

DRAWING IDEAS SHEET

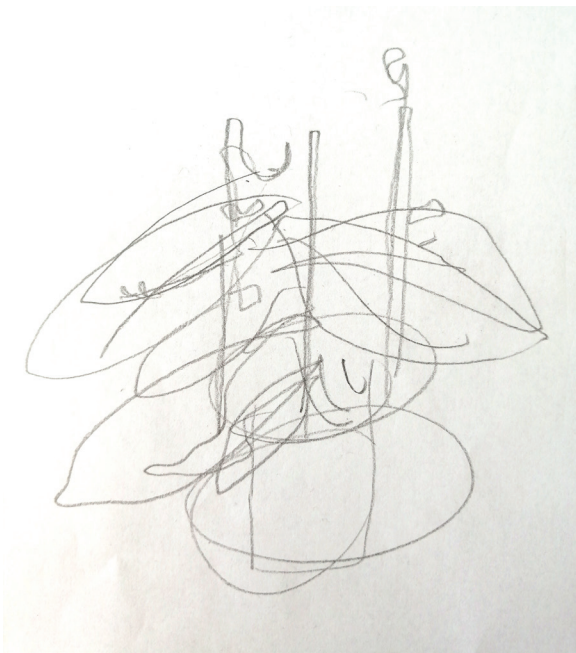


Memory and blind contour drawing



DRAW FROM MEMORY

Think of an amazing day from your past and draw it. What made it such a brilliant day? How can you show that? It doesn't matter what your drawing looks like - as long as it takes you back to the moment. I've drawn a memory from last summer. I got up early in the morning and swam out to the middle of a lake where an osprey was fishing and mist was hanging above the water.



BLIND CONTOUR DRAWING

Make a drawing of any object without looking at your drawing until it's finished. While drawing, look closely at the object and trust your hand to capture something of it. This exercise helps you to develop hand eye coordination and teaches you to really look at your subject. You won't produce a perfect representation of your subject matter in this way but it will help you to observe closely and draw loosely.



subject of above blind contour drawing