



*Common Agency Projects, Rehearsing Commoning Actions At Wanstead Flats October 2020.
(Photo: Felicity Crawshaw)*

Thank you for registering to be part of the Commoning Action #20! With your contribution we will create a unique collective digital artwork.

Common Agency Projects (CAP) have now created their score and would like for you to take part in this unique experience. This will involve connecting with nature through a series of actions. You will record/document your own interpretation of the 'score' and send it to Craftspace by posting it to your Instagram story and tagging us using our handle '@craftspace_' and the hashtag '#CommoningAction20' or if you prefer please send it directly to us and we will post it on our platforms - takepart@craftspace.co.uk

If you're posting to your Instagram story – please post your videos on the **24th April by 2.00pm**.
If sending videos to us – please send your videos over by the **23rd April at 7.00pm**. We recommend sending videos directly to us via <https://wettransfer.com/>

Everyone's mini artworks will be edited into one piece and broadcast live on **24th April from 2.00pm** as part of a public online event in collaboration with The Civic in Barnsley.

Before partaking in the score we recommend the following:

For safety reasons, if under 16 please have adult supervision present when performing the score in public spaces. If using a public space, please find a safe suitable location to perform the score preferably away from public pathways.

Have multiple layers of clothing on you.

Use a strong string – this score requires strings to be used, if you do not have strings then you can lay on your items by placing them on the ground.

Have access to a mobile phone/camera to record your interpretation of the score. If filming on a mobile phone – please film in portrait mode.

Most importantly, remember to have fun!

Commoning Action #20

Step 1.

- Go for a walk with string in your pocket.

Step 2.

- Take off some of your clothes, as many as you feel comfortable with.

Step 3.

- Tie these to what's around you, creating a surface to lean or rest on. Do this exploring the tensile quality of the materials you are using, creating both support and movement.

Step 4.

- Work quickly. Try a couple of things. This is play. You use to do this all the time.

Step 5.

- Lean or rest against the structure you've built. Test before you rest.

Step 6.

- Use all your senses to take in the position you're in and your surroundings. Do this a moment longer than you think is necessary.

Step 7.

- Think about what is necessary to carry, hold and rest while you're hovering there, trusting and vulnerable. Are you not being held up instead of resting? You are bound to the natural world.

Step 8.

- Redo what you've performed, then film yourself doing this.

And that's it, you have now performed Commoning Action #20.

- Spend a thought to all those who've helped shape this score. You are now one of them.

Remember to share your commoning action video with us at Craftspace.

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Looking forward to seeing what you create!

Thank you.