

## Layer Drawings with Georgina Hubbarde



Firstly, take pictures of your local surroundings on a walk if you're able to leave your house in the day. (Not to worry if you can't, you can also search the internet for images in your area.)

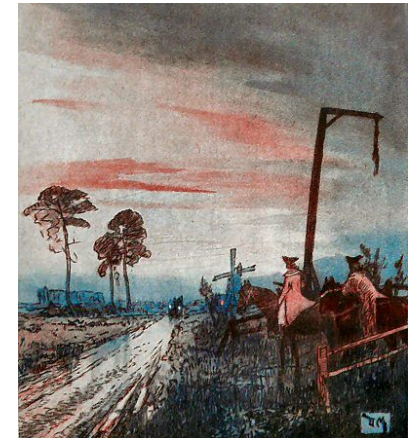
Then pick your favourite, this is mine from Hounslow Heath.

After this, you can research the area using the internet... Who has walked this path before you?

These are two images I found for Hounslow Heath. The first is of a Richard Wilson painting; showing the endless greenery of the area in the 1700's. The second is a historical impression of the Heath when it was known as England's 'wild west', where highwaymen ruled the area.



Richard Wilson, Hounslow Heath, 1770



Donald Maxwell, On Hounslow Heath, 1735

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Once you have three images in total you're ready to begin. If possible, start by printing images off from your computer.



If you have printed the images out, use a piece of tracing paper to outline your favourite parts of the photograph. If you aren't able to print, then carefully copy them from a computer screen.

Using this technique, take one element from each image to draw on to the same piece of tracing paper.

Now you've completed your layer drawing you can use the tracing to create a detailed sketch or painting that encompasses three different periods of time.

