WHAT DOES YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD LOOK LIKE?

WHAT WILL YOU NEED?
- YOUR WALKING SHOES
- PHONE CAMERA (OPTIONAL)

What is art?
Art is anything that you want it to be! It could be flowers, or clouds in the sky, a painting on a building, a poster at a bus stop, your shadow on the pavement. If you think that it’s beautiful, then it is art to you!

🌟 Use the prompts below to help guide you in your discoveries.
WHAT KIND OF ART CAN WE FIND?
TAKE PICTURES OF ALL THE ART YOU SEE IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD.

Take a picture of everything you can find...

Find a colorful work of art.
This can be something someone painted on a wall, or colorful flowers, anything that has a lot of color!

Look up at the sky.
Does the sky look like a painting to you?
What shapes are the clouds making?

Do you see any murals?
Murals are large paintings, usually found on buildings or walls.
What is the mural showing you?

Are there any sculptures in your neighborhood?
A sculpture can be any shape that you can walk around.
It could be a slide in a playground, or the way an essential worker stacks boxes on the street waiting to be delivered.

Is anyone selling art?
Maybe someone is selling photographs, paintings, or their own t-shirts.
Ask them about their art! Why did they make it?

The longer you look around the neighborhood, the more art you will find.
Remember, art is anything that you want it to be.

Want to make your own art in your neighborhood?:
Use color chalk and create your own artistic masterpiece outside of your home on the ground for everyone to see!

Wallach Art Gallery
Lenfest Center for the Arts
Columbia University in the City of New York
615 West 129th Street
New York, NY 10027

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