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: VIDEO LINK

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.