

Pattern Search

Natural patterns have been studied since Darwin proposed studying them in 1859. They have been used in science, technology and art.

Look around outside in the garden, park or woodland and see what patterns you can tick off. Nothing in nature happens without reason.

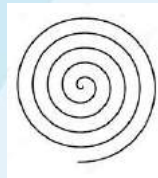
Activity:

1. Using the list below, look at many different natural objects and see if you can identify any shapes or patterns.
2. Try and draw the shape and pattern that you see.
3. Do you know what objects and items that we use that mimic nature?

Star



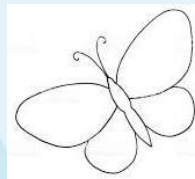
Spiral



Circle



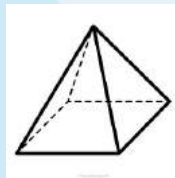
Symmetry



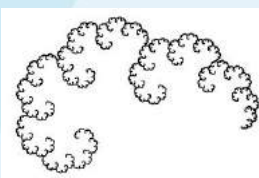
Cracks



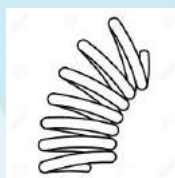
Pyramid



Fractals



Coils



Environmental Awareness

Appreciate and draw inspiration from the environment. Experience a range of different environments in different conditions.

Time:
20 min plus

Space:
Any outdoor space

Equipment:
Paper and Pen



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