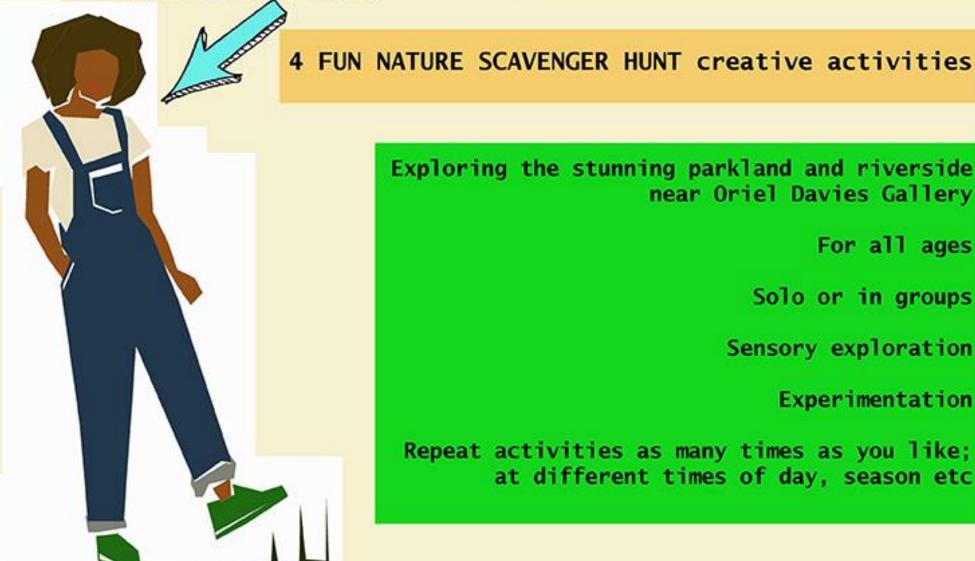
### Devised and designed by Artist Jamila Walker

## Where the Severn Smiles



Exploring the stunning parkland and riverside near Oriel Davies Gallery

For all ages

Solo or in groups

Sensory exploration

Experimentation

Repeat activities as many times as you like; at different times of day, season etc















Nature Scavenger hunt Activity 1 - Visual Textures

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### You'll need

Your imagination Paper Coloured Pens/Pencils Clip board Camera/camera phone\*

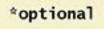


Draw and/or photograph, a variety of textures and geometric shapes that you find on your creative journey around the parkland and river Severn near the gallery.



3 Examples by me Artist Jamila Walker

TIP 2. Try taking your photos from different angles, delete the photos you aren't happy with, keep, (share online and/or print) your favourite shots.



#### TIP 1.

Take 10 seconds to really look at what you are about to draw.

Spend more time looking, at your subject, rather than drawing, try not to make assumptions about what you see.













# Nature Scavenger hunt Activity 2 - Sound Library

You'll need

Your imagination
Paper
Coloured Pens/Pencils
Clip board
Voice notes on a
smart phone/tablet\*

Create a 'Sound Library' by drawing and/or recording sounds that you find interesting

TASK-

\*optional

TIP 2.
Possible sounds to record and/or draw...

The river
Birds
A squirrel digging
Foot steps on wet grass

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"I recorded the fast moving river sounds on my phone, it inspired me to draw thick, curved lines overlapping in various colours". Jamila

TIP 1.

If you are living with any hearing loss, you could creatively respond to vibrations











Activity 3 - Home

You'll need

Your imagination
Paper
Coloured Pens/Pencils
Clip board
Camera/camera phone\*
Twigs
String
Scissors

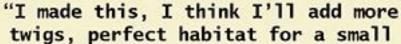
\*optional

'Home' Respond creatively to the wildlife habitats on your walk.

TASK-

Draw and photograph nests, holes and burrows.

Draw and/or photograph, birds nests, burrows or even create your own small dens from fallen twigs and string.















TASK-

You'll need

Your imagination
Paper
Coloured Pens/Pencils
Clip board
Camera/camera phone\*

Looking for 'Movement' in our surroundings.

Draw and/or make mini films of creatures, the river flowing, grass, trees, leaves and other things moving in the wind.

\*optional

MORE moving things, that you could respond to creatively.

Clouds, your hands gently moving leaves, twigs floating down the river...



The wobbly bridge to and from Dolerw Park













## Where the Severn Smiles

Once you've finished your drawings, photos or films would you like to lend them to the gallery?

Gallery staff are creating a wall of work made by the public and will look after your work well and return it at the end of the project.

You can also share your drawings, photographs and films on Instagram and Facebook using the hashtag #wherethesevernsmiles













