

What color is your world?

January may seem gloomy and gray, but our Book of the Month and associated project has been chosen to celebrate the color and push your creativity.

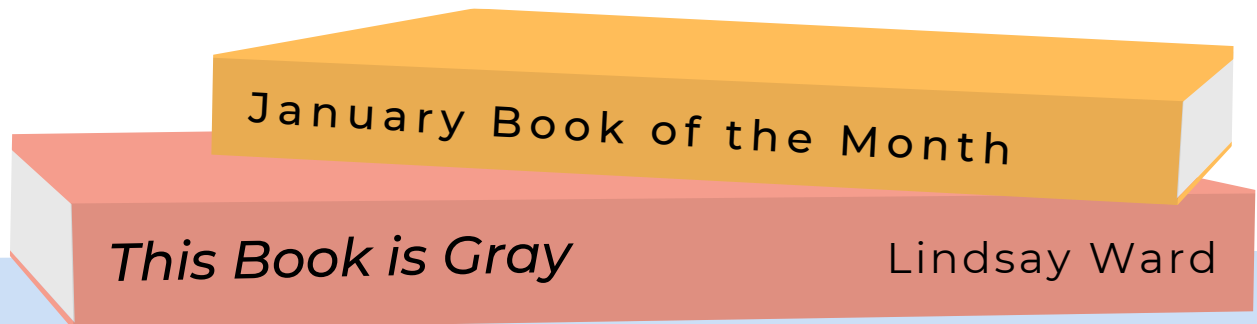
Materials:

- Plain paper or sketch book
- Regular # 2 pencil
- Gray coloring material of your choice



Instructions:

- Set a timer for 1-minute and have a pencil and paper ready. Within the minute write down, or have an adult help you write, anything you can think of that can be gray.
- When the minute is up, look at your list and then create a story using at least 3 of the items from your list.
- Challenge yourself by creating one monochromatic version by only using a regular pencil to create various shades of gray.
- Then, invite the primary and secondary colors to the party and create another version of your drawing using all the colors available to you!
- Share your creations with us using #LymanAllynAtHome



About the book: Author and illustrator Lindsay Ward uses color, especially the color gray, to explore a universal human experience of fitting in, feeling appreciated, and considering other's perspective. Readers are introduced to basic color concepts while they are taken along Gray's journey of trying to write their own story against the opinions and judgment from the primary, secondary, and fellow achromatic colors.