

STEP BY STEP 3D HOLE IN THE GROUND

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1
Draw the outline of the hole in the ground using straight lines. You can make it as complex as you want. Use about 10-20 lines.



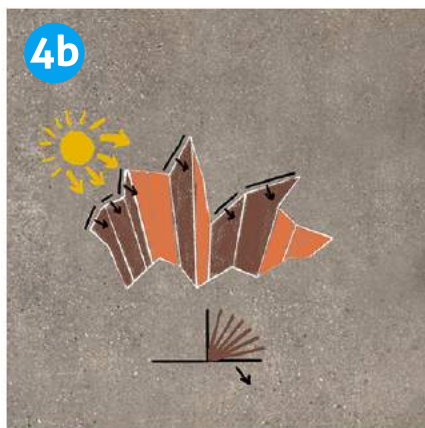
2
About 6 feet back from the bottom of the hole draw an X and tape a long string to that point. This will be your viewpoint for photos.



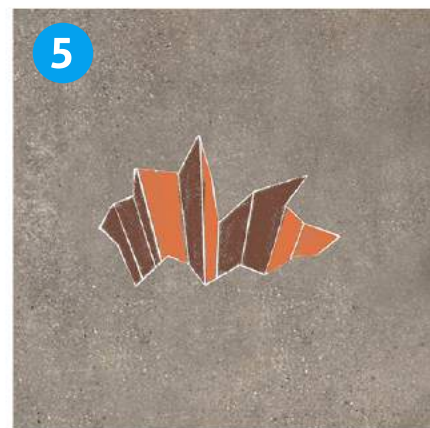
3
Use the string to draw lines from the points of your shape. Only draw final lines INSIDE of the shape.



4a
Imagine there is a light source on the left side. In every section that is angled to the left, chalk the section in with an orange or light brown.



4b
Fill in the rest of the sections with a dark brown. These sections are facing away from the imaginary light source.



5
Use a piece of styrofoam, section of pool noodle, or carpet square to blend the chalk into the pavement until the color is smooth.



6
Use a purple or black piece of chalk to darken the bottom half of your shape. Blend the purple into the orange and brown colors.



7
Draw in cracks with black chalk starting from the points of your "hole". Add as many cracks as you want inside and outside the shape.



8
Finish the hole by adding white or light grey highlights around the edge of the hole. Draw a light line next to the black cracks to complete the illusion.