



# MAKE: DRAWING SPECIAL MEMORIES

(banner) Kei Takemura, *For E.K.*, (detail) 2015, print on cotton, Japanese silk thread, German synthetic cloth, 364 x 284 cm (above) sample of *Make* activity. (below) Sample of *Easy* activity.

## MAKE

A multilayered artwork based on the memories of your favourite things.

## COLLECT

- Pencils
- Paper x 2 sheets
- Baking paper or tracing paper
- Yarn or thread
- Needle
- Glue
- Scissors

## INSTRUCTIONS

1. **THINK**, what is your favourite; **FOOD, GAME, TOY, OBJECT** or **THING**.
2. **DO** a simple line drawing of one or two of your favourite things on white paper.
3. **CUT** around these drawings.
4. **PUNCH HOLES** with pencil or needle along the lines you would like to stitch.
5. **STITCH** thread through holes.
6. **ARRANGE** these pieces on a new sheet of paper and **GLUE** down.
7. **PLACE** tracing / baking paper over the drawings.
8. **DRAW** one or two more favourite things on tracing paper.
9. **STITCH** some of the lines on the tracing/baking paper.
10. **FINISH** with some **WRITTEN WORDS** around your memories.



## EASY ACTIVITY

- For younger artists, you may like to make a garden of different shapes and colours together. Draw and stitch with different thread for effective texture.
- You could use a recycled cardboard box if you want a firmer surface to work with.