



TIME REQUIRED: 1 session



For Grades:

3-4

Simple Succulent Draw Along

LINE & VARIETY

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Black Paper
with
Construction
Paper Crayons

OR

White Paper
with
Crayons

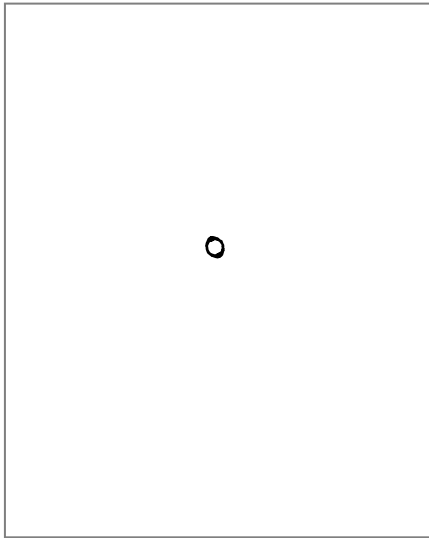


1. Give each student a piece of **black OR white paper**.
2. Pass out **construction paper crayons OR regular crayons**.
3. Instruct students to follow along with you as you draw a succulent planter on the board. Draw a rectangle first to represent the paper.
4. Students may select the color of their choice to draw their succulent planter.
5. Draw a succulent planter with the students using the **"Succulent Planter Drawing Guide"** on the next page. It doesn't have to look just like the example!
6. Optional: Students may add additional succulents using the **"Succulent Handout."** Collect handout at the end of class.
7. They may use the back of their paper to re-draw their succulent planter if they choose. No new papers should be handed out. Students need to work with their "mistakes."
8. Color with construction paper crayons OR regular crayons using the colors of their choice.
9. Instructions for art (*take home, portfolio, etc.*)



WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

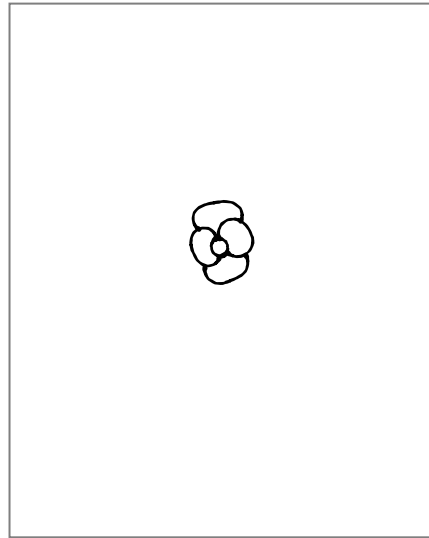
- 9" x 12" black OR white sulphite paper
- Construction paper crayons OR regular crayons
- "Succulent Planter Drawing Guide"
- "Succulents Handout" (optional)



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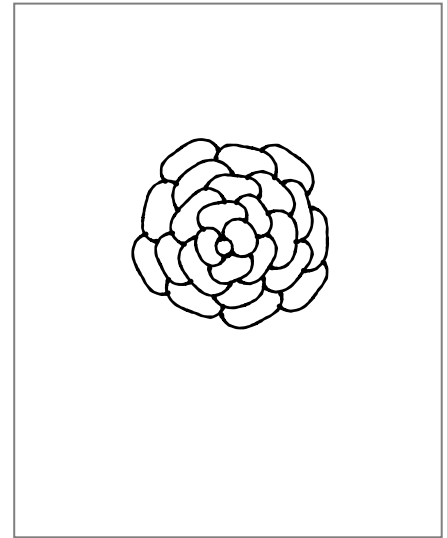
On the board, draw a rectangle to represent the paper.

Draw a small circle in the center of the paper.



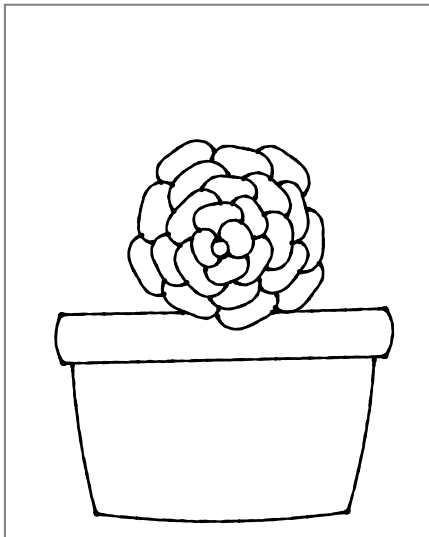
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Add "C" shapes around the circle. Continue building the succulent outward by adding additional "C" shapes.



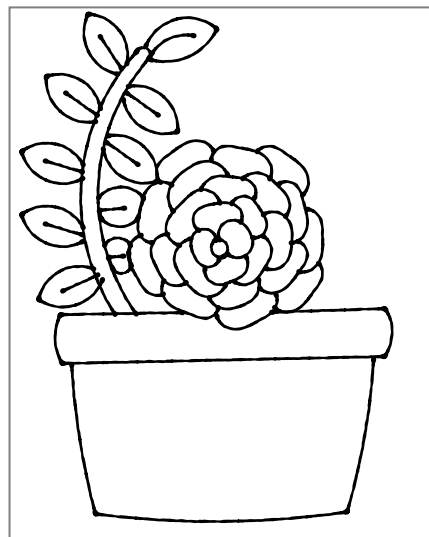
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Continue adding "C" shapes until the succulent is large and round.



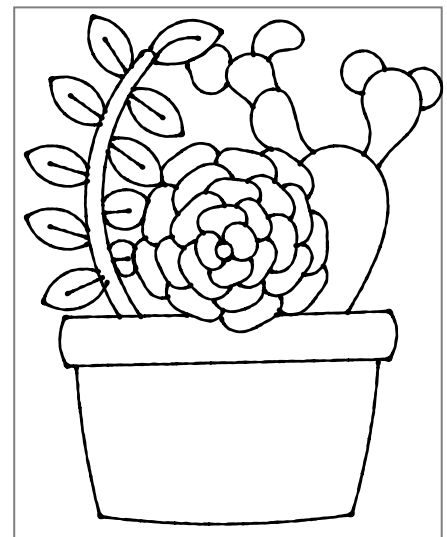
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Add a long, skinny rectangle under the succulent. The top of the rectangle may be "behind" the succulent. Add two vertical lines and connect them at the bottom to make the pot.



5

Draw a curved line out of the pot. Curve the line and go back to the pot to make a thick stem. Add leaves.



6

For the cactus, draw a large upside-down "U." Stack smaller "U's" on top of the base. Add "X's" on the cactus for its spines. Draw a pattern on the pot. Add additional plants if desired.

Succulent Planter DRAWING GUIDE



Succulents HANDOUT

I CAN STATEMENTS

- Today I will learn about LINE, so that I CAN follow directions to draw a SUCCULENTS PLANTER and add PATTERN to my artwork.
- Today I will learn about VARIETY, so that I CAN create artwork that is interesting by including many PATTERNS, SHAPES and COLORS in my artwork.

ASSESSMENT CHECKLIST

MAIN IDEAS FROM:
SIMPLE SUCCULENTS DRAW ALONG

STUDENT NAME: _____



Did the student draw a succulent planter that takes up most of the space on their paper?



Did the student add variety to their artwork with pattern and color?