

Play Opposites

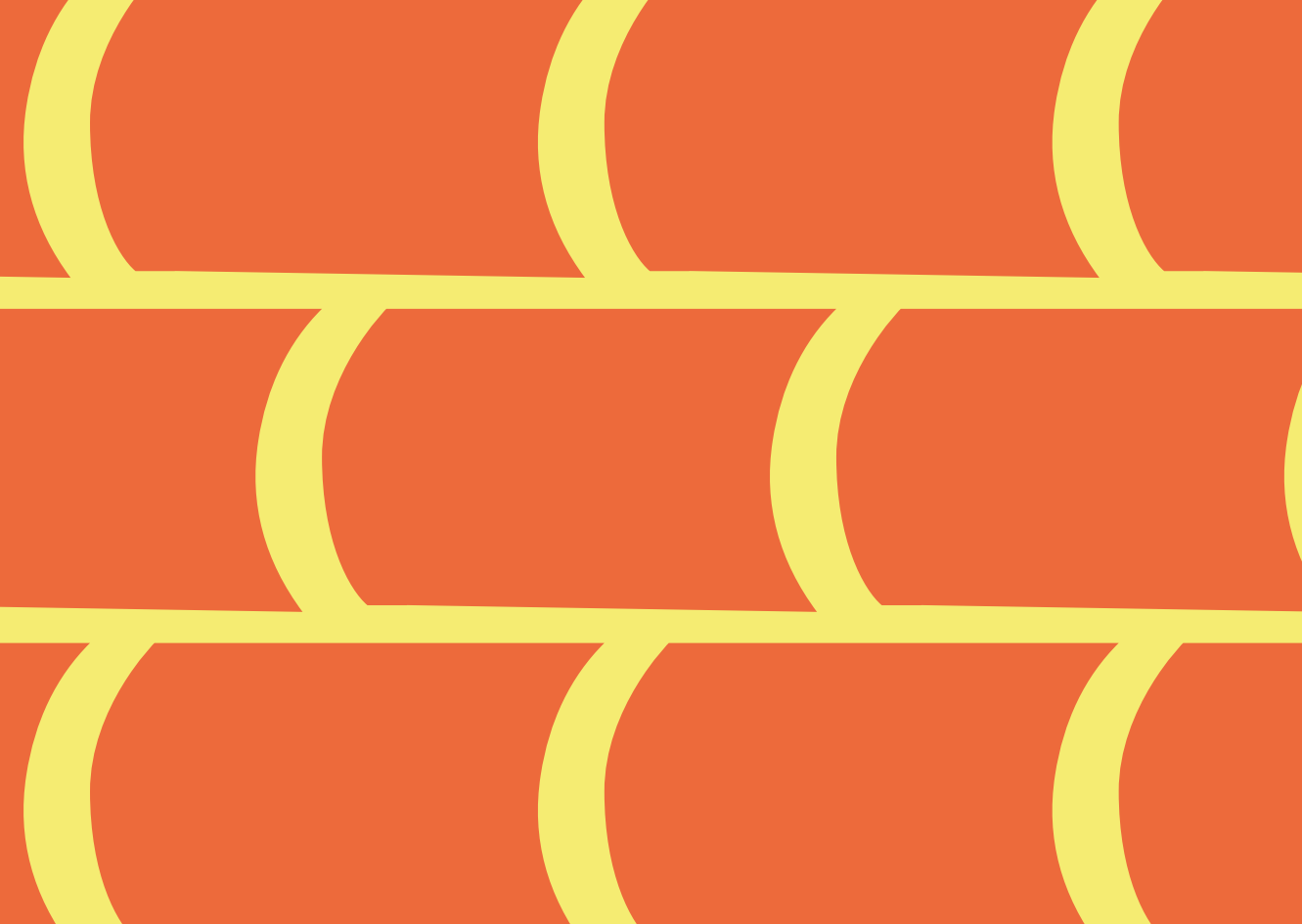
“Freeze” means dance, “dance” means freeze.
“Walk” means stand still, “faster” means slower.
Make up some more instructions and their opposites. Choose the caller who calls out these instructions. When they call out “stand still” you walk, if they call “slower” you go faster. The game ends when caller shouts “start!”



