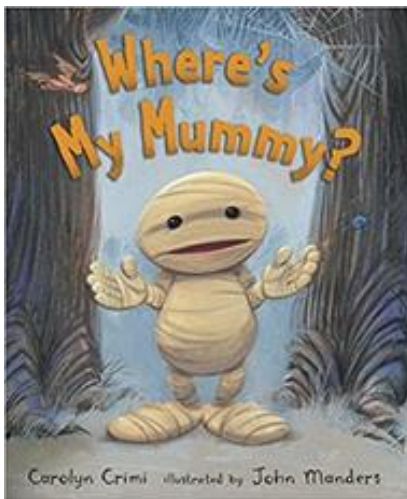


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Enjoy Tiny Thursdays at home! Explore a DAI artwork, watch a virtual read-aloud story, and then follow along with project instructions found below!

Marvelous Mummies!



Description: young artists learn about the nighttime rituals of a young mummy and make a personalized mummy using cutting and drawing skills!

Story: [“Where’s My Mummy?”](#) written by Carolyn Crimi and illustrated by John Manders (Candlewick; 2009)

Let’s talk about this artwork!

- What do you see?
- This artwork is a **sculpture** that was carved and painted.
 - What colors of paint did the artist use?
 - Which colors would you have chosen?
- This sculpture has lots of shapes and lines.
 - Can you find straight lines? Zigzags?
 - Where do you see circles? Can you find rectangles?
- This artwork can also be used as a musical instrument.
 - What kind of a sound do you think it makes?
 - What is your favorite song?
 - Hear the music and learn more [here](#).



Materials needed

- 1) one: colored cardstock/paper
- 2) pencil
- 3) masking tape
- 4) scissors
- 5) Elmer's glue/glue dots
- 6) optional: googly eyes
- 7) optional: photo of you

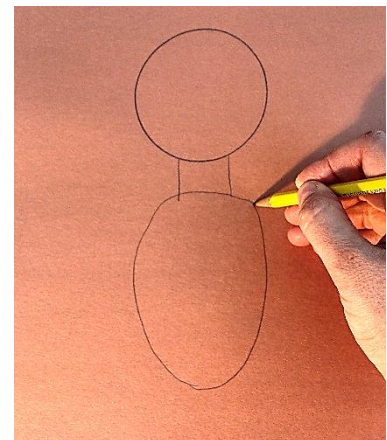
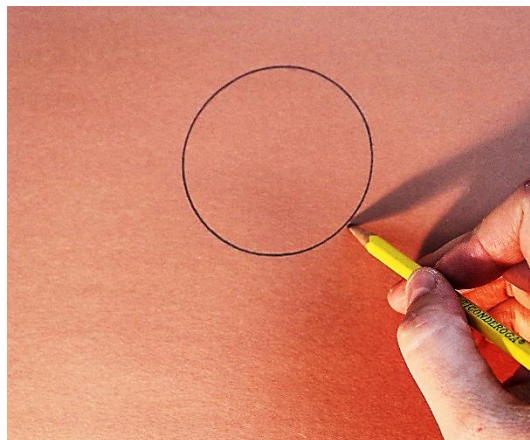


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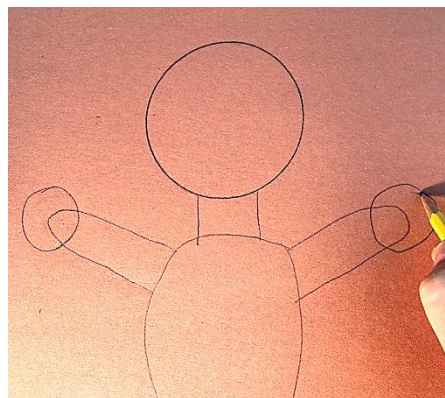
- 1) Fine / Gross Motor
 - a) drawing
 - b) cutting/tearing
- 2) Language Development
 - a) expressive: speaking
 - b) receptive: listening
 - c) discussing
- 3) 21st-Century
 - a) creativity
 - b) problem-solving
 - c) collaborating

Project Instructions

- 1) In pencil, we are going to draw the outline of a mummy on colored paper. Start with a circle for the head. Draw two lines for the neck and a much larger oval for the body.

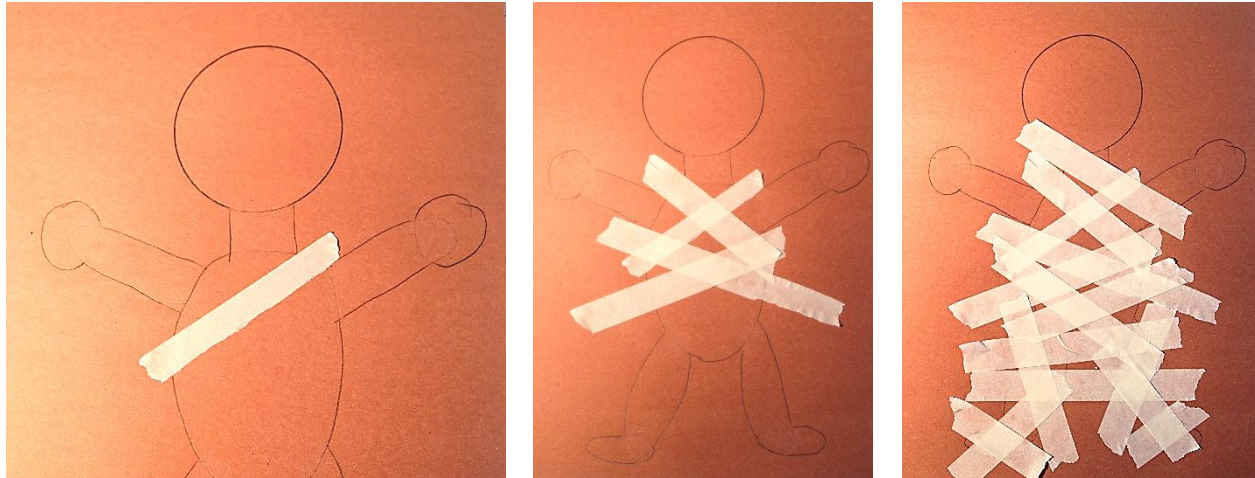


- 2) Draw two long ovals coming out of the top sides of the body for arms, adding circles for the hands. Draw two slightly larger ovals from either side of the lower part of body for legs.



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- 3) Tear off strips of masking tape and lay them **diagonally** (or half of a zigzag,) across the body of the mummy so they cross each other. You want some color of the paper to show through so try not to cover the entire body with tape.



- 4) If you are using a picture, cut out the photo head and glue it onto your mummy's body. If not using photo, glue on googly eyes or draw a face.



- 5) Trace over the body on top of the tape if needed so that you have an outline that your cutting can follow.



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6) Cut the mummy out.

Helpful hint: cut out larger areas first, then go back and cut out smaller details.

Optional: attach to a popsicle stick for play-time!

7) Wonderful work!



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