



SCAVENGER HUNT

Background



The Isle of Man Nature Journal is a community art and nature project that celebrates the landscapes, wildlife, and creativity of the Isle of Man.

Central to the project is the interactive art map that showcases artworks of the Isle of Man from professional and amateur artists of all ages. The map can be found at iomnj.com/map

Overview of Activity

Resources:

- Interactive Art Map at iomnj.com/map
- Scavenger hunt recording sheets.
- Photos of Isle of Man nature or landscape (optional).

This activity encourages pupils to explore artwork across the Isle of Man using the interactive map and to look carefully at artistic details, landscapes and locations.

Learning Objectives:

Art & Design

- To explore and discuss artwork inspired by the Isle of Man.
- To identify artistic features such as colour, texture and style.
- To create artwork based on observation and personal response.

Geography / Local Knowledge

- To develop knowledge of places around the Isle of Man.
- To use an interactive map to explore local landscapes.
- To recognise natural and human features in the Manx environment.

Personal Development

- To work collaboratively and share ideas.
- To reflect on creative choices.
- To develop curiosity about the local environment.



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Landscape Hunt

	Find art that shows...	Location and Artist Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	...the sea or coastline.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...a hill or mountain.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...a river or stream.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...a harbour or boats.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...a countryside scene.	

Colour Hunt

	Find art that shows...	Location and Artist Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	...lots of green.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...complementary colours.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...analogous colours.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...vivid (bright) colours.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...muted (dull) colours.	



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Nature Hunt

	Find art that shows...	Location and Artist Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	...a tree.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...wildflowers.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...a bird.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...an insect.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...a fungus.	

Artistic Style Hunt

	Find art that is...	Location and Artist Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	...very detailed	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...loose (sketchy).	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...expressive.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...realistic.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	...abstract.	



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BONUS CHALLENGE

Name:

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Choose one artwork that you like best and answer these questions:

Where is it on the Isle of Man?

Who is the artist?

What subject did the artist focus on?

What materials and techniques did they use?

Why do you like this piece of art?



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CREATIVE TASK

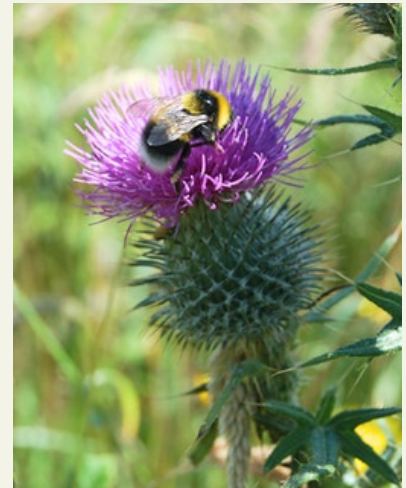
Imagine you're adding your own artwork to the map!

Draw one thing from nature on the Isle of Man. This could be:

- a beach
- a flower
- a tree
- an animal
- or you could draw a whole scene!

You can go outside, look out of the window or use a photo to work from (if you use a photo make sure you have permission from the person who took it to use it).

See iomnj.com/inspiration for some free-to-use photos of the Manx countryside and nature.



**ALWAYS
BE
YOU**

Remember that you can use different materials and techniques to create art. Try out some different ways of creating and see what happens.

Remember - there's no right or wrong way to create your artwork. It's all about what comes from you being you!