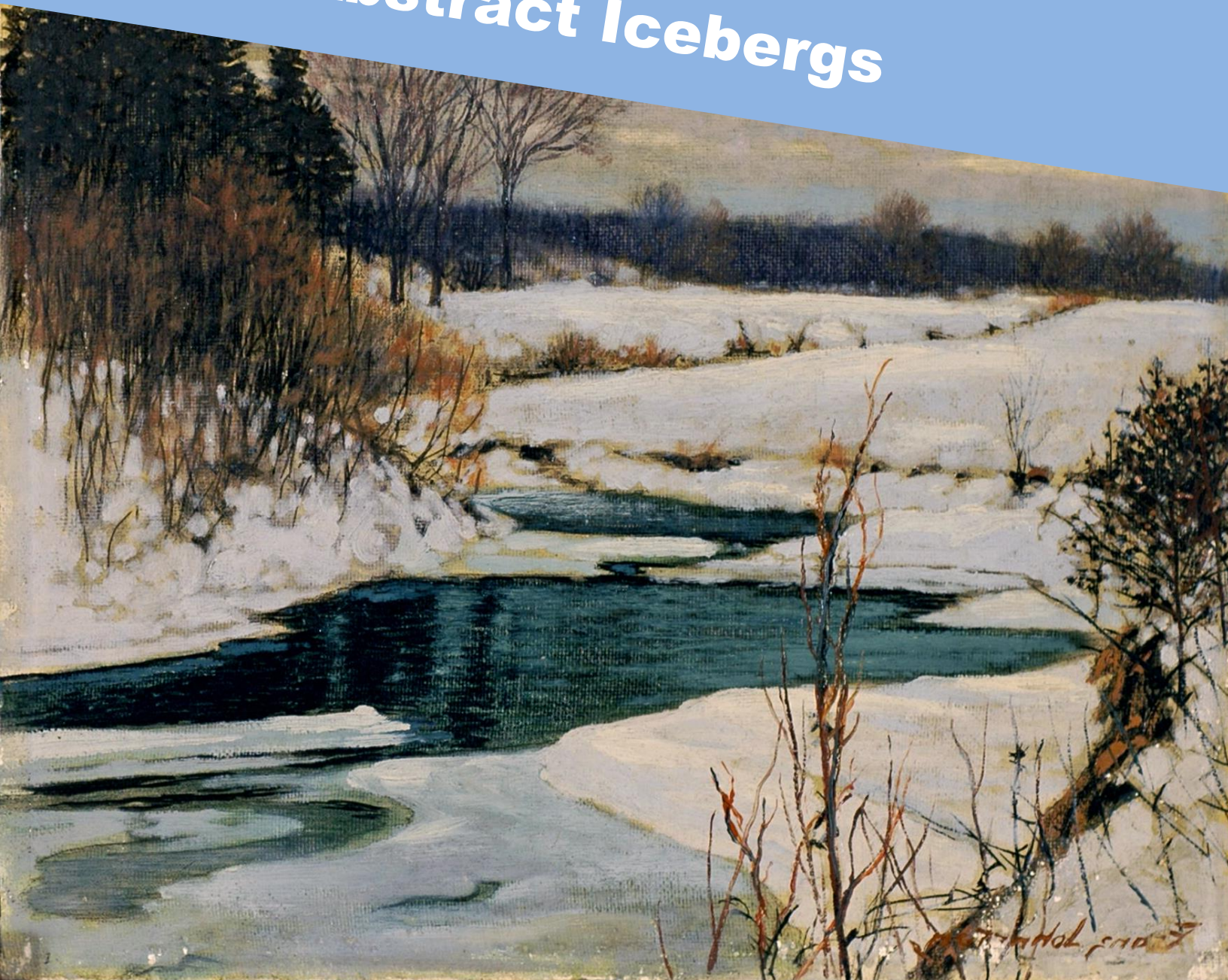




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Abstract Icebergs



Frank (Franz) Johnston, Canadian (1888-1949), *Close of Day*, n.d., oil on Masonite
29.2 x 34.2 cm, Peel Art Gallery, Museum and Archives,
Gift of the Peel County Historical Society, 1982



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Materials:

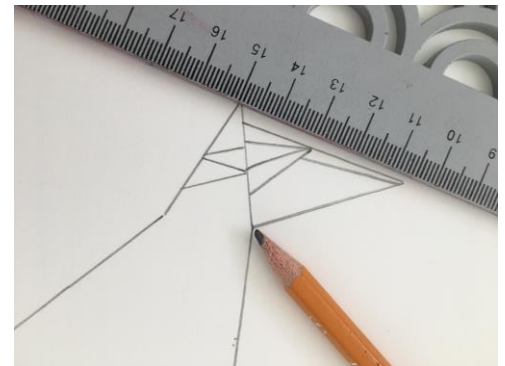
- White Paper
- Pencil
- Ruler
- Marker
- Pencil Crayons
- Scissors
- Glue Stick
- Coloured Construction Paper

Winter is the season of ice and snow! Explore layers of colour as you create your own abstract icebergs.

Step One:

Get inspired by the geometric shapes and use of gradient colour in the virtual exhibition *Simon Hughes: Works, 2001 - 2020*. View Simon's work [here](#).

