

## Negative space Exercise

There are 5 areas where your drawing skills can be honed: Seeing edges, spaces, light and shadow, and the proportion. For the purpose of this exercise we will concentrate on one: Negative space. Negative space is looking at the outline of an object/ composition and concentrating on the between objects. By drawing the negative spaces it allows you see the external lines with greater focus and the relationships between objects.

### Things to do:

1# using a partner draw their face and shoulders in profile.

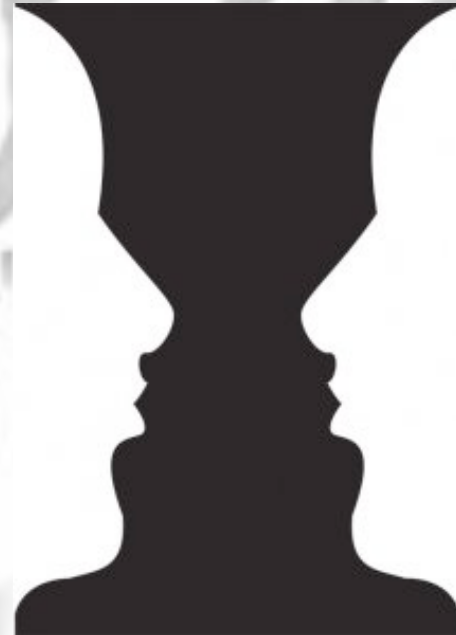
2# create a negative space drawing from the picture on the sheet.

3# set up a still life composition and draw all the parts using block colour.

4# Create a negative space picture using 4 items from your imagination.



Still life negative space example



Profile in negative space example



change image into a negative space drawing in the box below

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