

### **Grade Three Teacher Preparations:**

- January:** Teacher preparation – Tear brown paper bags open and tear edges to look similar to an animal skin – prior to class. Have one “skin” per student. The cut outs, sponges and an example are in the MTM file cabinet. Wet sponges and wring out excess water before passing them out to the children.
- February:** Teacher preparation – Ask students to bring old magazines to school which will be cut. Look for magazines which contain people’s faces. **There is a note to be copied and distributed in the binder.**
- March:** Teacher preparation – Make sure there is cardboard cut for sculpture bases.
- April:** Teacher preparation – An assortment of objects of various shapes are helpful for reference while doing this activity. Provide a table with still life containing an assortment of objects for the children to observe. There are a few still life objects in the MTM storeroom.