Toilet roll town

Collect any empty toilet roll tubes. Colour the toilet rolls or simply draw windows & doors on to create houses and buildings. Cut slits down the side to slot into each other or simply stack.

Create your own town or city!



Time capsules



Create a time capsule to capture this moment.

Here's a few things you could include:

- Drawings of the view from your window
- Handprints of everyone in your house, including pets!
- A poem about how you're feeling right now



Crazy catwalk

Set a timer for 10 minutes. In that time find as many items of clothing in your home as you can. Now wear the items of clothes but on different body parts than they are normally used for. See what new outfits you can create, the sillier the better! For example use a pair of trousers to create a waistcoat. Catwalk your new creations to your friends and family if you can.





Living landmarks

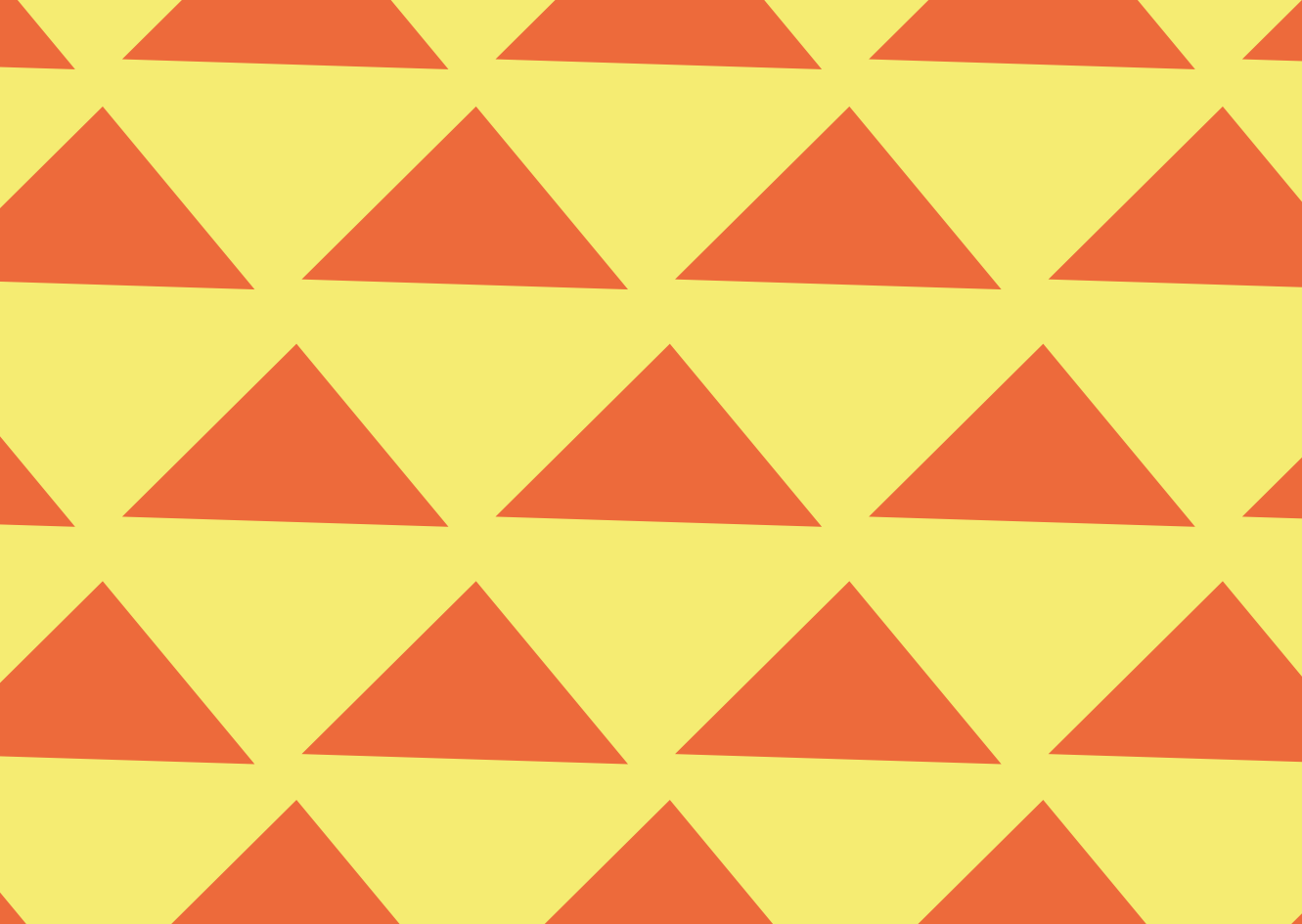
Pose like a famous London Building.
Is your building tall, small, wide, pointy?





