

Zara's Pattern Adventure

Learning objective: To identify, create, and repeat patterns in artwork.

Follow the steps to help Zara the zebra create a colourful pattern design. Use your pencil to sketch first, then add colour.

Draw: Draw a pattern inspired by Zara the zebra. Create a border around your page using repeating triangles and lines. In the centre, draw a large shape and fill it with a pattern of your choice (dots, zig-zags, or stripes). Keep your lines neat and your colours bright.



Label words: Repeat · Stripe · Shape · Symmetry · Contrast

Steps:

1. Step 1: Draw three different shapes in a row to start your pattern, such as a circle, a square, and a triangle.
2. Step 2: Repeat your pattern of shapes two more times across the page.
3. Step 3: Choose two colours that look very different from each other. Colour your pattern using these two colours.
4. Step 4: Label one 'stripe' and one 'shape' on your drawing using the word bank.