Make art

with the Art Gallery of New South Wales

Colourful chatty chickens

Art Gallery NSW
Do you love to draw and paint?

Artists love to create. They make drawings, paintings and objects for us to look at or to use and enjoy. Birds and plants are often used to decorate artworks because of their patterns and textures or their shapes and striking colours.

right: Helen Ogilvie Chooks in the straw c1932, colour linocut on thin cream tissue, Art Gallery of New South Wales, purchased 1975 © Estate of Helen Ogilvie. Photo: © AGNSW

You will need:
- Pencil
- Paint
- Coloured markers
- Colouring pencils
- Your imagination!

Add more leaves, fruit and flowers and decorate the chickens on the next page using a little inspiration from these artworks in the Gallery’s collection.

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