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ART CLASS

SALT RESIST ART



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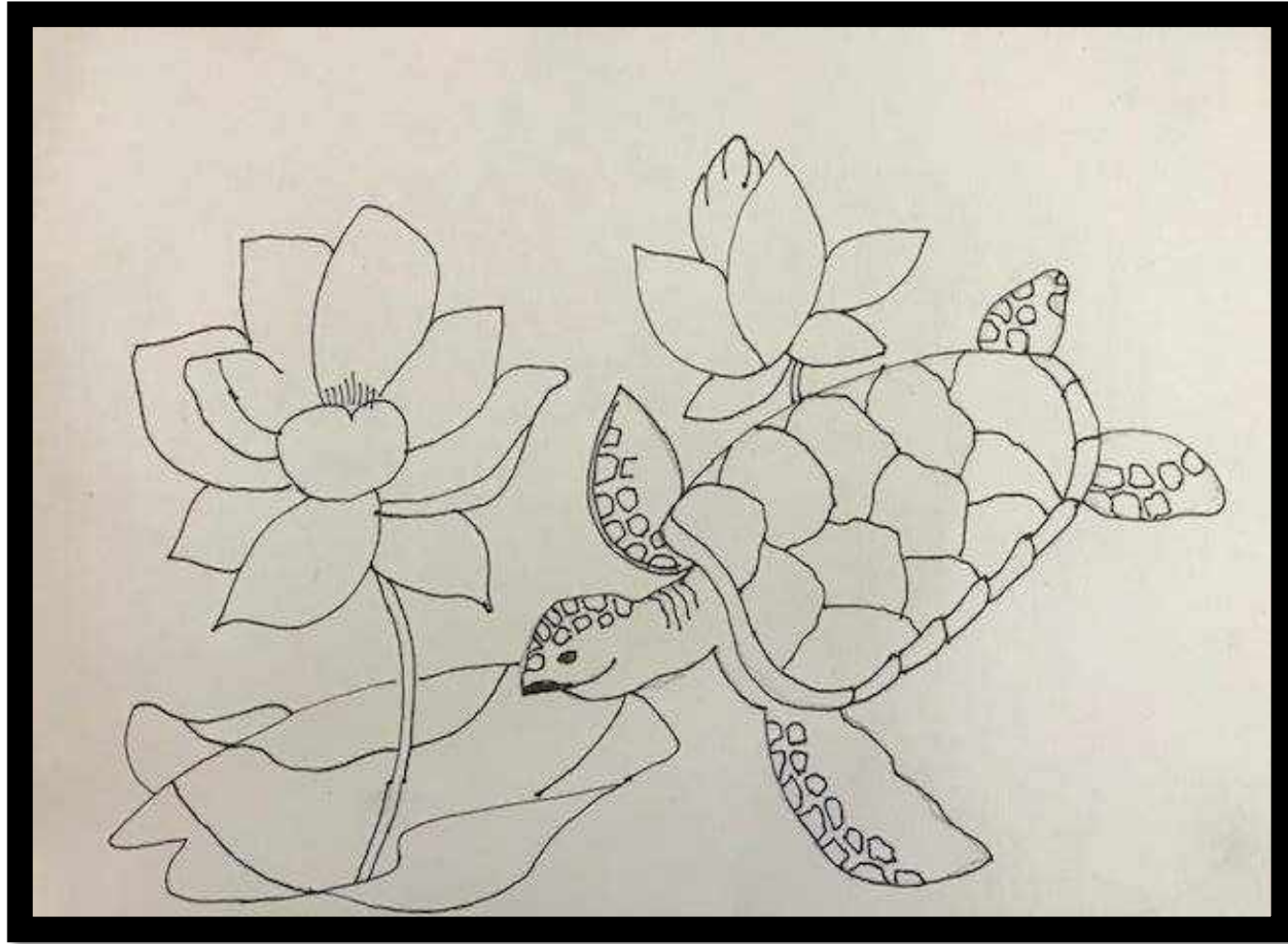
What happens in this fantastic kind of art, is that the salt soaks up the liquid from the watercolour paint, creating areas without much pigment leaving some parts faded than others. To vary the effect we may use different size salt crystals. We may try it with more or less paint aswell. Here I have used simple everyday cooking salt.

