



3rd grade “Cutting Edge” Drawings



*Have you ever looked up at the clouds and seen images of animals, people, or things? This requires a lot of creativity and your imagination. It is important for artists to use their imagination to think of things no one else could think of. Today you will be using your imagination to create a drawing of whatever creature, person, place, or thing you see in a pair of scissors. Lay a pair of scissors on the table and brainstorm some ideas of what your scissors could be. Please be **SAFE** with your scissors and keep them **FLAT** on the table as you move them around. You may want them to be opened, closed, pointing up or down, left or right. Share your ideas as a class.*

Now follow these steps to create your scissor drawing:

1. Set a pair of scissors on a blank piece of paper. Before you trace, first decide how you want them.
2. Once you decide, carefully trace the scissors with pencil.
3. Still using **PENCIL**, let your imagination begin and draw your picture. Make sure to include a background. The more detail, the better.
4. Outline your completed drawing with black marker.
5. **NEATLY** with colored pencils and/or crayons.
6. If you finish early, you may create another scissor drawing.