

Take a Walk



"I started making holes in the back garden and realized I did not have to work in a studio. Out there is my studio."

—Richard Long

Nasher Collection artist [Richard Long](#) takes walks that give him great ideas for his artworks. Sometimes these walks become works of art as Long creates outdoor sculptures along the way. Other times, he brings the outside in. Once he even painted mud on the walls of a gallery!

Assignment:

Create a work of art based on a walk that you take.

Bring:

- An adult
- A friend (stuffed, furry or human)
- A journal or sketchbook,
- A pencil
- A camera
- Snacks (best not the head anywhere without them)

On your walk...

What do you notice? What colors do you see? Can you spot any crazy shapes or silly lines? (Draw them in your sketchbook!) Do you hear cars or creatures?

Create a sculpture outside for others to enjoy.

Gather rocks, sticks and leaves (with adult permission).

How will you arrange your artwork? You could make a line or a path, create a shape (Richard Long loves circles) or sort your materials by size or color. The possibilities are endless.

We would love to hear about your adventure. Take a photo and tag it [#nasheradventures](#)