

## LEARNING RESOURCE



### Word Play: Recycling Narratives

This activity takes its inspiration from *The Cost of Your Words*, a digital sculpture by Fabio Lattanzi Antinori which you can see on our sculpture terrace. *The Cost of Your Words* is inspired by advertising billboards. This activity encourages you to create new stories, poems or prose from found text.



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### What will I need for this project?

- Old newspapers or magazines
- Scissors
- Paper - any size works
- Glue or tape

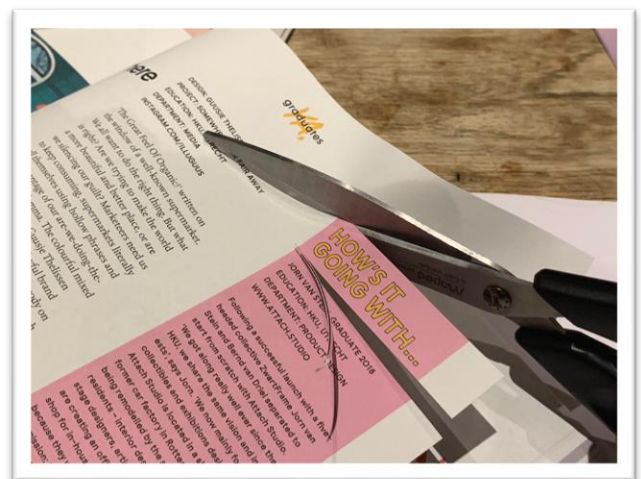
### Step one:

Gather a collection of old newspapers and magazines - anything with text on that you are allowed to cut up.



### Step two:

Go through your selected texts and cut out words and phrases you like.



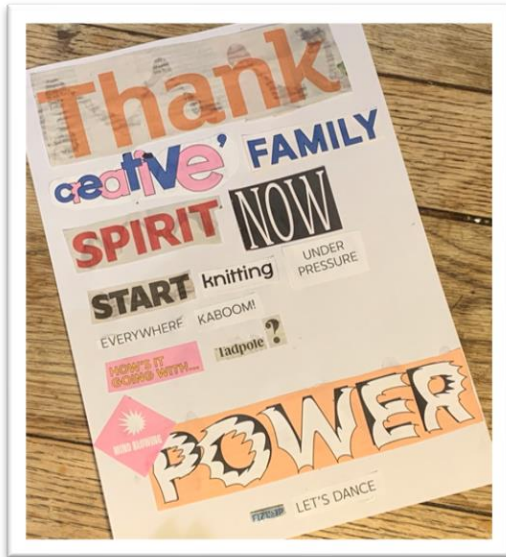
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### Step three:

Using your cut out words you can start to create your new writing/poems. Lay out your words and phrases on a piece of paper, moving them around to create different combinations.

### Step four:

When you are happy with your new arrangements you can start sticking the words down using glue or tape.



### Step 5:

Play and experiment!

If you find a large piece of text you like, you could cut it up into 4 pieces and move them around into a different order. This can create sentences that almost make sense, like this:

