Girton Art Club Project 3: Recreating famous paintings using household objects

Male Harp Player of the Early Spedos Type, 2700–2300 - The Arnolfini Portrait, Jan Van Eyck, 1434 B.C., Cycladic.

Project description:

Using everyday objects found in the home alongside yourself and members of your or housemates, recreate famous works of art and photograph the result so that your image resembles as best you can work you are referencing. See above and the instagram account @GirtonCollegeArtClub for more examples.

Materials: anything you can get hold of in the house.

Time: As long as you need!

Tip: try and get the angle of the photo as close as you can to the original work. Use pets as people, use objects as people, use people as objects. If you see the examples online, then it’s pretty clear what to do and how elaborate or simple you can be. Go for it! Try more than one if you can.