ArtMash

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Lesson ideas

Use these Lesson Ideas to spark your imagination for using Procreate in the classroom. Feel free to take them further and make them your own.

ArtMash

ArtMash is a game invented by Procreate, played by artists all over the world. It can be used as a creative warm-up, to help break artist's block, or to get you outside your comfort zone.
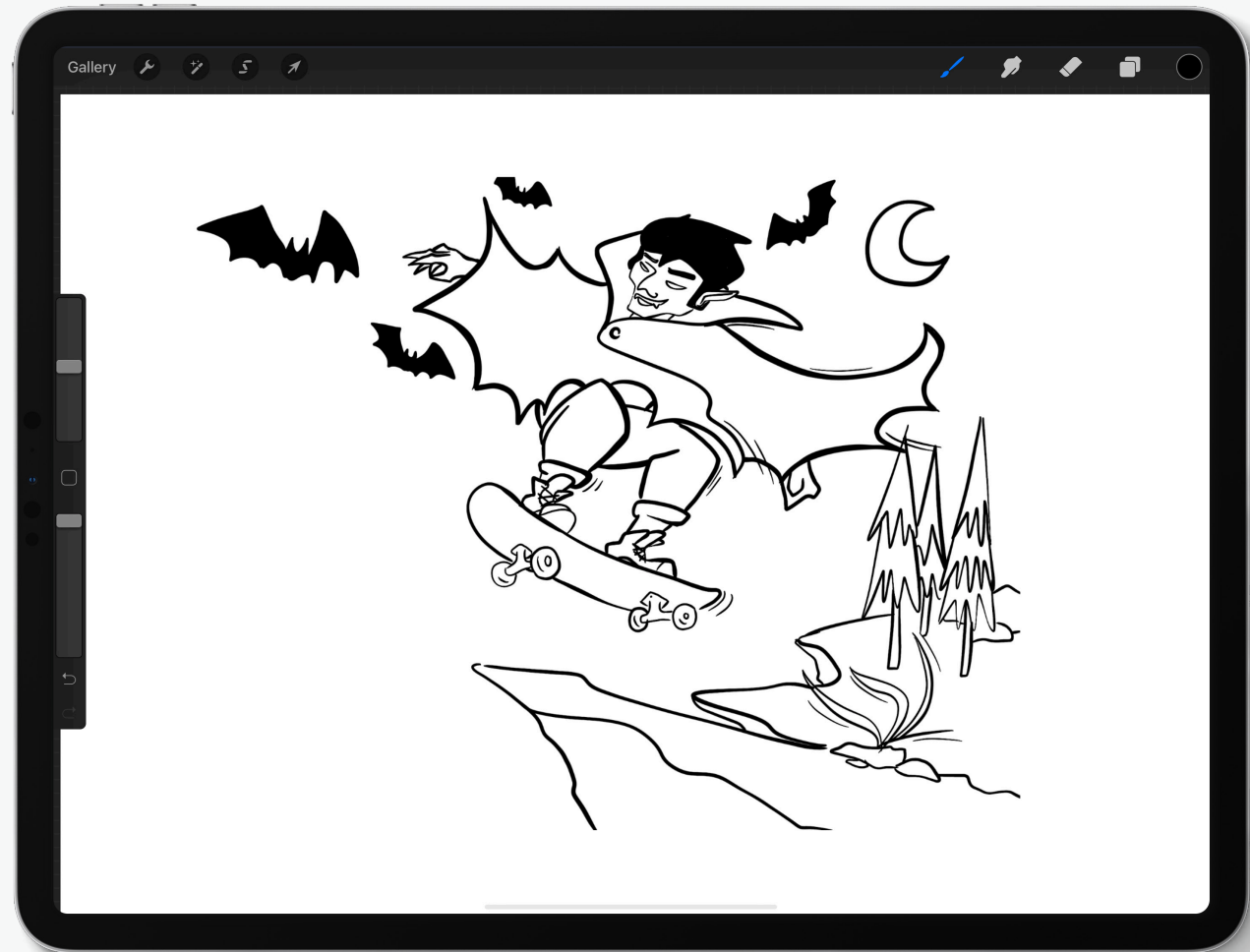
All you need is an iPad and the following app:

 Procreate

Educational Value

✓ Students enhance and practice their art making skills using digital technology.

