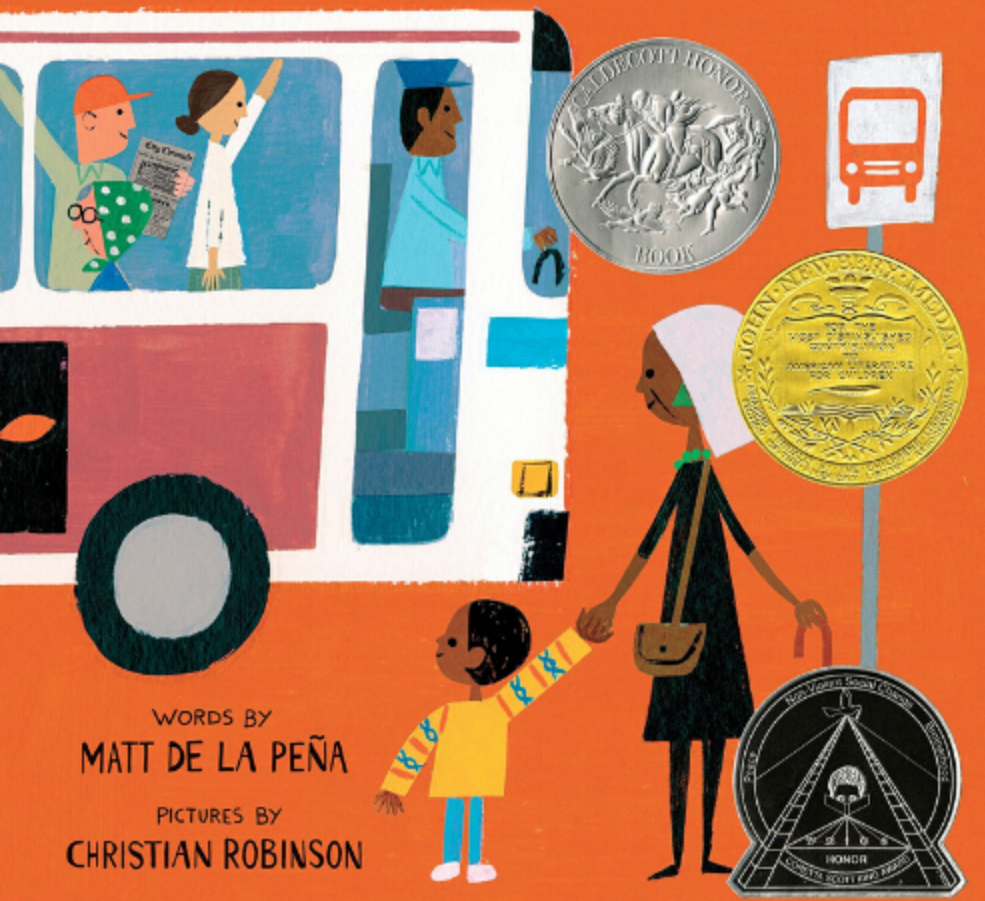


# LAST STOP ON MARKET STREET



## Cityscape Collage



Early Sunday Morning, Edward Hopper



Cityscape Collage, Andy Burgess

In the book *Last Stop on Market Street* by Matt de la Peña, CJ and his Grandma ride the bus through the city on their way to the soup kitchen. What does your city look like? Does it look like Grandma and CJ's or different? We can make a **CITYSCAPE**, an artist's (that's you!) picture of a city. You can make a **CITYSCAPE** look like your view from your window, from a photograph or picture or, from your imagination.

### Supplies:

- Several sheets of different colors/kinds of paper
- One sheet of white paper
- Things to use as templates for rectangles, triangles, etc (optional)
- Glue stick
- Markers or pencils
- Scissors

### Instructions:

- 1** Choose a piece of paper for the background. Think about if you want the scene to look like it's day or nighttime. Be creative!
- 2** Cut out shapes such as squares, rectangles, and triangles from your other pieces of paper. Use objects such as blocks, envelopes, etc., as templates to trace or just cut them freehand. These shapes will be your buildings, doors, windows, chimneys, roofs...

Background





**3** Arrange your cut-out shapes on the background paper to start building your collage. Move things around. Try different combinations. Get your entire scene arranged before gluing it down.



**4** Glue down one shape at a time. (Tip: Just have a teeny amount of glue stick coming out the top. This is the Glue Stick Sweet Spot!) Hold down the shape for 5 seconds with your finger to make sure it sticks.



**5** Using white paper, create small drawings with the markers to add to your scene. Think cars, people, trees, bicycles, animals, yourself waving in a window...Color them in (optional) before cutting them out, and gluing to your collage.

**6** THINK, is there anything else you want to add? Go for it!



Admire your finished collage! You are an artist!