# **Spring Flowers**

#### Step 1: Collect Materials

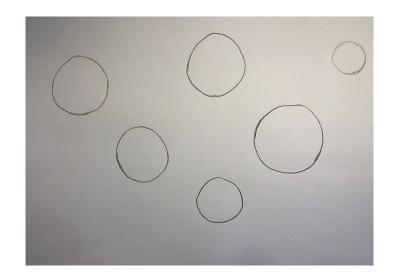
- Paper for artwork
- Pencil
- Eraser
- Options for Color (colored pencils, crayons, markers, or watercolor paint)
- Fine or medium tip black sharpie





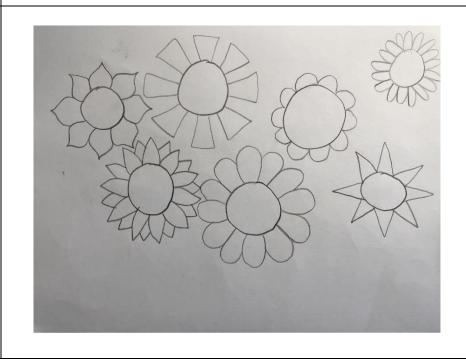
#### Step 2: Draw circles or ovals

- Different sizes
- Not too big, not too small
- Space out around the paper
- Leave space at the top, bottom, and on both sides



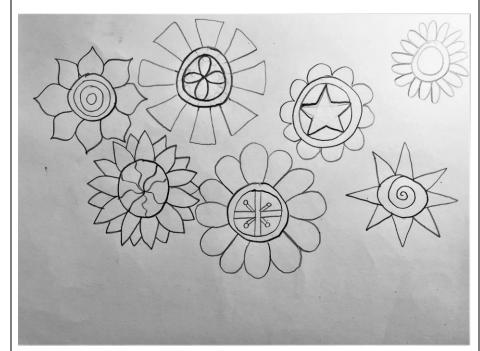
### Step 3: Flower Petals

- With your pencil, lightly draw different types of petals around each circle or oval
- Think of real life flowers, look at pictures
- Make up your own by thinking of different shapes
- Some petals can touch while others can have spaces in between
- Have them be different sizes



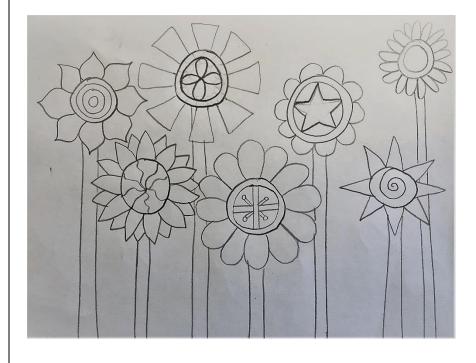
## Step 4: Center Designs

- Add various types of lines and shapes to the centers of each flower
- Get creative! Think of your favorite shape or line



## Step 5: Add Stems

- Draw double lines down to the bottom of the paper for each flower
- Try and keep the stems even
- Not too thick and not too thin
- Remember! Don't go through another flower, "jump" the line over and continue
- This makes the flowers look like some are in front of the others, great artist trick!



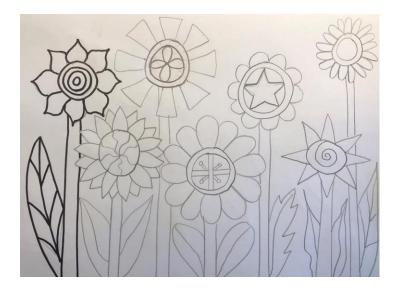
# Step 6: Add Leaves

- At the bottom of the paper, add different types of leaves to the stems
- Keep them simple
- Only add one or two to each flower stem



# Step 7: Trace with Sharpie

- Trace carefully on ALL pencil lines
- Erase all extra pencil





# Step 8: Quality Coloring

- Using your choice of materials...
- Fill in all stems and leaves with various types of greens
- Then add a variety of colors to the flower petals and centers
- Remember to fill in the spaces completely!
- Add a lightly colored background color