MATERIALS NEEDED

WATER COLOUR PAPER OR SIMPLE DRAWING PAGE
ROUND BRUSHES (Preferably 4 and 6)
WATER COLOUR ,PALATTE, CONTAINER, TISSUE PAPER
1 SMALL BOWL OF SALT.
PENCIL AND ERASER
THIN AND THICK PERMANENT MARKER

1. Draw a beautiful and simple picture of your choice with pencil and outline with thin marker. Erase pencil lines once done.

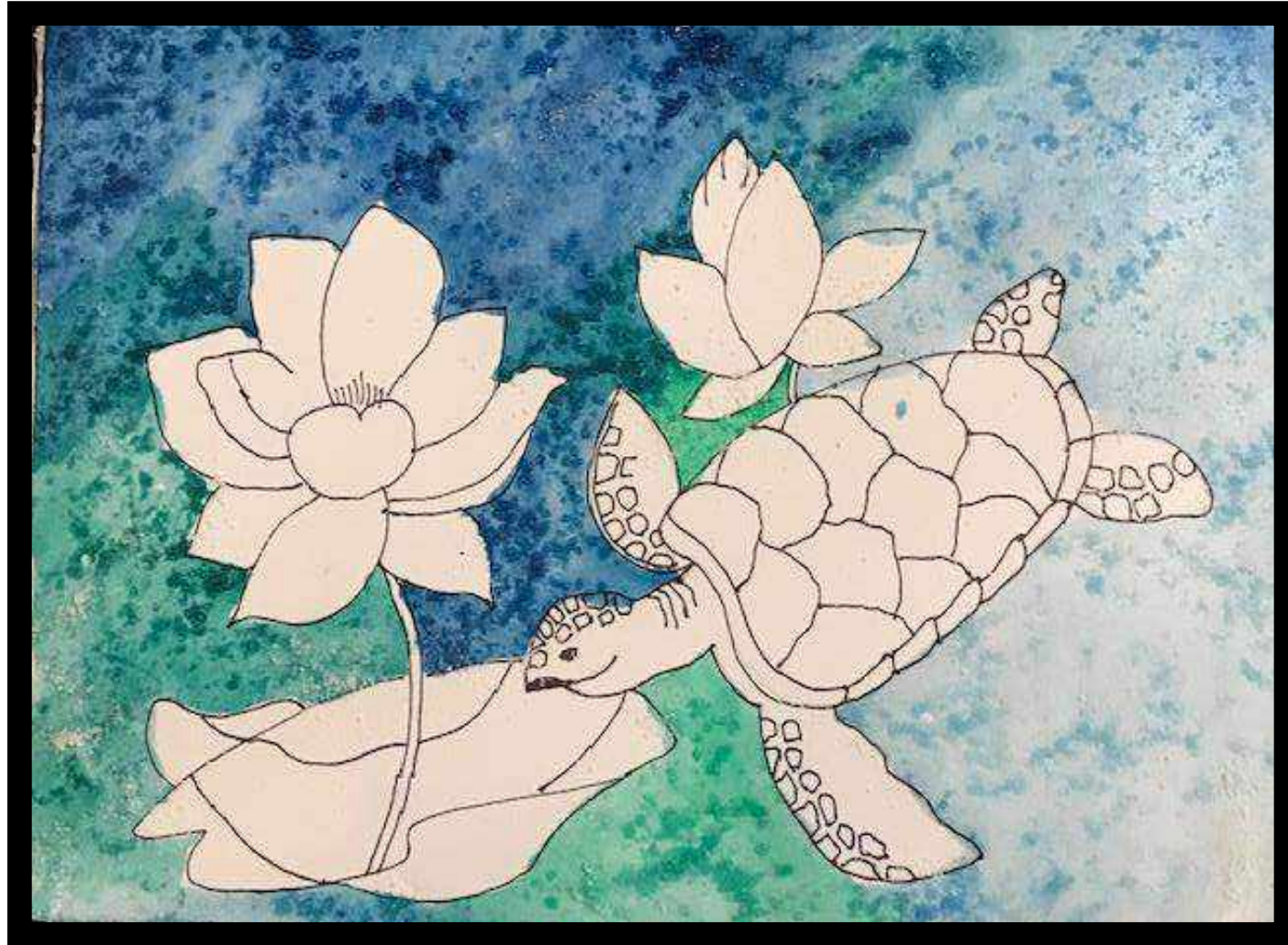
HERE I HAVE DRAWN A TURTLE AND LOTUSES IN THE WATER.



