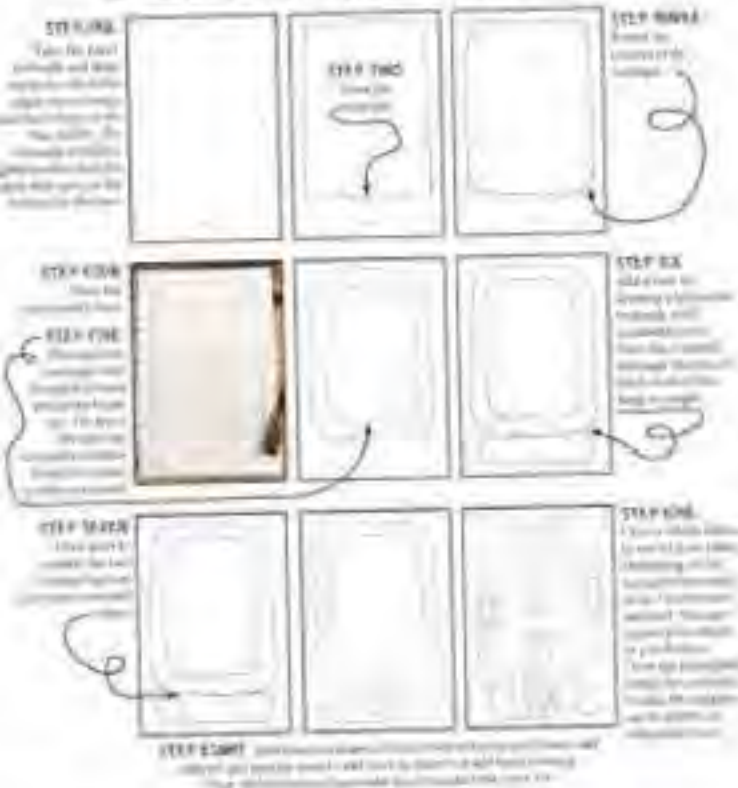
STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS ON COMPLETING
THE CARTOUCHE DRAWING

EGYPTIAN CARTOUCHE

DRAWING INSTRUCTIONS

A cartouche is an oval frame containing the name of an Egyptian Pharaoh written in hieroglyphs. Most are now unrecognizable although others still stand as some of our best examples of ancient Egyptian art.

(SPACE provided around drawing page, check size to your colored pencil)



EGYPTIAN HIEROGLYPHICS

Alphabet Guide

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EGYPTIAN SARCOPHAGUS

DESIGN YOUR OWN



4 ART GUIDES:

HOW TO DRAW AN EGYPTIAN CARTOUCHE, 2 VERSION OF HIEROGLYPHICS GUIDE, SARCOPHAGUS DESIGN



Your project...

- You will create your own Egyptian cartouche.
- You will draw out the shape of a cartouche, add decoration, and write your name using hieroglyphics.

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS WITH VISUALS & TEXT



PRESENTATION

ART HISTORY, GOALS, AND VISUAL INSTRUCTIONS



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4/9 "Cartouche" illustration



CARTOUCHE PRINT

INTRO TO PRINTMAKING & A LOOK AT HIEROGLYPHICS

PRINTMAKING

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- ✔ Demo video

EGYPTIAN CARTOUCHE CHECKLIST

- The cartouche shape is correct, an oval at the top, a base at the bottom.
- There is at least a pencil width between the two oval shapes at the top.
- The corners of the rectangles are rounded.
- The correct hieroglyphics were drawn the spill out the student's name, address, or initials.
- The cartouche was correctly transferred to the front matrix.
- Printing instructions were followed, at least one successful print was created.
- The print was colored in and properly labeled.
- The student cared for supplies and cleaned up after themselves.

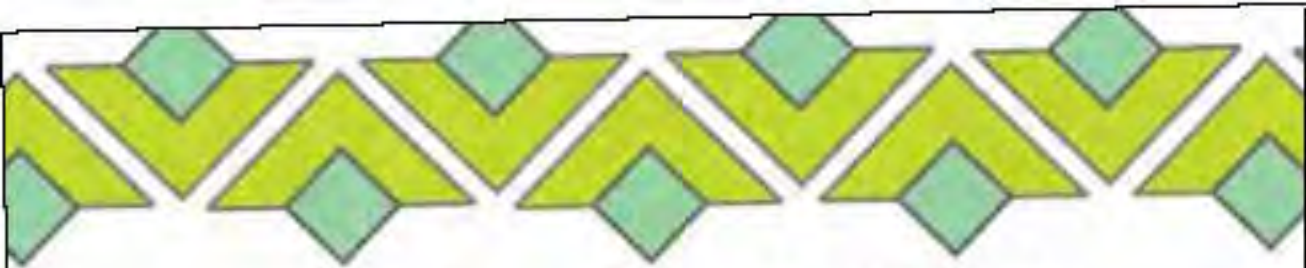
What is an Edition? SIGNING & NUMBERING AN EDITION OF PRINTS

An EDITION of prints is a set of identical prints printed at the same time from the same MATRIX & MATRIX is the object or surface to which an image is created on and prints are printed from.

On an edition, calculations written in pencil in the upper hand side (and bearing the initials of the artist) are as follows:

- Total print count under the right corner.
- Add a line to the center.
- Number the first under the left corner. The first number will which print it is in the order it was printed. The second number tells how many prints are in the edition. Example: 2/3 (second print out of a total of 3 prints).





