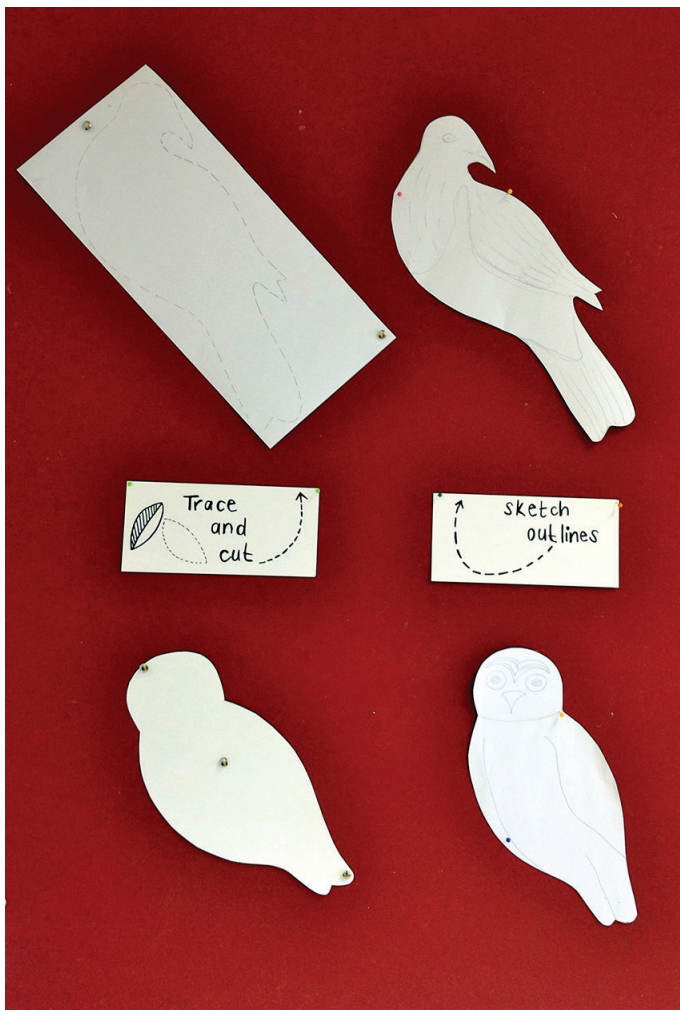


How to...

Make the birds and bugs at home or in class



Step 1 & 2



Step 3 & 4

Print the templates on to A4 paper, use them to trace the outlines onto card. Light card is better than paper because it is stronger so will hold the addition of paint, glue and other materials.



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Outline features in marker pen, this will give a strong definition to the birds form.

Painting over the lines will soften them. If you are using pens to colour in the bird, or pencils try using different colours to give the bird form.

If you want the bird to have a softer look, don't outline the features in pen just paint them on.



outline or wash

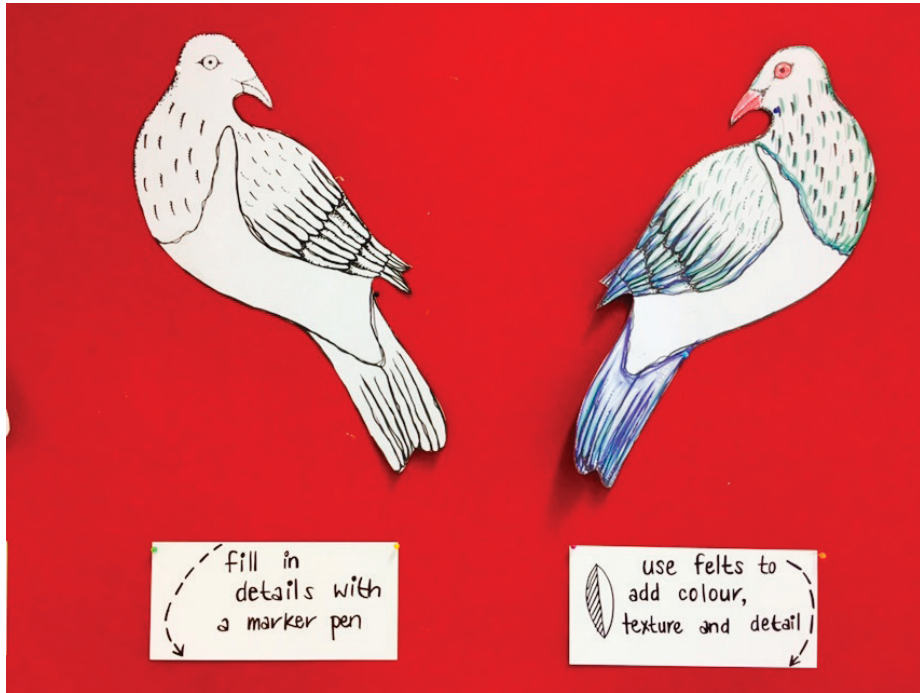


layer, texture and blend



add details





Using collaged materials on the birds gives them depth and texture.



Look at images of native insects
and birds for reference



If you are placing the birds on the wall you don't need to paint on both sides.

If hanging them in the room you will need to turn the birds over and draw or paint on the other side.