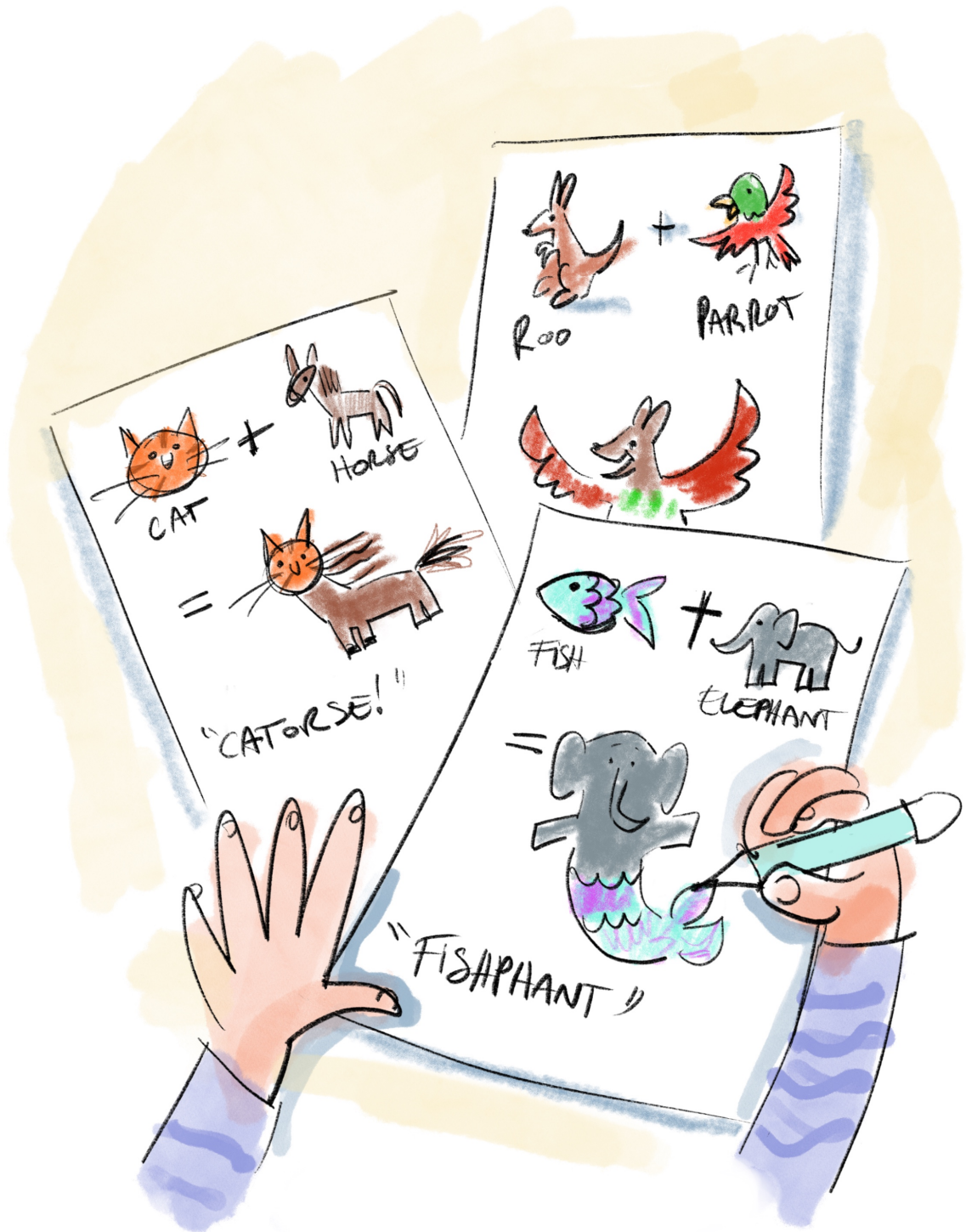


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with Giulia Corradi



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"Hi! I'm Giulia!  
I'm an Art Teacher here at  
Hazelhurst Arts Centre!  
Join me in a fun  
movement and drawing  
activity!"

Today we are getting inspiration from artist **Caroline Rothwell's** work, Primal Plant 2011 – 2021. In this artwork she plays with the idea of hybrids.

Do you know what hybrid means? It is when something is made by combining two different elements.

Imagine a hybrid sea creature...the claws of a crab with the tail of a fish?!

Imagine a bicycle mixed with a car! Maybe it would have a steering wheel instead of a handlebar!

Here's what you'll need.



Coloured pencils



Paper



Your body

Close your eyes and imagine your favourite animal. Imagine its skin...does it have scales or fur? Does it have a tail? Claws?

Think of another animal and imagine all its details.

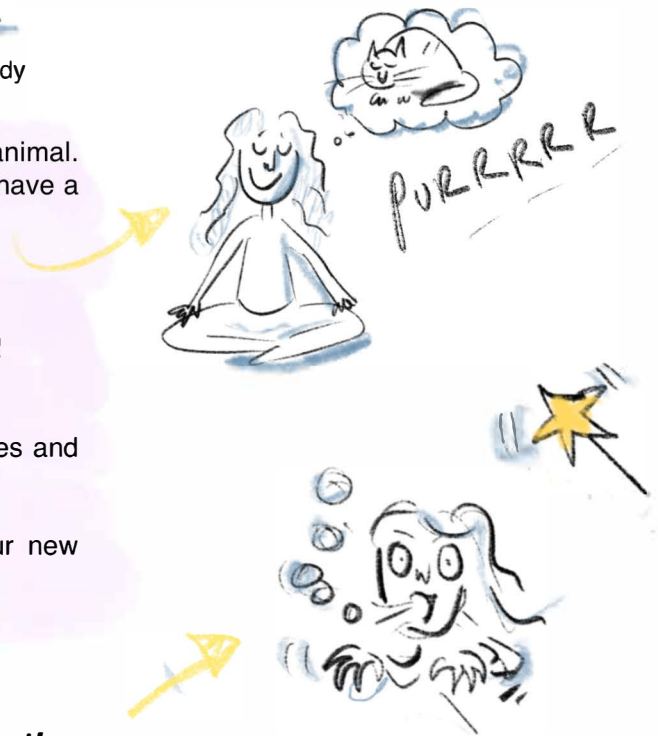
What if you could create your own animal? Imagine it! It might have a tail with a fin and the head of horse!

Can you imagine how it would move? Open your eyes and give your body a good shake!

Now! A magic trick...ABRACADABRA! You are your new hybrid animal!

Lets act like it!

***I blow bubbles like a fish and I scratch like a cat!  
I have scales on my tummy and fur on my back!***



Draw your imagined animal and add as many details as you like!

What is the name of this animal?

Can you combine lots of different animals to create other hybrids?

