

Let's get set-up!

The word **collage** means "to stick together" in French. Think of things you can stick together! Different kinds and pieces of music can be stuck together to create new songs. Your clothing is fabric sewn (or stuck together with thread). You can learn so much by taking things apart and putting them together again. It can help us learn new ways of looking and creating; especially when we learn how to take things apart using only our imaginations!

This week, we'll need:

- Your eyes
- Items from the list below...

Watch Kay as they explore Collage on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/user/artstarts/videos>

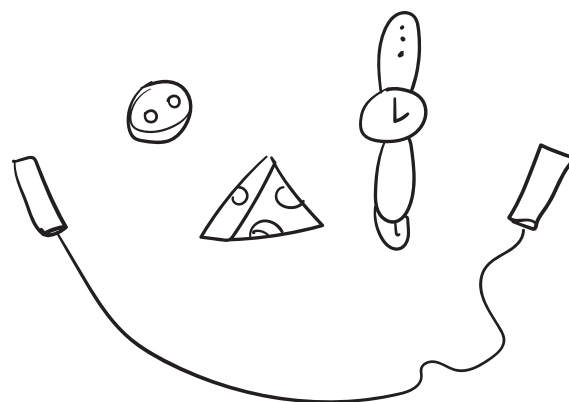
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Another word used in collage is "assemblage"; it's another french word that means to assemble or bring things together. It's a good way of practicing collage without needing to bring out the glue or tape, and makes it easy to clean up and put things away when we're done practicing!

Let's go on a scavenger hunt around your home or your classroom or a yard or a park! Can you find:

- 2 things that are round.
- 2 things that are triangular.
- 2 things that are square.
- 2 things that are long and bendable.



Look at all the things you found!! Now let's try to make a face out of what you've collected. For the eyes, what objects have you found that could be eyes? Round, or Oval objects make good eyes but so do triangles! Keep placing objects until you've made a face. Look at your face now! Does it look funny? What feelings do you see when you look at the face?

What happens when you:

- Try to use every object you found?
- When you have really big objects?
- Try to make your face happy! or Sad?
- Notice the colours of your objects?

Vocabulary. How do we describe our collage?

What can you say about your collage faces?

Found Object	Place	Mismatch
Ready Made	Too big	Surprise
Puzzle	Too small	Rainbow
Stick	Funny	Quick
Assemble		Reuse