The Not Great British Bake Off

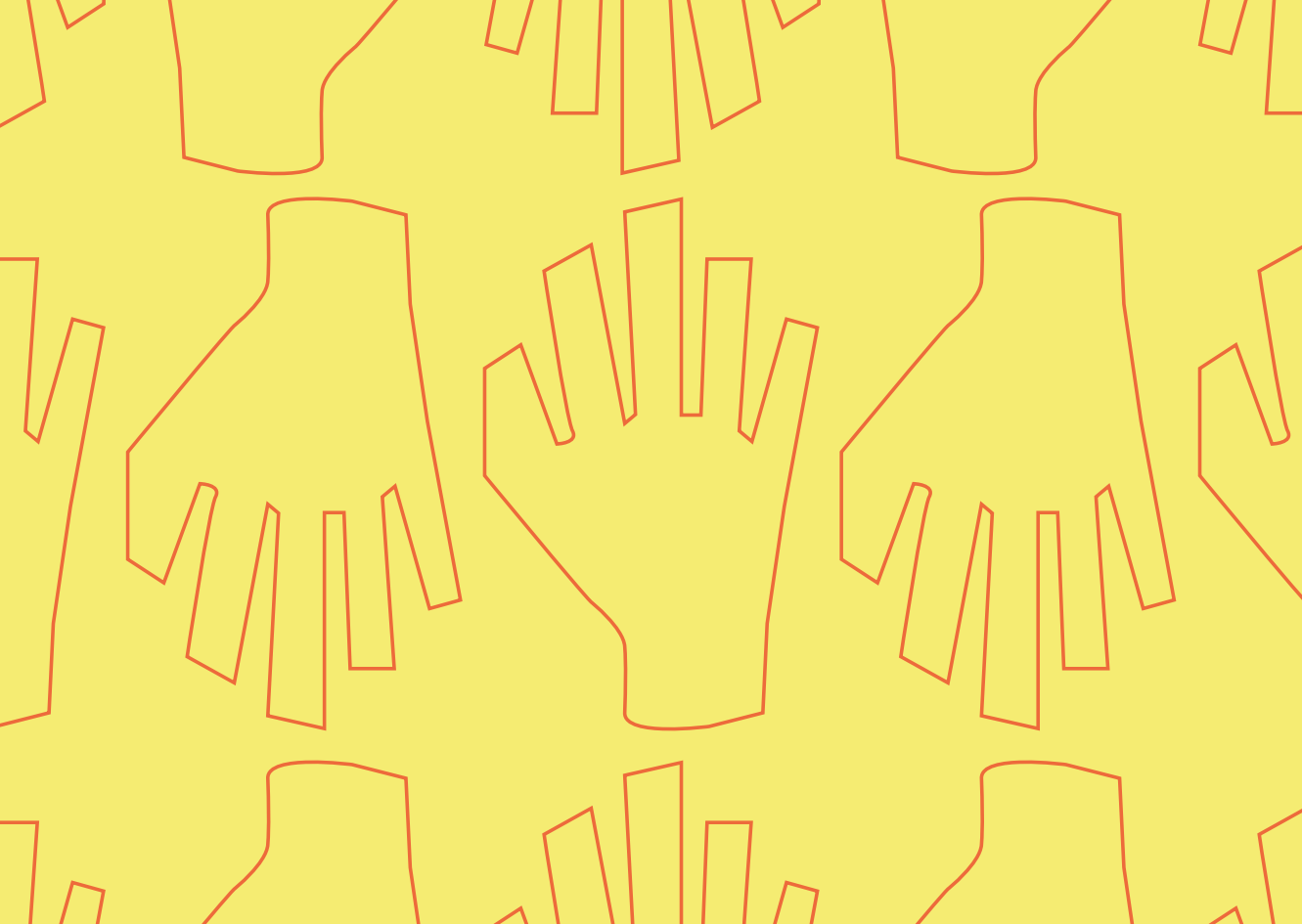
The challenge is to make the most arty sandwich possible with things you have at home. It can be an edible sandwich, a fake sandwich, or a sandwich sculpture! Whose sandwich is the most creative and why? Try judging the sandwiches using different criteria, perhaps the tallest wins? Or what about the concept, the meaning behind the sandwich? 3, 2,1 Bake!

