

This is a **CREATIVE** assignment. We have spent a lot of time learning the basics of painting and shading, but we haven't focused much on your own creativity. In this lesson you have the following requirements and suggestions, but it is purposely an open ended assignment that you can take in multiple directions.

- Create a composition that is interesting.
- It has to incorporate a leaf or leaves in the composition.
- It can be all leaves or only part leaves
- Your drawing should go off of at least 3 edges of the paper
- It has to be painted using a BLEND of <u>analogous</u> colors dominantly though out the painting.

## Ideas:

Close ups of autumn leaves \* Leaves in water \* Leaves that become/transform into something else \* A detailed study of a leaf (Like a scientific illustration) \* Your personality as a tree \* Colorful, non-realistic, playful composition of leaves \* A person with leaves as hair \* Leaves blowing in the wind like music \* A cool crisp day \* Leaves in a tree looking up \* Shoes surrounded by leaves \* Leaf with a face appearing in it \* Leaves holding onto a branch

**DO NOT COPY** someone's artwork from the Internet. You may use the Internet for ideas but not to steal. If you can't come up with your own idea, then find 3-4 artworks you like and try to merge them to make your own.

Make <u>TWO</u> different sketches of your idea. Sketches are <u>10pt formative grade</u> each.