

Southeast Delco School District
Continuity of Education and Planned Instruction
May 18 – May 22

Special: Art

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Email the completed work to **YOUR** art teacher at the following email-

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Grade: 4

Resources: paper, pencil, eraser, crayons or markers to color,

Lesson- see the pages to follow

Design my own treehouse!!

Imagine if you could have a place that was all yours, away from everyone, but amongst nature.

If you could have your own treehouse, what would it look like from the outside?

What color would you paint it? What decorations would you put on the outside, lights, a banner, a flag, a swing, a slide, a rock climbing wall?



Imagine and picture in your head what you would want it to look like before starting. Make a list of your ideas so you do not forget any of them while you are drawing.

You may look at the examples for ideas, do not copy, remember to make it YOUR treehouse and draw things that you would want and like!!



Designing your treehouse

You will be given a drawing of a tree and a rectangle in the tree, (the house) now you can use your imagination and create your own.

But FIRST, do not forget to add the roof, you do not have to draw the same roof as the example.

Here are some ideas that you could draw on your treehouse but there are endless ideas so do not limit yourself to these ideas.

Door, windows, slide, steps, swing, banner with the name of your treehouse, lights, mailbox, rock climbing wall, flag, etc.

Directions for the project

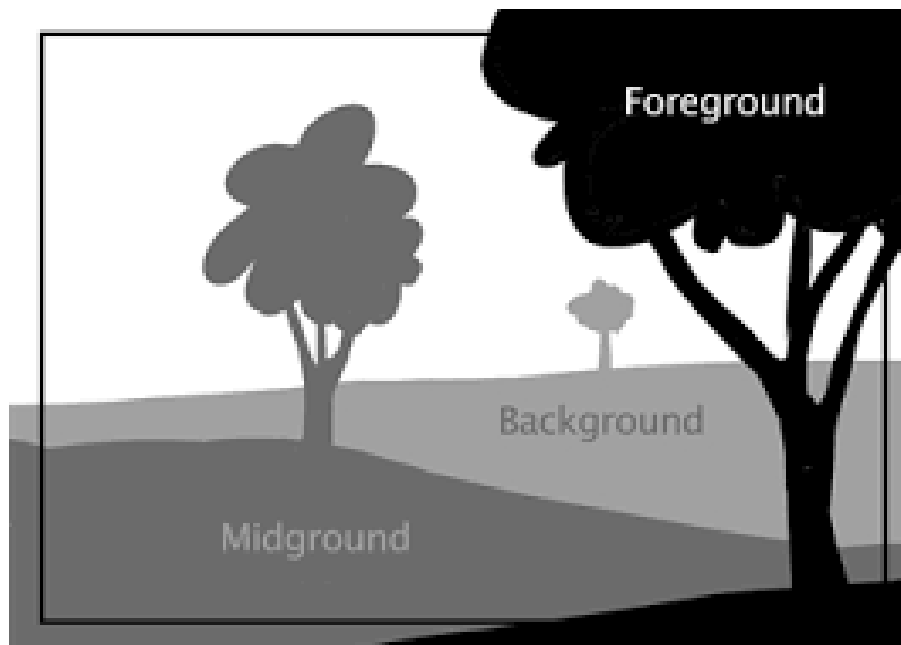
1. Make a list of your ideas
2. Draw a roof
3. Add all the details/designs to make it your own.
4. Draw something on the horizon line BUT make sure you draw it smaller to make it look like it is in the background.

5. Trace over all of your pencil lines with a black marker
6. Have fun coloring it in, if you have crayons or markers

Quick reminder

Foreground- is when you draw something large in your artwork and it appears to be closer to you.

Background-is the area behind your main object and objects are drawn smaller to trick your eye into thinking you have created SPACE/distance in your art.



Self Assessment

Please look at your completed artwork and answer the following questions.

1. Are you happy with your completed Treehouse?
2. What do you like the most about it?
3. If you could change anything, what would it be and why?
4. What did you name your treehouse?
5. What are some things you would put **inside** your treehouse if it were real?

******You may use the example treehouse I drew to color in as a coloring sheet if you would like.

I hope you had fun "escaping" into drawing/designing your own treehouse!!

Template to draw on- add a roof first!



Example of a decorated tree house with a



background.