

# Big Thursday Tasks

## Week beginning 04.05.20

### Art around the world

Kon'nichiwa artists! Today we are travelling to Japan to learn how to create **Manga** art.

Watch the Powerpoint in the class pages to learn more about Manga art. Pay close attention to the faces of the people. What do you notice about them? Do they have similar features?



Now watch the following YouTube video and have a go at drawing a Manga face:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FDgi1U7KhIE>

#### Task: Create a Manga style self-portrait

Draw yourself as a Manga character. Remember the features of Manga faces we have looked at in the powerpoint and YouTube video. When you have finished drawing, add a background then colour in your picture.

Looking forward to seeing you all as Manga cartoons!

### Music

Check out the home learning pages on the blog to find the newest drumming rhythm PowerPoint and my video demo.

### Outdoors/STEM- Grabber gadgets

I don't know about anyone else but the more time I am spending at home the more cleaning I am having to do!! I keep finding things behind the back of my sofas. What I need is something to help me reach all of the strange things that I find! Your task is to have a go at making a "Grabber gadget". There is step by step instructions on this website which will help you make your grabber.

[https://www.instructables.com/id/Articulated-Grabber-Engineering-Project-for-Kids/?fbclid=IwAR3m6rL3rqc0fDRX9s7BENUA98aYUGA0\\_wfEzSOme46pO9GD2p2f79ZLg3M](https://www.instructables.com/id/Articulated-Grabber-Engineering-Project-for-Kids/?fbclid=IwAR3m6rL3rqc0fDRX9s7BENUA98aYUGA0_wfEzSOme46pO9GD2p2f79ZLg3M)

Don't worry if you don't have all of the materials that the website says you need- try to use similar things which you do have at home. Or if you have any different ideas for a grabber gadget then go ahead and try your own version.

Once you have made your grabber gadget try it out. Investigate things like- is it actually able to pick things up? Can it pick up heavy things or only light objects? Can it pick up big or small objects? Could you improve it in any way?

We look forward to hearing about and seeing pictures of your grabber gadgets on the blog.

### Computer Science

It's the final week of coding- head to <https://code.org/hourofcode/overview> and complete your final coding challenge this week.

Remember to watch the help videos throughout so you know what you should be doing AND keep trying, it should be getting easier now that you've been working on it for a couple of weeks!

Print or save your completion certificate and share your coding experience with us on the blog!