

ACTIVITY

Here Comes the Sun!



Ugo Rondinone (Swiss, b. 1963), *The Sun*, 2018, Bronze, stainless steel, and gold leaf, Gift of Sydney and Walda Besthoff, 2019.59

Let's send rays of sunshine from every doorstep in New Orleans!

In this community-oriented activity, create your own sun inspired by NOMA Sculpture Garden artist Ugo Rondinone, show us what brings you sunshine in your life, and place your sun in your window for all to see. In the coming days, take a walk through your neighborhood; how many suns peeking from windows can you find?

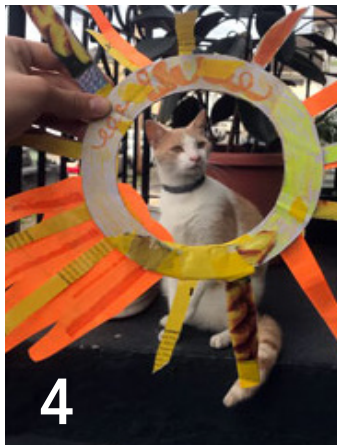
Artist Ugo Rondinone's circular, bronze sculpture titled *The Sun* frames the horizon where the earth and sky meet and shimmers in the daylight, celebrating nature. Create your own sun out of materials you can find at home & spread some sunshine to your community!

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1. Gather a paper plate or circular items from your home (like a plate or tupperware lid) to trace your own circle on thick paper or cardboard. Cut it out. *Use scissors carefully. Grab a grown-up for help!*
2. Trace a smaller circle inside + fold your circle in half. Cut out an inner circle so you're left with a ring-shaped border.
3. Decorate your ring with rays of sunshine. Get creative! Try using strips of paper from magazines, uncooked noodles, popsicle sticks, or even paper cut-outs of your hands!



4. Plant your feet on the ground & look around you: what brings you light, love, and happiness? Frame someone or something that brings sunshine into your life! Capture a picture and share. [#nomaathome](#) [#herecomesthesunnola](#)
5. Attach your sun to a paper backing. Place it in your window to send sunshine to someone else!

Challenge a friend or family member to make a sun & send some sunshine too!