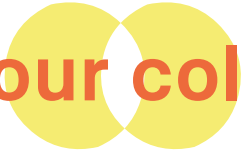




Hands up

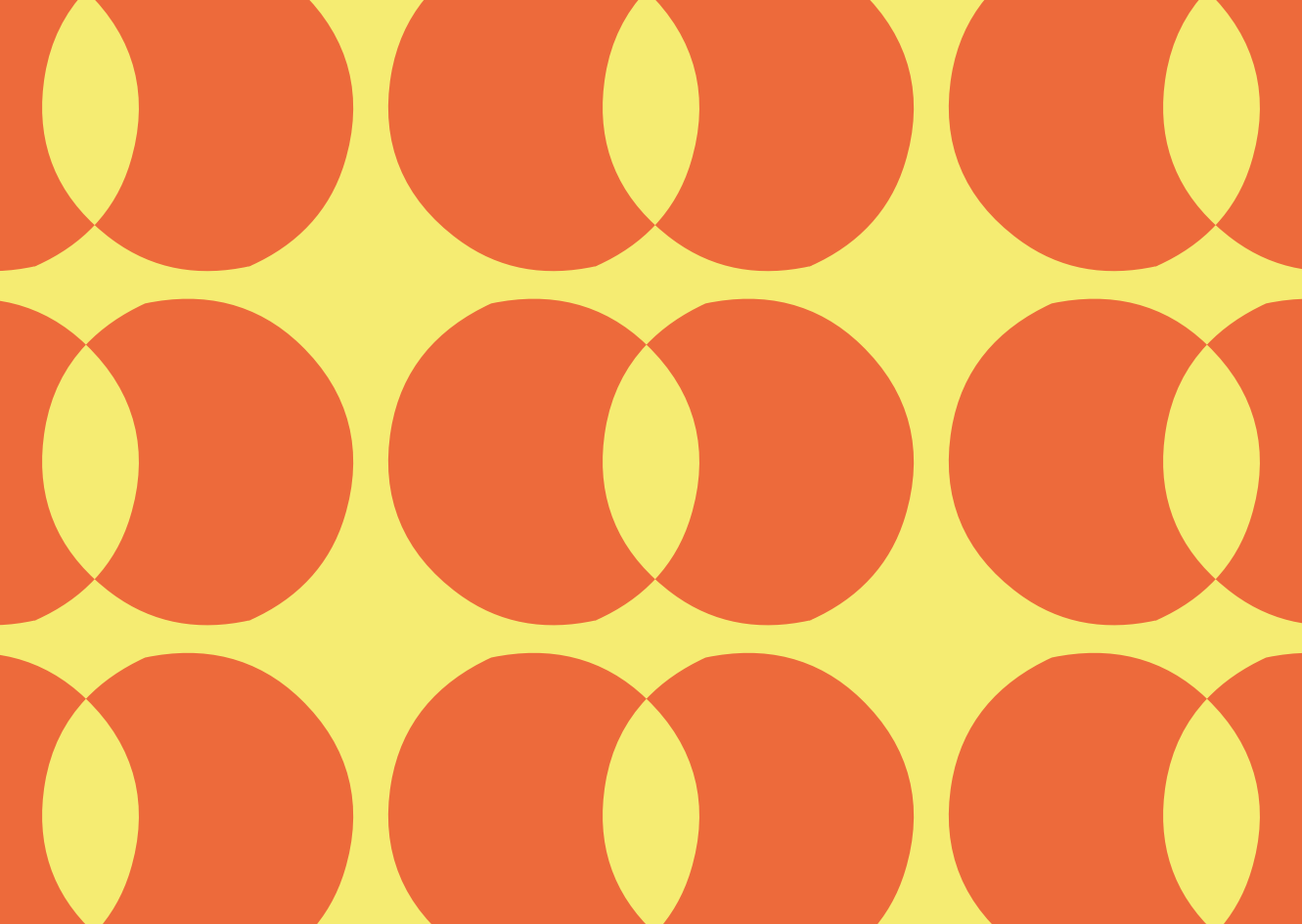
We use our hands for lots of activities every day, but we can also use them to create the shapes of letters and animals! Can you make the letter W with your hands? Or how about a butterfly? What other shapes can you make with your hands?





