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In this book, Drawn Together, a boy and his grandfather are frustrated by their lack of a common language; the boy speaks English but his grandfather speaks Vietnamese. But then they discover they can communicate through making art and their drawings and stories come to life and bring them together!

# HOW CAN WE

# MAKE ART

# TOGETHER?

## HOW CAN WE LEARN FROM EACH OTHER?

Interview a Family Member or Neighbor:

What's a game you play? Or used to play?

**WHAT ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT?**

Tell me a story...

**HOW DOES IT MAKE YOU FEEL?**

**WHY SHOULD WE CARE?**

What's your favorite food?

Tell me about your best friend.

What's a memory from when you were my age?

## SHARE YOUR THINKING!

- With friends and family! Or, send images of your book to your teacher.
- With Us! Text us at 510-343-6810. Send us a photo of you and your book and tell us what you're curious about! Include your name and school. We will feature it on social media and enter you into a **raffle drawing to win more art supplies!** (By sending us your picture you are giving Agency by Design Oakland permission to use it on social media.)



## MATERIALS INCLUDED:

- Oil Pastels
- Watercolor Tray & Brush
- Watercolor Paper Pad



## HOW MIGHT WE EXPERIMENT WITH THE MATERIALS?

What happens when...

- ...we use the watercolor over oil pastel? (hint: It resists!)
- ...we use the brush in different ways? (tap, run, flicker, dab...)
- ...we use watercolor over WHITE oil pastel? (hidden messages!)
- ...we blend oil pastels together? (new colors!)



## CREATE A STORY TOGETHER!

Take turns painting, drawing and telling a story.

Write down the good parts...



What happens after the first image?

The second image?

And don't forget the surprise ending!

## NOW, PERFORM IT!

For family, recorded on a video, or just for yourselves!

