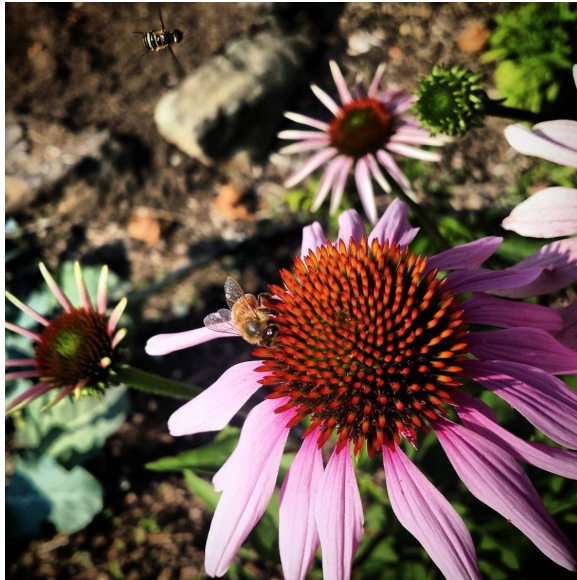


Art in Your Home Studio with URBAN ARTS SPACE

Small World / Close Up Photography



Small World Photo by Sidney Irvine

Tips

Don't be afraid to experiment! (try using a magnifying glass with your camera or smart device, try Macro mode and or focusing manually)



Make sure you have enough light.

Try it in black & white.

Print it and frame it!

Supplies & Tools

- Digital Camera, Smartphone Camera, iPad (other device that can take a picture)
- Stuff (small toys, random objects from junk drawer, small tool or utensil)
- Scenery (plant life, random places along the street & sidewalk, insects)
- Towel or Knee Pads (for shooting from low angles)
- Tripod or Mini Tripod

Preparation & Execution

1. **The Set Up.** After you have gathered your tools and items, scout your location and set up your camera.
2. **Think** about how you want to frame your shot. Will the main focus of your shot fall in the left, right or center of your frame?
3. **Use your smartphone or other device**, to take a few practice shots to test light and outcome. When you're ready, **take your main shots!**
4. **When you're done**, upload to your social media and use **#urbanartsspace** and **#crafternoons**. If your young artist is working with you, also use **#artexplorations**
5. Do it again and don't forget to title your work!