Colour collage

You are an artist. Choose your favourite colour. Now find as many objects as you can that have your favourite colour in it and create a 3D collage picture using these objects. Be as creative as you like - there are no rules in art, and no right or wrongs!



Gratitude notes

Write thank you notes. They can be to anyone who you love or appreciate in your home, or outside. Share them with the people you'd like to thank, photograph them or stick them in your window.

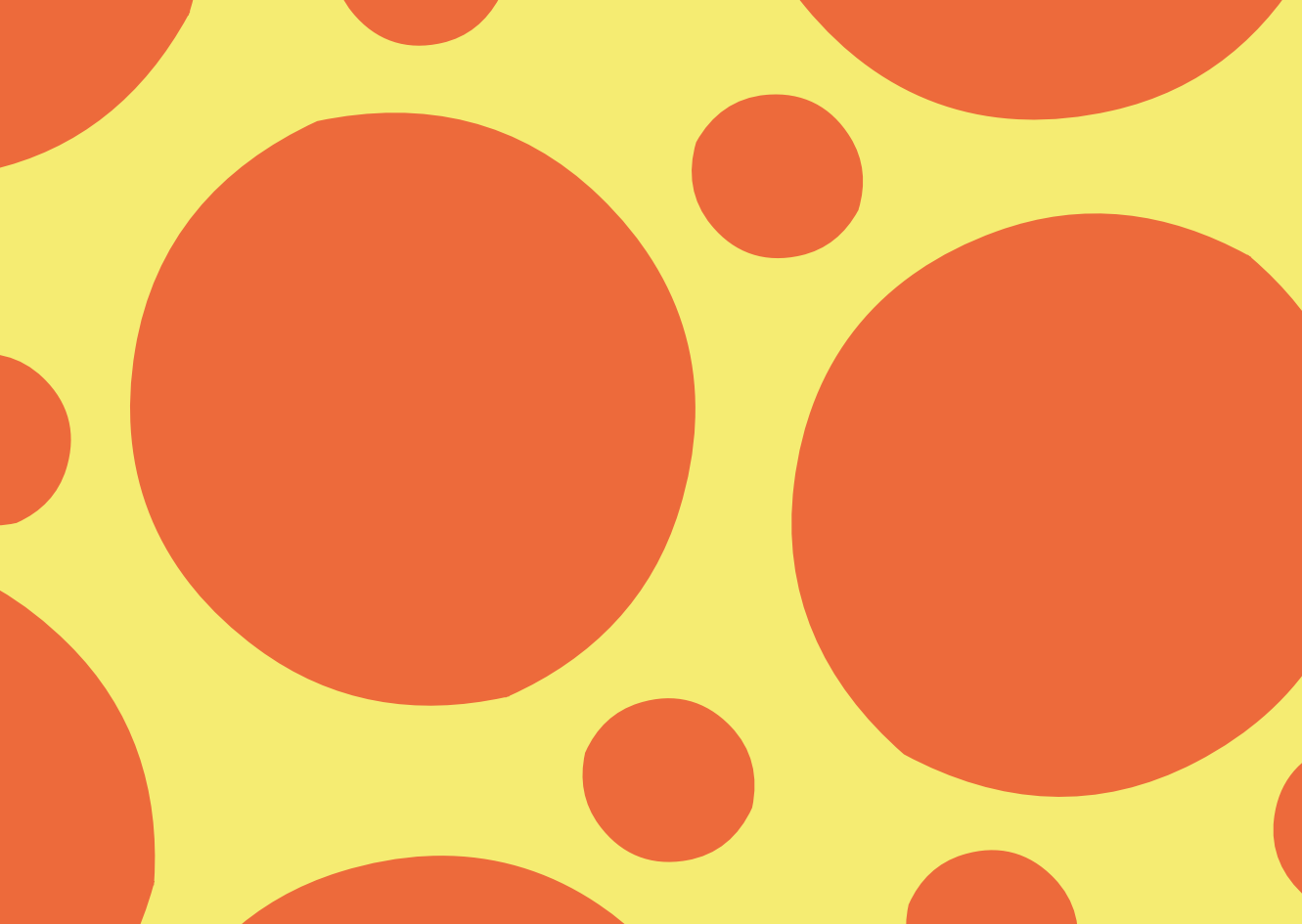


PLAY PROMPT 50

Big & small

Search for the smallest and
largest things you can find.
Have a competition with your family.





Gamechangers

Invent a new game using one thing
from each room in your home.





My Story

Get everyone in your house to choose five objects that are special to them.

These could be anything: a birthday card, a favourite pen, a shell from a favourite beach. Arrange them on a rug or tray. See if you can tell each other's stories using these objects.



Body rhythms

Make up rhythms using your body. Use different body parts to make different sounds like stamp, clap and whistle! To help you to think of rhythms, make up phrases such as 'I love pizza' or 'beautiful sun-shine' and sound out each syllable on a part of your body – what can you come up with?



The floor is lava!

Imagine the floor is made of different things. What if it's made of lava? Would you run super fast or would you climb onto things to move around? What if the floor is ice - can you slide? What if it's made of treacle, slug slime, or hair? Can you race someone across the room? Can you think of more possibilities and act them out?



Ears that taste...

