

Primary Education

Activity

LOOKING AT THE SKY: WHAT STRANGE SHAPES!

OBJECTIVES

- To take time to reflect.
- To enhance creativity; stimulate creative drawing.
- To express feelings and sensations.

SKILLS DEVELOPED:

- Humanistic and artistic culture .
- Linguistic communication.
- Autonomy and personal initiative.

DEVELOPMENT

We'll go outdoors with students on a day when there are clouds in the sky; it is best to choose a day when we can see a lot of clouds, different colours and different heights.

We'll choose a field near the school and we'll lie down on the ground.

1. Personal reflection . We'll look at the sky for 10 minutes and we can ask :

- ¿What can I see?
- ¿What different colours can I find?
- ¿What shapes?
- ¿Are the shapes and colours static? Or are they moving?
- ¿What do I feel?

2. We'll sit in the same place and each individual will tell the group what they have experienced, seen, felt...

3. We'll lie down again and observe the different images created by the cloud shapes. We will try to explain to the person next to us what we are seeing.

"Look, look, I can see a sailing boat with its captain and everything!"
"Well, I can see a house with smoke coming out of the chimney."

4. We'll take photos of the special images we find...



Classroom activities

5. After printing or projecting the photographs taken, we'll express in a drawing what we felt or saw in the cloud images. We can use different drawing techniques: pencil (charcoal), watercolour, wood paints, felt-tip pens... everyone can choose what they prefer.

6. We will make an exhibition with the photographs and drawings. Each image will be accompanied by a phrase explaining what it shows.