

St. Michael's Art Academy K-2 Lesson 2: Shapes & Bugs on the Log

Student & Parent Guide

OBJECTIVES:

- Name and identify shapes: square, rectangle, circles, triangles
- Practice color mixing to make warm and cool colors
- Demonstrate basic usage of pencils and paint.
- Draw the outline of and paint basic shapes with line that evoke the idea of bugs.

STANDARDS:

In addition to course standards, meets the following criteria:

- Develops fine motor skills through usage of materials
- Identifies Element of Art: Shapes
- Integrates Catholic identity with appreciation to nature
- Introduces color theory: warm vs. cool colors

SUPPLIES NEEDED:

- Drawing pencil (No 2 or HB) and an eraser.
- Crayons or oil pastels
- Watercolor with round brush
- Flat brush (optional)
- Water to rinse brushes with
- Paper towel or napkin

STAGES OF WORK:

Stage 1: Intro to color and mixing

Stage 2: Contour drawing of garden plants and bugs (pencil)

Stage 3: Watercolor wash and painting

SHAPES: Circles, triangles, squares, and rectangles make up the shapes of bugs bodies and wings.

Truth & Goodness: All of God's creatures glorify Him and we are stewards of creation.

Challenge: Write a story inspired by your art.