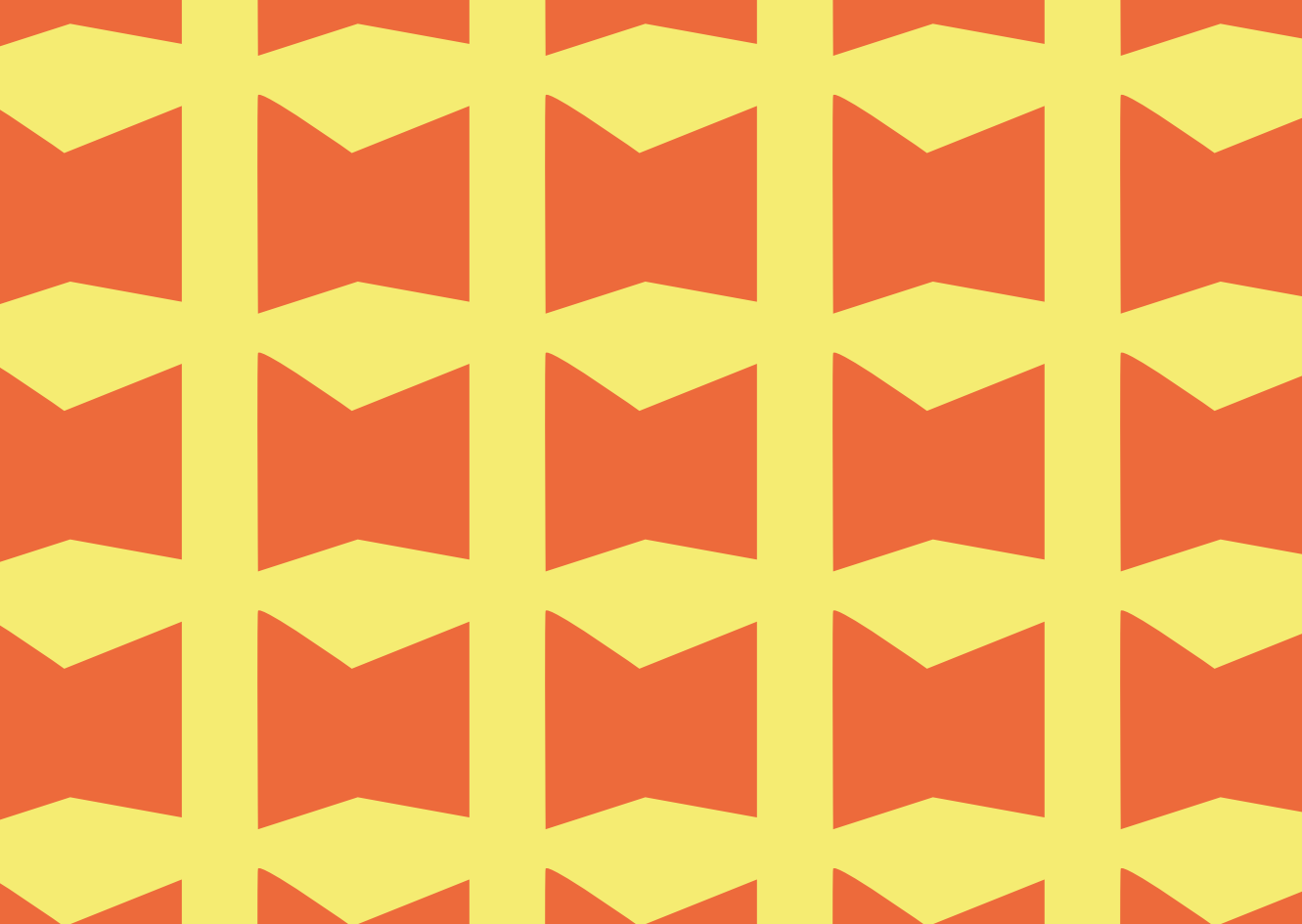
Imagine your ears had tongues.
Go outside and taste the sounds around you.
Try and draw these tastes - as wild, colourful
and detailed as you can. What would you call
this tasty world?





