

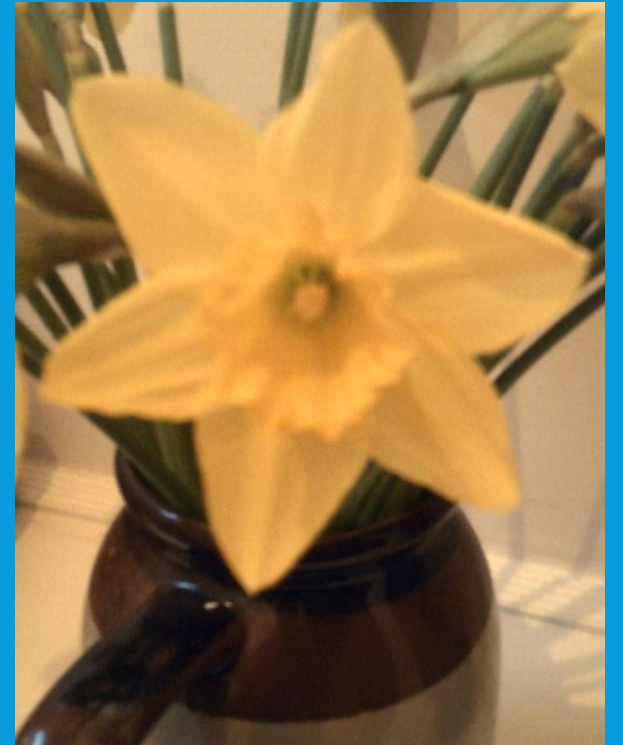
## Hello Year 1 - And Hello Spring!

Over the half term holidays you might have noticed signs of Spring sprouting everywhere!

This week we will draw some of those Spring flowers which are popping their heads out of the ground.

If you have any flowers in the garden, in pots, in a vase or on the park have a close look at them.

What colours can you see? What shapes can you see?  
Can you draw the flowers by observing them carefully?  
Join your fingers to make a square 'viewfinder' and look through to see one part at a time.



Many years ago Victorian artist Marianne North painted exotic flowers which she observed on her extensive travels all around the world.  
Watch the Videos to find out more about her incredible life.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YmF\\_6KAkvck](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YmF_6KAkvck)

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Observe her paintings and try to draw with detail and accuracy, use any media you have to add colour to your artwork.





These are just a few of the pieces of wonderful artwork created by Marianne North which hang in the gallery, dedicated to her, at Kew Gardens in London.

Take time to carefully observe and create your own flower images in detail.



Send a photo of our artwork to me via Seesaw  
Thank you,  
Mrs Coulston