

# ART TALK (K-2)

Aimed at younger audiences, this is a vocabulary building exercise where we will discuss what folk and traditional art is and pass around objects from the Museum's education collection in order for the students to have a tactile learning experience.

The objects we will be exploring are:

- Temari balls (Japan)
- Clay sculpted bull (Sudan)
- Tapa cloth (Tonga)
- Wood carvings (Belarus)

As they pass around the objects we will discuss the color, texture, and use of these 4 objects as a group. Each child will be given one of the activities below to record their thoughts during this exercise.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Today we saw \_\_\_\_\_ at the Chase Home Museum and it looked like this:

It is made of \_\_\_\_\_.

Color: It is \_\_\_\_\_.

Texture: It feels \_\_\_\_\_.

What shapes do I see? I see \_\_\_\_\_.

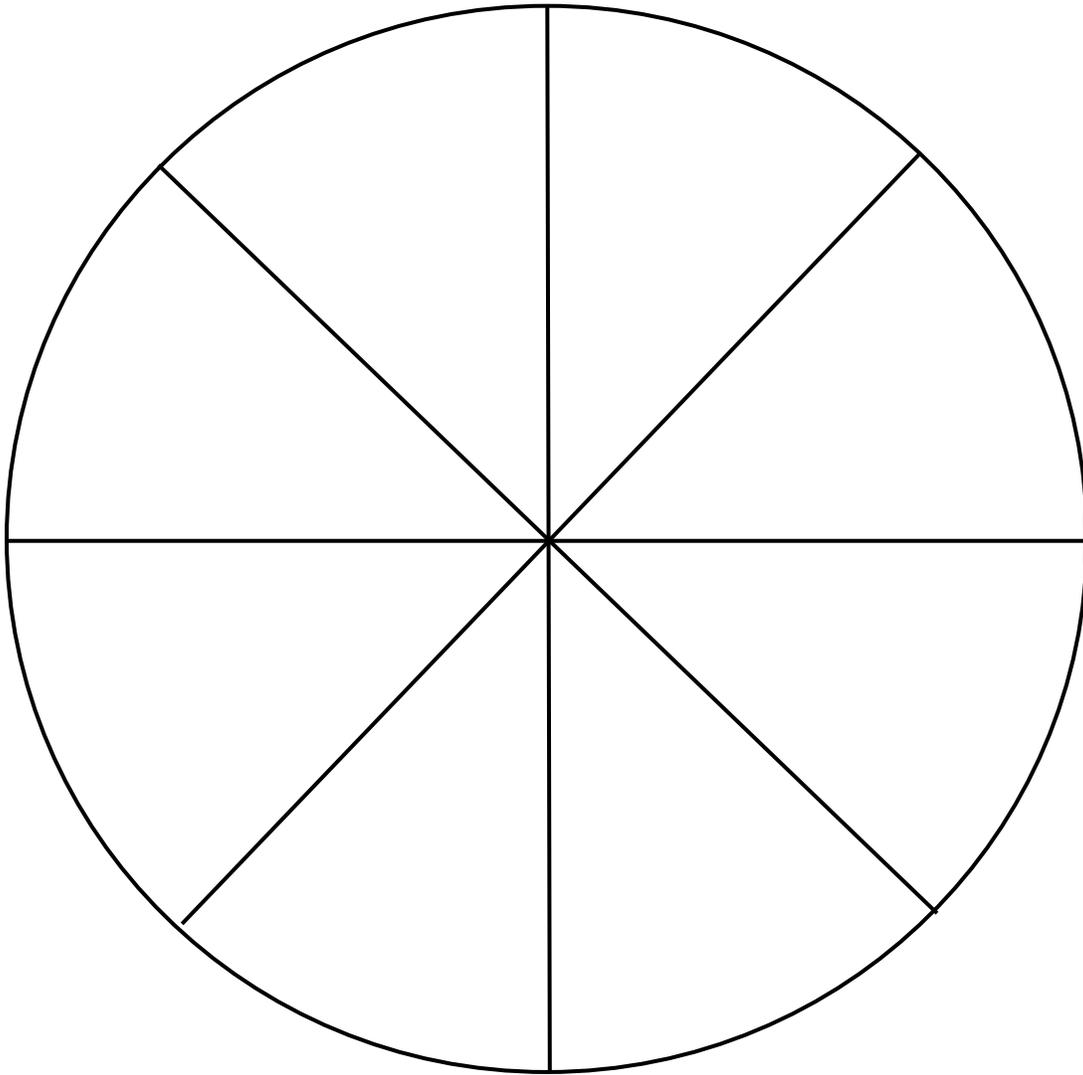
It is used for \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_.

I like/don't like this piece of folk art.

Name\_\_\_\_\_

## Create Your Own Temari Ball Design



Temari balls are a traditional Japanese art made from cloth and embroidered with intricate designs.