

# Earth Radial Designs

Created by Isabelle Kirouac

A step-by-step guide to creating your very own design with materials from the earth, inspired by radial symmetry!

(Ages 3+)

#### STEP 1. COLLECT YOUR TREASURES!

Depending on where you are and the weather, you can include these items in your found treasures!



ROCKS



**BRANCHES** 



**LEAVES** 



PINE CONES'& NEEDLES







SEA SHELLS



**VEGETABLES** 



FLOWERS FROM YOUR GARDEN

## STEP 2. CHOOSE A SITE!

Choose your unique site in either flat open areas, bases of trees, hills, etc. Your imagination is the limit!

LOOK AROUND FOR THESE SITES:



IN THE GARDEN ON THE GRASS



ON THE BASE OF A TREE



ON A GRASSY HILL

#### STEP 3. CREATE YOUR OWN DESIGN!

1. Start by laying down your found treasures and organize them by colours, shapes, and/or sizes to visualize your pallette

\*continue to next page

- Begin by placing one item in the middle, then choose a different treasure to create a parallel circle around your center
- 3. Keep repeating this process with different materials until you are satisfied with your design! This can be as big or small as you wish

### STEP 4. ENJOY YOUR VERY OWN EARTH RADIAL DESIGN!

- Invite your friends to explore it Enjoy your creation

- Dance around it - Read

- Take photos around it - Play

- Let it move and transform by the - Sit by it and meditate wind, animals, etc.

## \*IMPORTANT INFO TO KEEP IN MIND WHEN CREATING YOUR DESIGN:

Since some of these species are invasive and dangerous to other plants, work with these plant materials in the same area where you collected them and avoid using their ripe seeds, stems, or roots in your designs!

Below is a list of non-exhaustive abundant plants that are safe to harvest in small amounts:









BLACKBERRIES (edible)

DANDELIONS (edible)

COMFREY (medicinal)

KALE FLOWERS (edible)



**BLUE BELLS** MORNING GLORY



Thank you to event funders & supporters:

















