

From Figurative to Abstract

Description of Technique

Starting Point

1. For this project you can use various images such as a photo of buildings, architecture elements, a landscape, an aerial view photograph, a road map or a geographical map.
2. You can easily find an aerial view of your neighbourhood using the Google search engine.
3. In Google, click on the “Maps” icon, type in your address and click on the “Satellite” icon. Print the image.

Mounting

Apply a coat of polymer varnish to a piece of thick cardboard then place your photocopy onto the cardboard.

Transmutation

Paint the entire surface with tempera. Change colour according to the different shades of grey. For example, you can paint light areas yellow. With a black marker, outline the borders of the coloured sections.

Materials	BB Product Code
Miracolor tempera, set of 5 2-L bottles	1254853
Brush # 485-12	1427376
Brush # 483-12	1427277
Brush # 485-8	1427350
Polymer varnish, 500 ml	1261353
Black permanent marker	3290350
10-ply cardboard, 71 x 112 cm	1040260