✓ Students make informed choices about using various representational elements to represent a theme or subject matter.

✓ Students engage divergent and creative thinking skills to bring together unlikely elements in a cohesive way.

In this guide
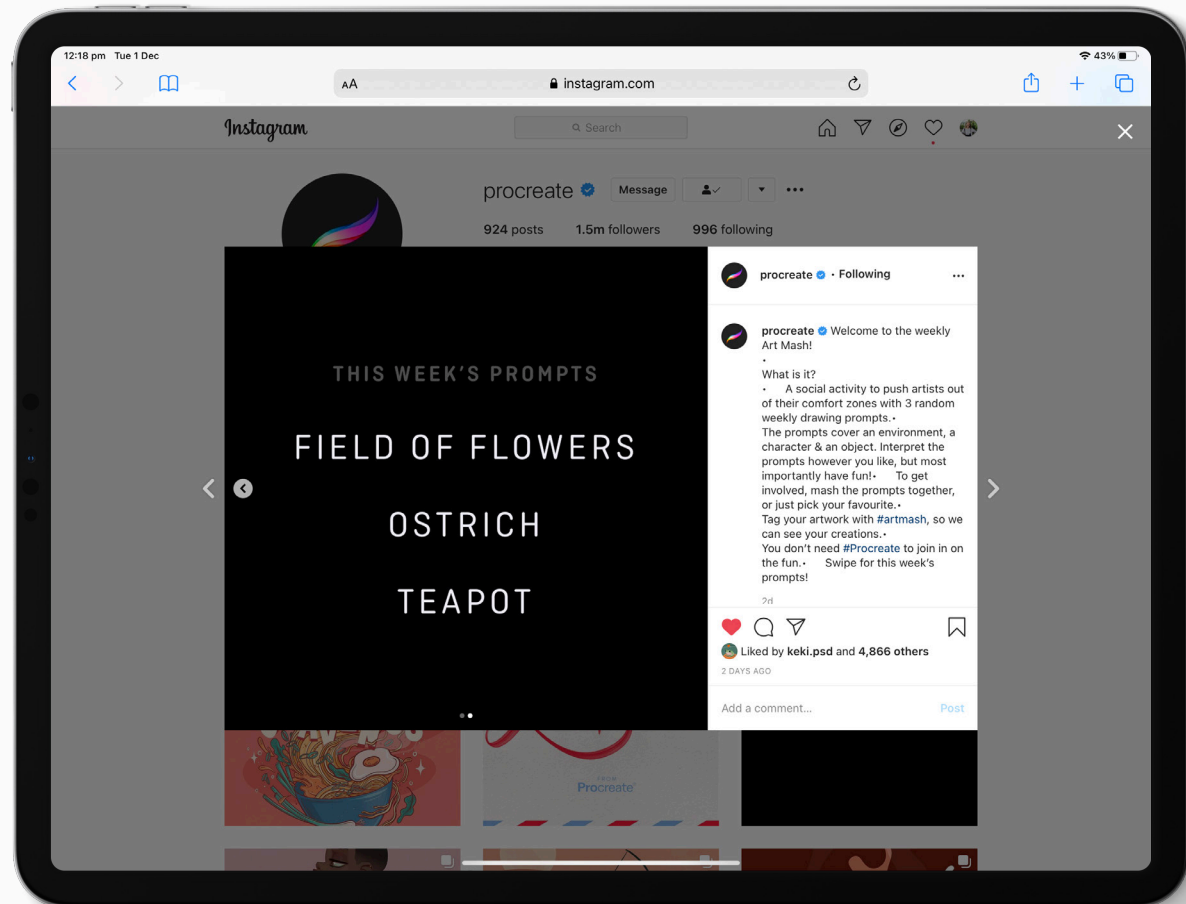
What is ArtMash?

