**Fish forever**

**Art lesson: Patterns and textures**

**To compliment lesson 3:**

**Up close and personal on the patterns and textures in nature –**

**Show students close up images of scales, kina spines, kelp fronds, crayfish spines and joints. Encourage them to look at patterns and colouring of different fish species, nudibranchs, sea shells and sea stars.**

**Students make a postcard size abstract picture of a close up of their favourite pattern/texture using drawing as a base then oil pastels to add the colour and texture. They can make a series of pictures if done quickly.**