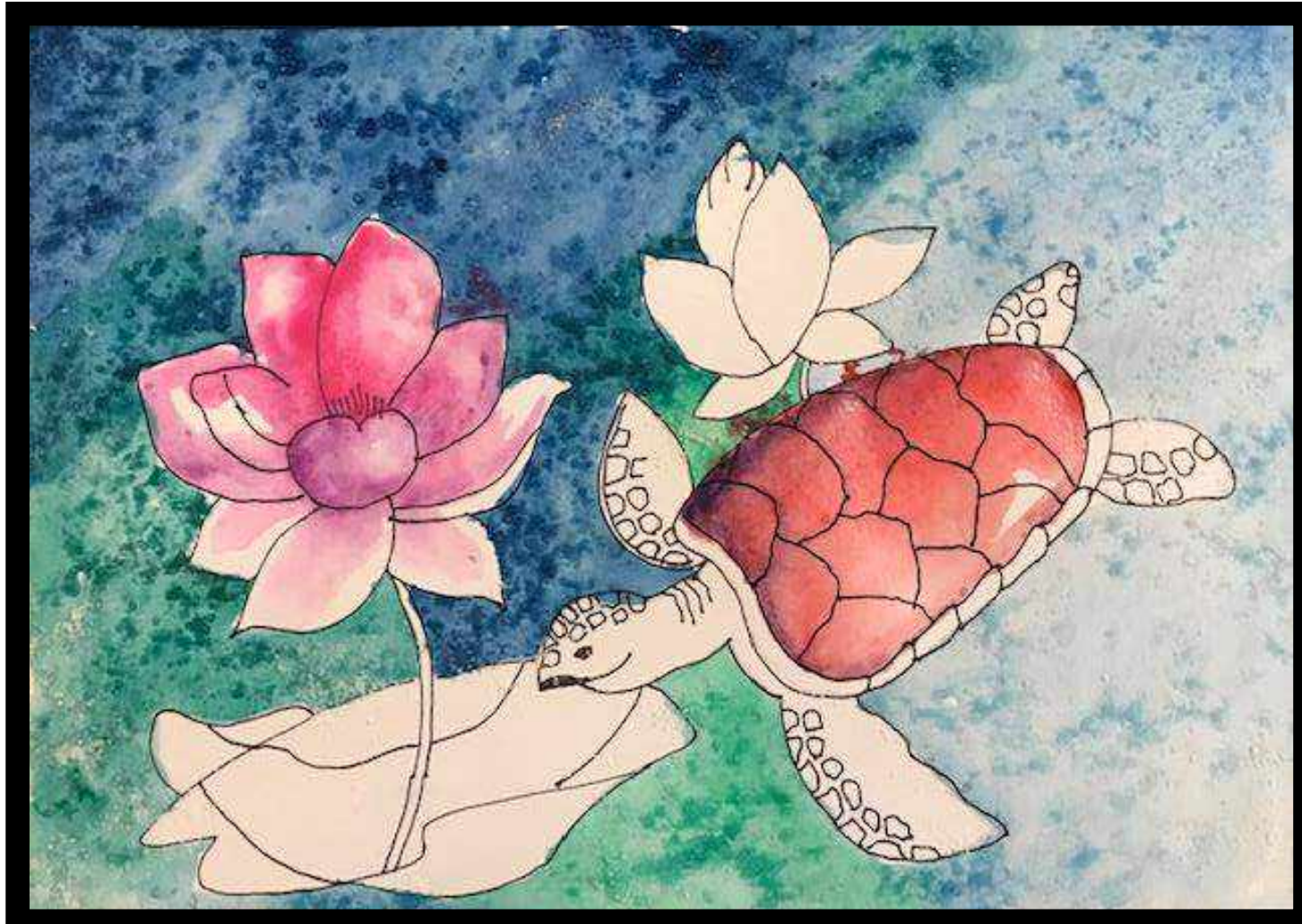
2. Spread water over a small patch with brush. Dilute paint and water and start painting. Once the small patch is covered with paint, sprinkle salt while it is wet. Continue doing the same to fill up the background. You may use multiple colours.



3. Once you complete the background, donot remove the salt rightaway. Let it be like this till you complete the whole picture.



4. Let us now start painting the turtle and the lotus.
Put shadings wherever necessary.



5. Now your picture will start taking form.



6. Once you reach here ,you will notice your picture is taking form. By this time the background has dried up completely.



7. Take a tissue paper and gently rub off the salt. Some salt may still stay on your painting. Visibly you will see the texture of the background more clearly.



FINALLY, with the use of thick and thin markers, highlight certain areas.
YOUR PAINTING IS NOW COMPLETE.