Drawing prompts

ArtMash is a prompt-based drawing challenge. Use one, two, or three of the prompts to create an unusual scene, and start thinking outside the box.

The three prompts include...

✳ An environment

✳ An animate object (something that is alive)

✳ An inanimate object (an object or thing)

TOP TIP:

Weekly ArtMash prompts are shared on the Procreate Instagram and Twitter pages.

Create your prompts

Environment

Write down a random environment where someone's drawing might take place. You can use *Safari* to look up ideas if you need help finding inspiration, or use the suggestions drawn here.
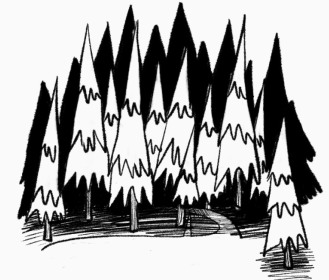
Write it on a piece of paper, and put it in a bowl along with those of your classmates.

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Animate object

On another piece of paper, write down something that is alive to be the subject of the artwork. Put this in a second bowl.
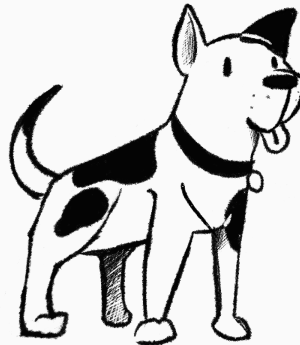
HORSE

VAMPIRE

DRAGON

DOG

SUPERHERO

WEB DEVELOPER

Inanimate object

On a final piece of paper, write down a random object or thing. Put this idea in a third bowl.
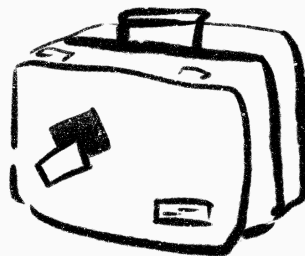
SKATEBOARD

POT PLANT

READING GLASSES

SUITCASE

PENCIL

PHONE BOOTH

Pull out of a hat
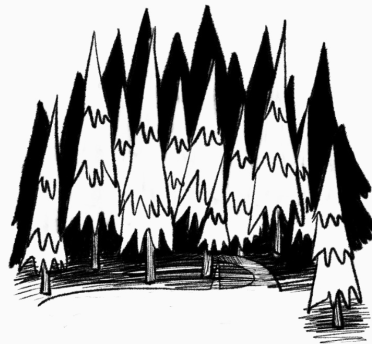
Like pulling names from a hat, go around the class and randomly select a prompt from each of the three categories.

ENVIRONMENT + ANIMATE + INANIMATE

Develop your artwork

Mash it up!

Now that you have your three prompts it's time to start drawing.

Open the *Procreate* app and tap the + in the top right to create a new A4 canvas.

Remember you can include 1, 2 or 3 of the prompts.

Take it further

Random selection

Write your three lists in the *Numbers App*, and use formulas to randomly select an item from each list.

