VA Comp

For our time away from school we will be working exclusively in our sketchbooks. If you do not have your sketchbook then just use unlined paper. The goal is to draw everyday and fill our books using different techniques and styles. Hopefully it will brighten your day everyday too to spend a little time making art. I have put together a list of 10 choices for this week. They are a mix of draw along videos and drawing choices. You will pick 3 draw alongs and 3 drawing on your own choices. At the end of the week I want you to video a sketchbook tour and email it to me. A sketchbook tour is simply a quick video of an artist flipping through their sketchbook for others to enjoy. You do not have to talk on the video but flip slowly enough through your work that we can see it. Feel free to flip past other drawing you have done for our enjoyment! I will post some of the sketchbook tours on the blog Friday evening so try to get them in early that day.

Each draw along will take about 15 minutes. Your goal however is to fill the page, so once your drawing is done use some elements (lines, shapes, etc.) to make the background interesting. It isn't about just checking off the assignment it is about making your overall book something you are proud of. Remember that the 30 minutes or so that you will draw every day is 1/3 of our regular class time so make the most of it. The drawings are not about perfection or the highest level of drawing skill, it is about working to get better and to make your sketchbook a reflection of your efforts. I plan to use this time to fill one of my sketchbooks using these prompts as well!

VA Comp drawing choices Week 1

Select 3 draw alongs and 3 drawing choices from this list

Draw alongs:

Simba

https://disneyparks.disney.go.com/blog/2019/07/learn-to-draw-simba-from-the-lion-king-%EF%BB%BF/

Lady

https://disneyparks.disney.go.com/blog/2019/12/learn-to-draw-lady-from-lady-the-tramp/

Pascal from Tangled

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E3dli7U6Yv8

Optical illusion of hole in paper

https://www.pinterest.com/pin/545357836117427219/?nic_v1=1aJmkqvExR%2F6uWK9IIS2gjSGtpHxA2 PTL%2Bq7t4JTl3q6kuvS5Rha%2FYwO8cJcQiKr2P

Optical illusion of stairs in paper

https://mycrafts.com/diy/how-to-draw-3d-steps-in-a-hole-line-paper-trick-art-1/

Draw a design using 100 circles-how can you use one shape to create effective design?

Fill a page with drawings of dogs-don't forget you can overlap, change views, sizes, movements, etc.

Fill a page with your name -consider the following: size, font, position, color, repetition. How will you use your name to make a visually appealing design?

Pick an object that you use often. Design a page filled with different versions of that object. For examples may be: draw different designs of backpacks, how many styles of lamps or chairs can you come up with?, glasses, beauty products, toothbrushes, etc.