Create your own café

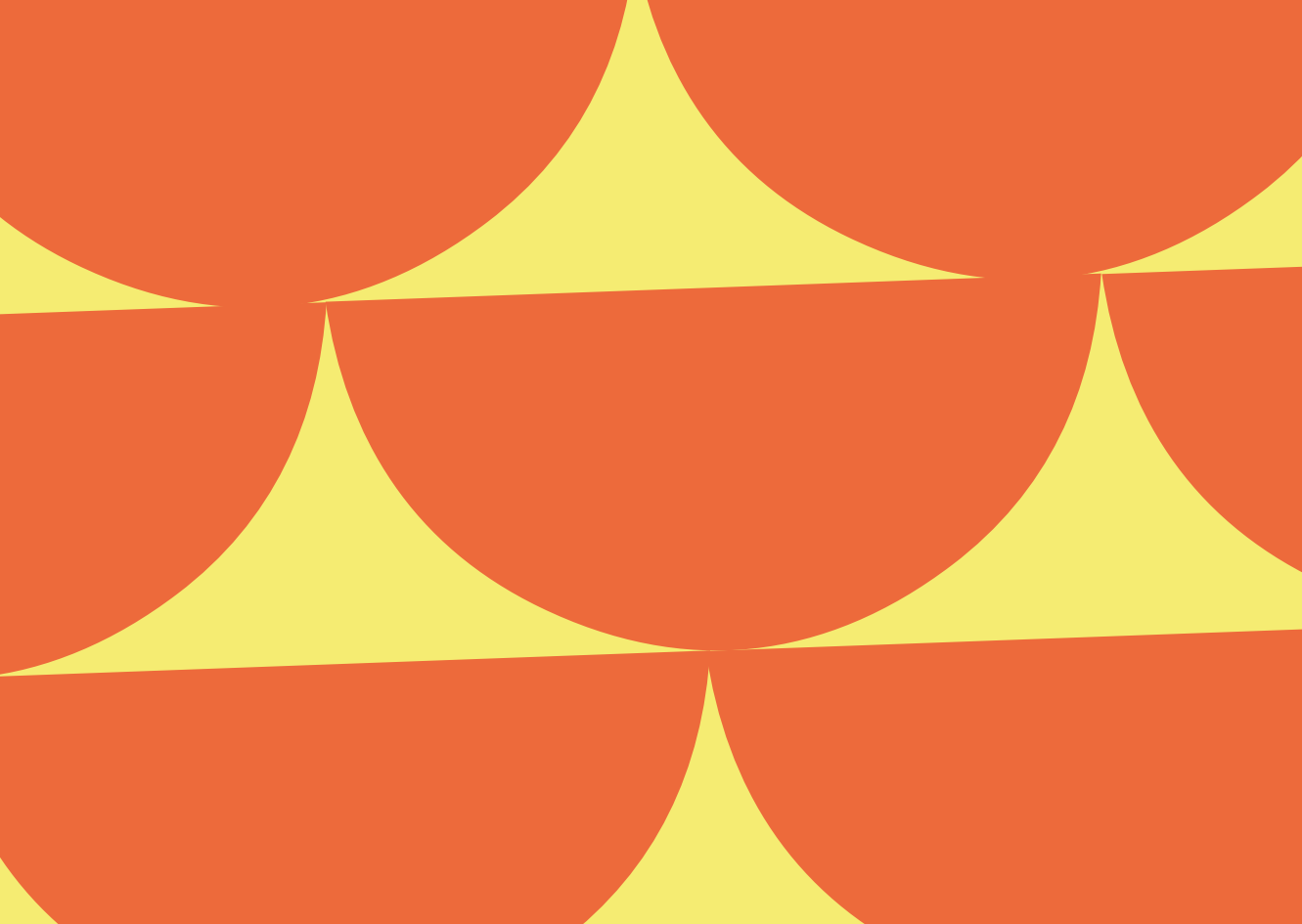
What kind of café would you like to run?
Make a daily menu & price list. What will you
serve? Could you draw pictures of food?
Take orders from your customers and serve
them their meals!



Finding beauty

Find 5 beautiful things in 5 minutes.
Show them to your family. Tell them what
you think is beautiful about them.





Superspeed drawing



Find something to draw. It could be anything, a box, a toy, a shoe... anything! Draw it in lots of different ways – with your right hand, then your left hand, with both hands at once and finally without looking at the paper. Give yourself 2 minutes for each drawing.



Time traveller

Imagine you are a time traveller.
Pick an everyday object and explain
what it is / how it works to a person
who lived 20, 200, or 2,000 years ago.





The magic of nature

Find a small stick, similar to the size of a wand. Collect any fallen leaves and small flowers you can find. Make a 'bunch' out of your leaves and flowers and stick them at the top of your stick using string or tape, or arrange them in a pattern on the ground. You now have a nature wand to cast all kinds of magical spells!

