

# the CRAYON MAN

Ideas for teachers, librarians and parents

**Go outside and LOOK at all the wonderful colours!**

**The Crayola crayons inventor Edwin Binney loved nature.**

It inspired him to create a new kind of crayon so children everywhere could draw in colour.

**Collect some nature or photograph it.** Notice how many different shades of green and pink and red and blue there are! Can you match the nature you collect to the same crayon colour? Or see if you can find other objects that are the same colour?



Can you order the shades from darkest to lightest?  
Can you name these different colours?



**Now you create!**  
**Draw, make a collage or doodle with nature's vibrant colours!**

