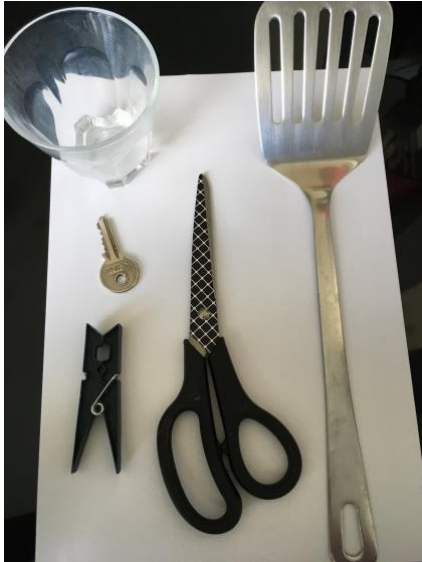


P7/S1 Art & Design Lesson

This task requires:

- A pencil
- 4/5 small objects
- A4 or A5 Paper
- Sharpener
- Rubber

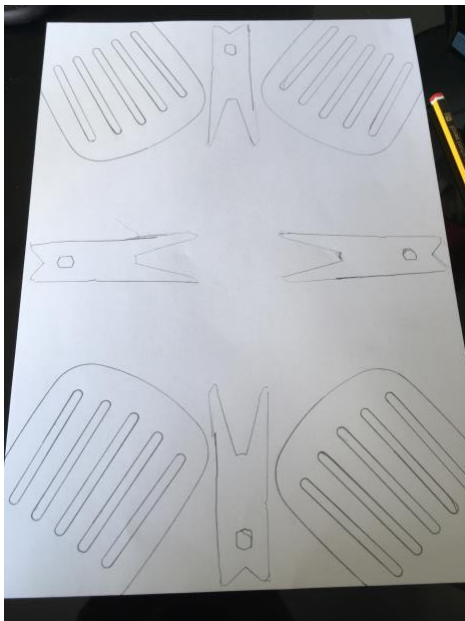
Repeat Pattern Design



Step 1: Find 4 – 5 different objects around your house. We will use these objects to trace around, so try to pick objects that will give you some interesting shapes for your pattern design!

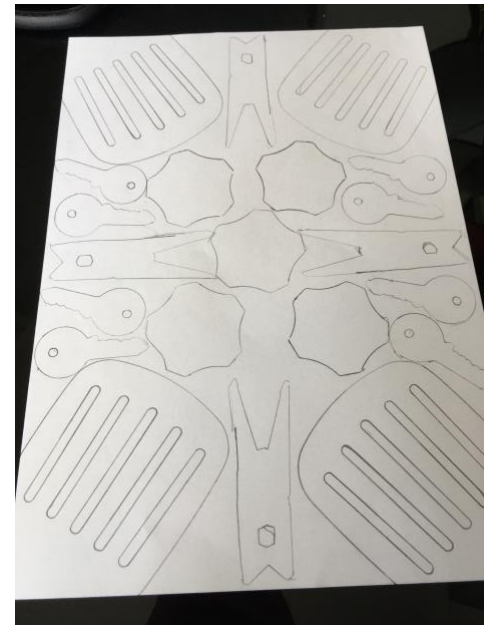
You may wish to take your research outdoors and find some more organic shapes such as leaves and sticks!

Some objects can be quite fiddly to trace around. Make sure you hold them firmly in place.



Step 2: Select one of your objects to begin tracing around. Begin to fill each corner with the same repeated object. (It is easier to rotate your paper closer to you as you do so).

Try to imagine your design as a mirrored image. Whatever you place in one corner needs to be reflected in the opposite corner! This is also known as symmetry.



Step 3: Once you have completed tracing your objects. You can begin to add in some Tone (shading). It works best if you aim to keep some consistency with your pattern so try plan this out beforehand!

To create an effective Tonal Range try practising on a spare piece of paper.

Darker shades – More pressure applied

Lighter shades – Less pressure or even go back in with a rubber!

