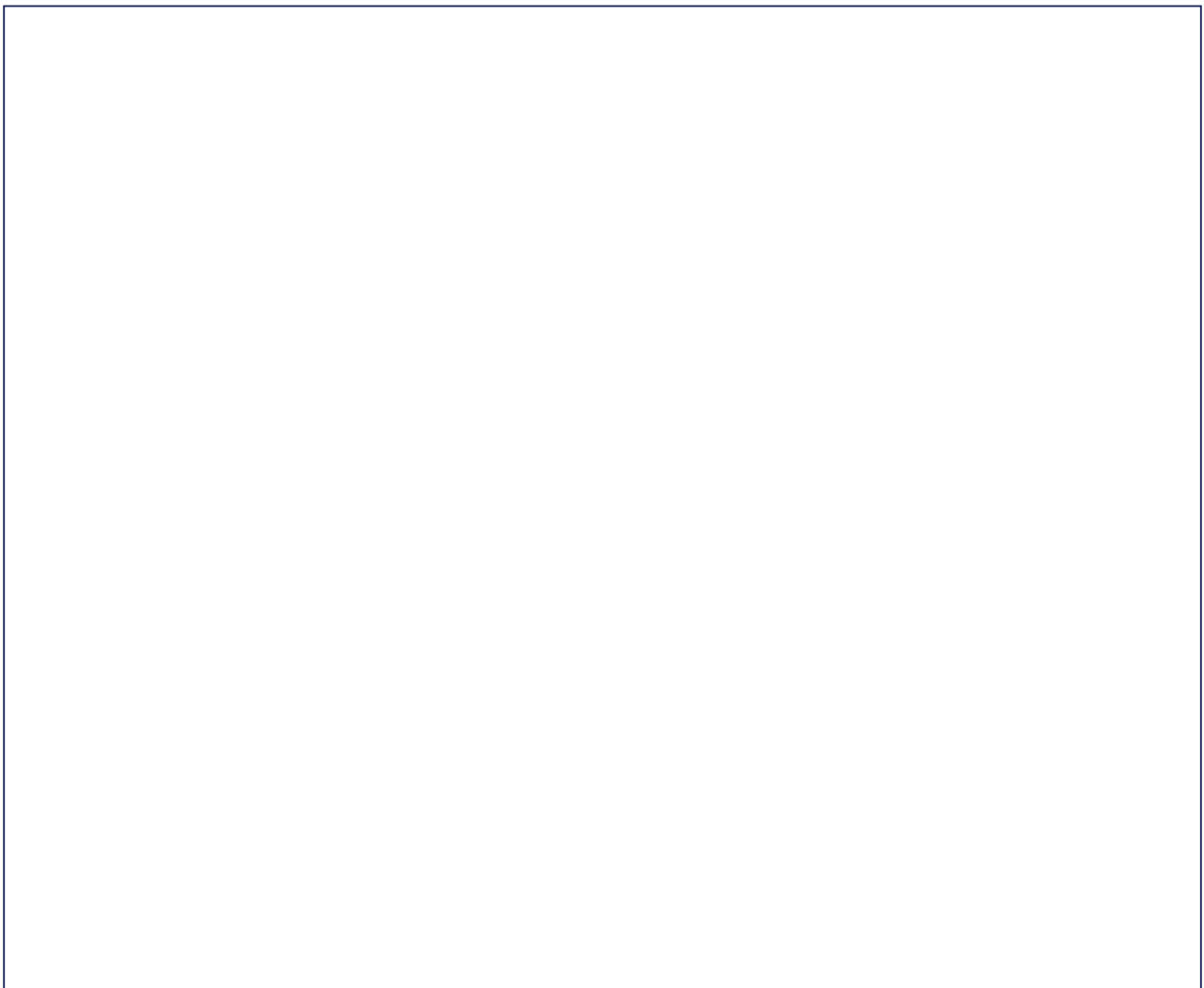


Zara's Springtime Pattern Workshop

Learning objective: To create an Easter-themed artwork focusing on symmetry, intricate patterns, and decorative design.

Follow the steps below to create your own Easter masterpiece. Use your pencil to sketch lightly first, then use coloured pencils or fine-liner pens to add detail and patterns. Zara the zebra loves using bold colours and repeating shapes!

Draw: Draw a large, symmetrical Easter egg occupying the centre of the page. Fill the egg with three distinct sections of complex, repeating patterns. Ensure the patterns are 'geometric' (using shapes) and 'floral' (using leaves or petals). Surround the egg with a border of small, detailed drawings inspired by spring nature. Use fine lines for detail and think about how to use contrasting colours to make your design pop.



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Steps:

1. Step 1: Draw a large, symmetrical egg shape in the centre of your page. Why is it important to draw lightly at this stage?
2. Step 2: Divide your egg into three sections using horizontal lines. Label the top section as 'Pattern A' and the bottom section as 'Pattern B'.

3. Step 3: Inside your sections, draw a repeating geometric pattern (like zig-zags or triangles). How does repeating a shape change the look of your artwork?
4. Step 4: Add 'texture' to the background of your egg. What kind of lines could you draw to show that the egg is resting on soft spring grass?
5. Step 5: Add a decorative border around the edge of your paper using floral motifs. Label one of your flowers.