Experiment with different formulas and see which one works the best.
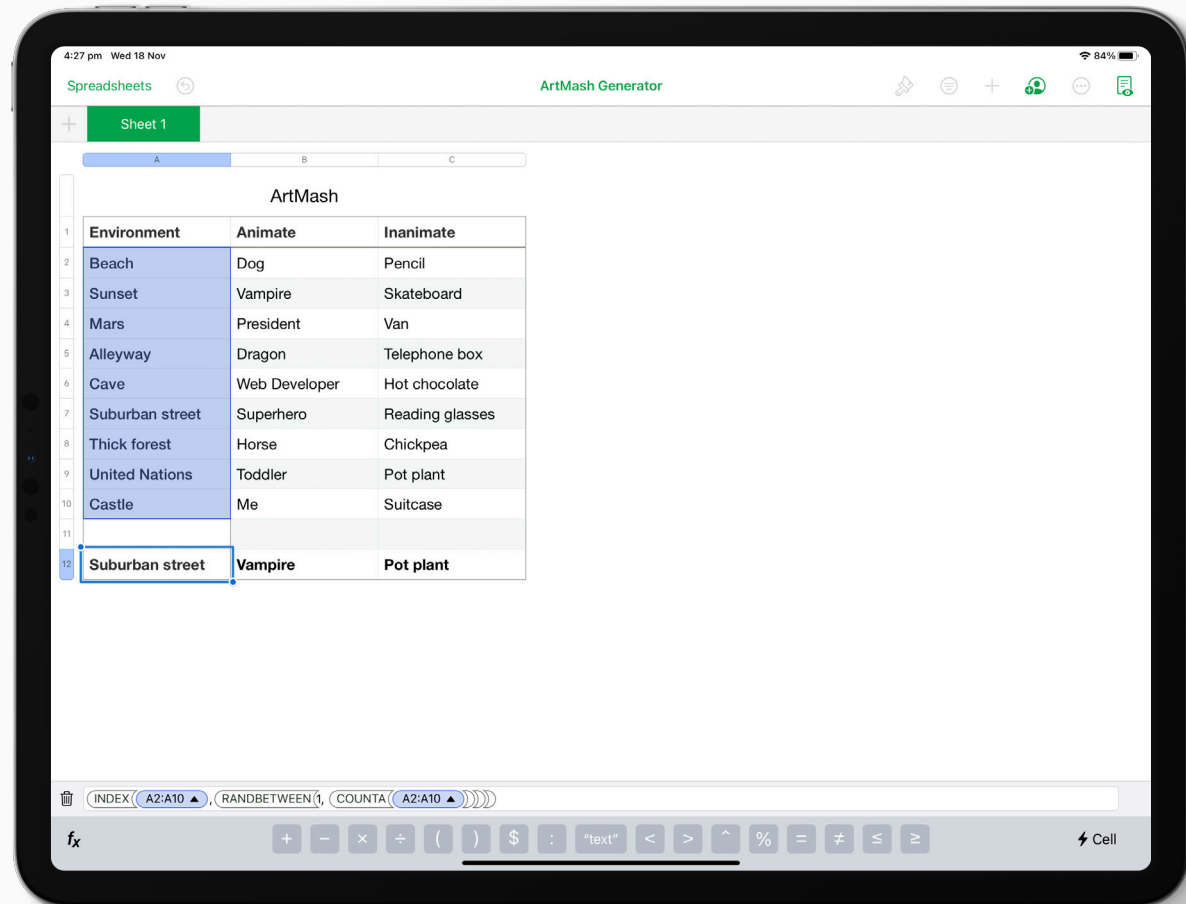

RANDBETWEEN

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The RANDBETWEEN function returns a random integer within the specified range. Both arguments are number values.

RANDBETWEEN(*lower, upper*)

- *lower:* The lower limit or bound.

HINT:

For an explanation about what the functions in *Numbers* do, tap on the function to make a pop up appear. Start by trying to replicate this example.

	Environment	Animate	Inanimate
1	Environment	Animate	Inanimate
2	Beach	Dog	Pencil
3	Sunset	Vampire	Skateboard
4	Mars	President	Van
5	Alleyway	Dragon	Telephone box
6	Cave	Web Developer	Hot chocolate
7	Suburban street	Superhero	Reading glasses
8	Thick forest	Horse	Chickpea
9	United Nations	Toddler	Pot plant
10	Castle	Me	Suitcase
11			
12	**Suburban street**	**Vampire**	**Pot plant**

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On topic

Guide students to develop prompts based on a particular unit of study or focus.

Use their illustrations to prompt creative writing and story-telling.

Share with the world

Share your ArtMash on social media with the hashtags #LearnWithProcreate and #ArtMashEDU to show other students and artists what you have created.

You can look at other people's work using these hashtags as well.

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