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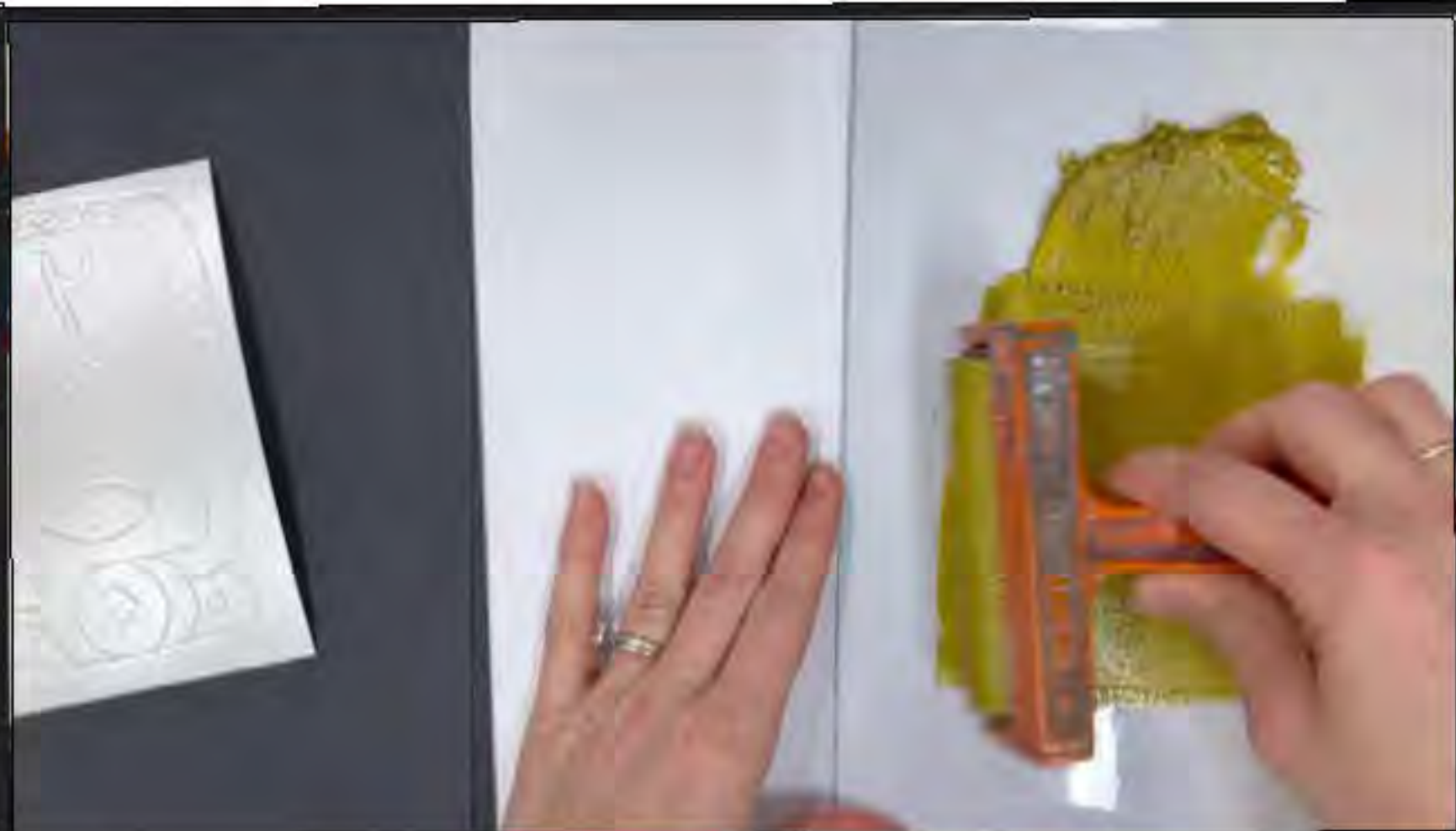
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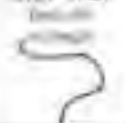
A cartouche is an oval frame containing the name of an Egyptian Pharaoh written in hieroglyphs.
Make your own cartouche using a library (pic-alpha) to write your name or initials!

SUPPLIES: parchment, drawing paper, black felt tip pen, colored pencils

STEP ONE

Use a compass to draw a circle. Then draw an oval around it. This will be the frame for your cartouche. The oval should be slightly wider than it is tall.

STEP TWO



STEP THREE



EGYPTIAN HIEROGLYPHICS

Alphabet Guide

Use the symbols to the left of each letter to help you draw the letter. The symbols are drawn using a compass and a straight edge.

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EGYPTIAN SARCOPHAGUS

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4 DRAWING GUIDES:

HOW TO DRAW AN EGYPTIAN CARTOUCHE,
2 VERSION OF HIEROGLYPHICS GUIDE



BREAKING DOWN
THE STEPS FOR
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INTRODUCTION, STEPS, AND OVERVIEW

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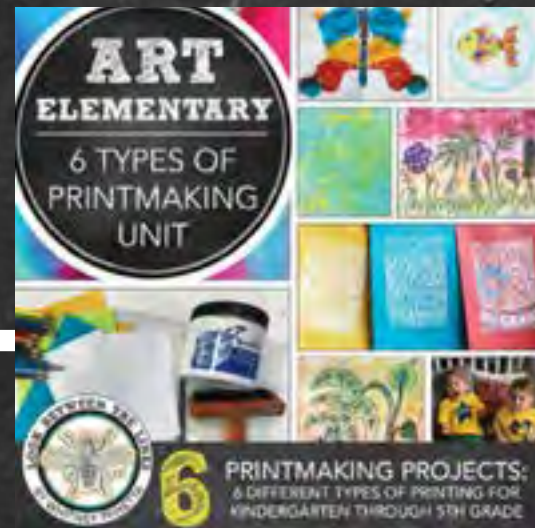


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