SAM IVIN

Land Art

Create a piece of free, environmentally friendly art with natural materials, right on your doorstep **What is Land Art?** Art that is made within or involving the natural landscape - or made from natural materials.

We would love to see your Land Art, email photos to vanessa@jhg.art or tag @johnhansardgallery on Instagram.

Think About:

What materials will you use? Where will you make your artwork? What is the best way to photograph it? What line or shape will you create?

BE SAFE

Wear Gloves.
Watch out for animal poo.
Do not eat any berries!
Be careful of sharp natural materials.
Wash your hands afterwards.

Here's some ideas...



A line of berries. Look how the sun has made those long shadows!



Berry Circles



Before the berries were picked.



A line of frosty leaves



Mark left by the frozen leaves after it snowed

Artist Examples

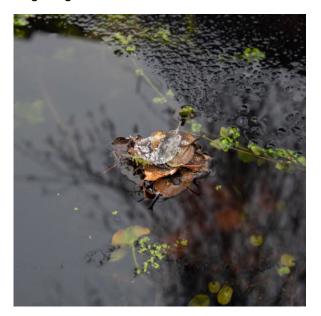
Here's some artist examples for inspiration: <u>Andy Golsworthy</u>, <u>Richard Long</u>, <u>Agnes Denes</u> and <u>a neat video overview of the genre</u>. Video: The case for Land Art by The Art Assignment (9mins 28 secs).

About the artist Sam Ivin is a photographer and was commissioned by John Hansard Gallery to make new work alongside its exhibition *Seaside Photographed*. This activity was devised by Sam during his project *Weston Shore*, where he worked with children and staff from Western Shore Pre School.

More information at www.jhg.art Artist website www.samivin.com



For large pieces photograph from above, maybe from your bedroom window or higher ground.



Pile of frosty leaves on a pond.



Line of sticks



A circle of sticks arranged by size.



Leaf fan, from small to large.



Stone spiral arranged by colour.