

Lesson 3 Plan "Ed Emberley Faces"



OBJECTIVE:

Learn about Ed Emberley and how to use his "drawing alphabet" to create funny faces. You can start the lesson by watching an interview with Ed Emberley about his process: <u>VIDEO LINK</u>

MATERIALS:

- Something to color with. Ideally markers, but you can also use color pencils or even water color
- Something for lines like a black marker or a pen.

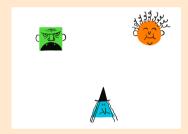
STEP 1:

Start by using color to draw 3 simple shapes: a square, a triangle, and a circle. Place them in random spots on the paper. Color in the shapes.



STEP 2:

Use a black marker or pen to doodle in the details of the face, but try to limit yourself to using Ed's "drawing alphabet".



STEP 3:

Repeat process until the entire page is filled with colorful characters. Encourage students to give each one a unique personality.

