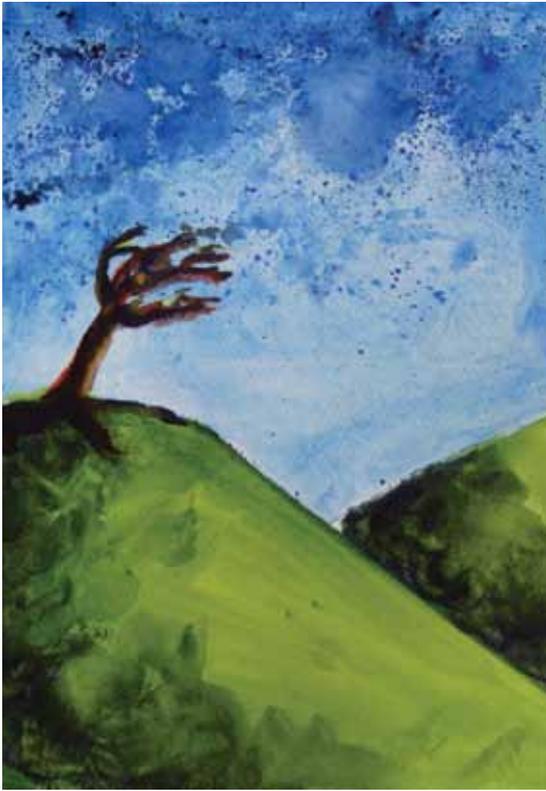


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1



Draw the shape of hills with an Iris Blue block. Lightly shade in the sky with the same block using the side, put more blue colour towards the top of the paper leaving it lighter towards the hills. Wash over the whole sky area with a wet paintbrush.

2



While your sky is still wet, scrunch up some tissue or kitchen towel and dab onto the sky to lift some colour off to create the effect of clouds.

3



Take a wet paintbrush and from the side of the block, flick the colour from the block onto the top of your drawing. Splash some excess water onto the top of this and dab with kitchen towel.

Use the same splattering technique to add some Deep Indigo.

Materials used:

Watercolour paper

Inktense Blocks: Iris Blue, Deep Indigo, Sun Yellow, Ink Black and Tangerine.

Derwent Medium Waterbrush

Tissue paper or kitchen towel

Derwent Grate 'n' Shake

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Colour the hills in using the side of the Sun Yellow block.

5



Using a Derwent Grate 'n' Shake grate the following blocks into the container; Sun Yellow, Iris Blue and Deep Indigo. Add water and shake to mix colours together.

Using the green paint from the Derwent Grate 'n' Shake, paint the left hand side hill and blend with the yellow already laid down. Repeat for the second hill.

6



On the first hill to the left hand side, wet the drawing with a paintbrush. Starting from the bottom and working up take the Deep Indigo Block and scribble onto your drawing to create shadows. Using a paintbrush, drag the colour up the hill. Repeat on second hill.

7



Using the Ink Black and Tangerine blocks draw a tree on top of the first hill. Do this by dipping the block straight into water and then drawing direct onto the paper. Use the corner edge to put in some narrow twigs.

Your drawing is now complete!

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