

Nasher Sculpture Center

Virtual Field Trip

Title: How Sculptures Are Made

Grade Level: Elementary

Learn about the various methods and materials for creating a sculpture. Students will plan out how they could create an original work of art with the material of their choice.

Outcomes

Students will:

- 1) Learn about a variety of methods and materials used by modern and contemporary artists to create sculpture.
- 2) Discover how everyday objects can be recycled to create a work of art.
- 3) Plan an original work of art with the material of their choice inspired by their interests and experiences.

Materials Needed

Teachers, please make sure students have these supplies available before your Virtual Field Trip begins:

- 2 Sheets of paper
- Crayons or markers

Preparing for your Virtual Field Trip

If the Nasher is setting up a secure Zoom link:

Please ensure that all devices used by teacher and students have access to Zoom and have received the Zoom link from the Nasher. [Download Zoom](#) on your computer, tablet, or smartphone for free in advance for the best user experience. Nasher staff will follow up with you before your Virtual Field Trip to facilitate an AV test session.

If you or your school is setting up a videoconference link:

Please share the link with your contact at the Nasher no later than one week in advance of your scheduled Virtual Field Trip. Nasher staff will follow up with you before your Virtual Field Trip to facilitate an AV test session.

After your Virtual Field Trip

- Nasher staff will send you a survey. Please complete it to help us evaluate our program.
- Find more resources from the Nasher at:
<https://www.nashersculpturecenter.org/read-watch/art-activities-lessons>

TEKS

Elementary School Students Will:

- 112.13. Science, Grade 4: (b) (5) (A) Students will compare and contrast physical properties of matter.
- 112.13. Science, Grade 4: (b) (1) (B) Students will make informed choices in reusing and recycling of materials.
- 111.6. Mathematics, Grade 4: (b) (1) (A) Students will apply mathematics to problems arising in everyday life and artmaking.
- 117.114. Art, Grade 4: (b) (A) Students will explore and communicate ideas drawn from life experiences about self, peers, family, school, or community and from the imagination as sources for original works of art.