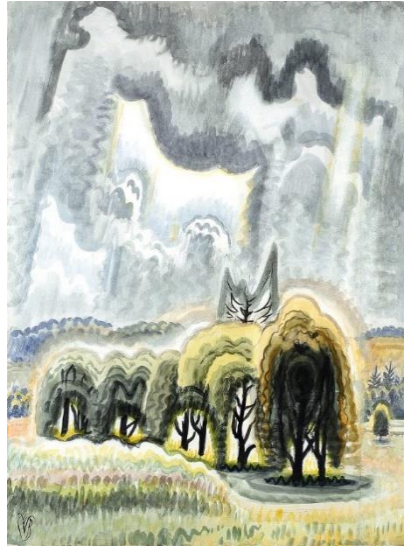


Museum Stories July 8, 2020

This week our theme is weather. Follow along with the short video for this week's lesson.



Charles E. Burchfield. *Midsummer Afternoon*, 1952. Watercolor and charcoal on paper

LOOK

In this painting, there are trees on the bottom and most of the picture is the sky. What can you see in the sky? Do the curving, squiggly lines look like clouds? Can you find the color yellow? Does this look like lightening to you? Pretend you are in this landscape. What sounds does the rain and the lightening make?

READ

This week, the recommended book is called *Come On, Rain* by Karen Hesse and illustrated by Jon J Muth. This story is about a girl who wants it to rain on a hot summer day so she can go outside and play in the rain and cool off. When it starts to rain, she puts on a bathing suit and dances around in the rain with her friends. If you don't have this book, find another book about rain or the weather and take a few minutes to read.

MAKE

Follow along with the video to make your own cloud and learn this poem:

I'm a little cloud, in the sky,  
You can find me way up high.  
Sometimes I'm puffy,  
Sometimes stretched out,  
I just love to float about.