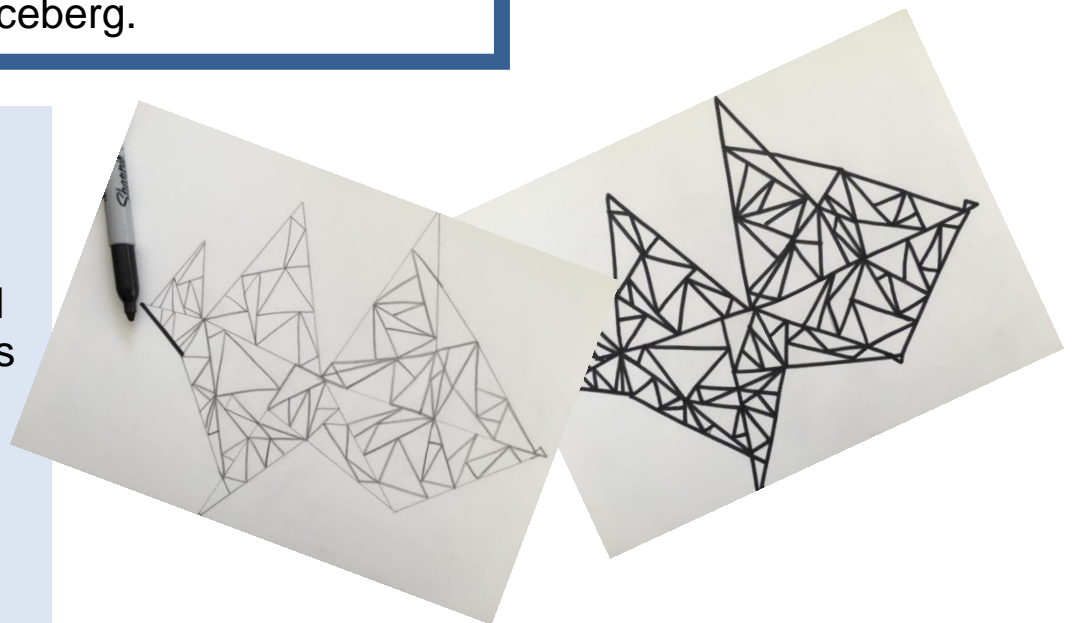
Use a ruler to draw a connected series of triangles on your white paper in the shape of an iceberg.



Step Two:

Continue drawing triangle shapes until your whole iceberg is filled with triangles.

Once filled, use a marker to trace all lines.



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Step Three:

Select a gradient of colours (colours in the same family). For example, light blue, blue and dark blue. Colour in each triangle with a different colour.

You can try using lighter colours on the top part of your iceberg and darker colours on the bottom just like if your iceberg was half under water.



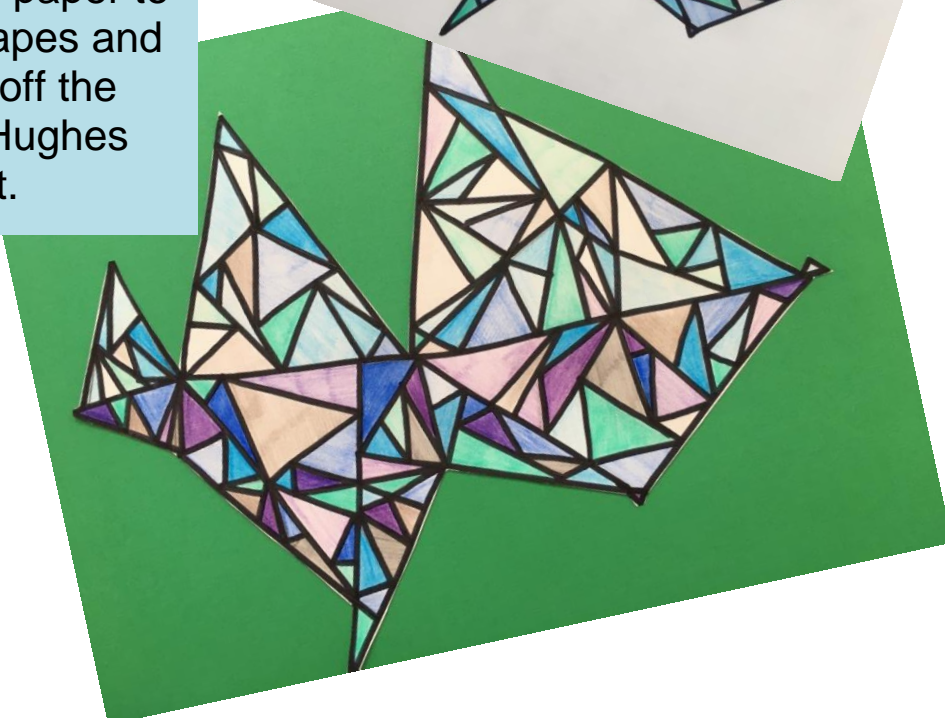
Step Four:

Colour until all of your triangles are filled.



Step Five:

Using your scissors, cut out your iceberg and glue it onto a piece of coloured construction paper to make the geometric shapes and gradient colours pop off the page just like Simon Hughes does with his art.



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