

CREATE YOUR OWN GARDEN LANDSCAPE

Look

Spring is a beautiful time to enjoy flowers! Explore different artworks in PAFA's collection showing gardens. (Click [HERE](#) and type in the keyword "garden" in the search). Or look at the artworks we have selected below.



Miriam Schapiro, *Handkerchief Garden*, 1979, Paper cut outs, crocheted pansies and hankerchief collage on black painted paper, 29 1/2 x 29 1/2 in.



Rose Naftulin, *Garden Before Nancy's House*, 2000, Oil on canvas, 40 x 46 1/4 in.



Franklin C. Watkins, *Roman Garden* (detail), 1954, Oil on canvas, 22 1/4 x 29 7/8 in.



Violet Oakley, *Mrs. Pyle and Prince in the Garden at Cogslea* (detail), n.d., Oil on canvas, 30 x 21 in.

Think

Look at each artwork

- What is going on?
- What materials did the artist use?
- How do we see the garden, is it close up or from a distance?
- Are there people, animals or both?
- What is the weather like?
- How does the artwork make you feel?
- What did the artist do to make you feel that?

Make

Feel inspired? Now it's time to create your own garden. Pick materials you would like to use: (crayons, colored pencils, watercolors, collage paper) and make your own garden-inspired artwork using the second page of this activity or any paper you have at home.

Share

We would love to see what you create! Share your artwork on social media and tag @pafacademy.

