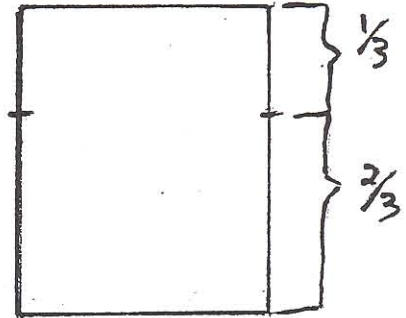


## Attaching Wire to Artwork

1. Measure the side of your frame and divide by 3.
2. Using the number arrived at in step one, measure down from the top back of each side. Mark that spot with pencil (your mark will be  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the way down the sides).
3. Attach screw eye at the pencil mark.



4. Measure wire from one to screw eye to the other allowing extra wire to form a 'peak' 2" below top of frame. Add 6" onto that measurement and cut wire.
5. Thread one end of wire through one screw eye, pulling the end through the eye about 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Loop it back and thread through the same eye going in the same direction you used the first time through – pull taut.



6. Twist the short end of wire around the long one close to the screw eye several times, moving away from the eye. Reverse direction and twist back toward the eye, continuing to twist the short wire around the longer one. This puts the jagged edge of the wire near the eye and prevents hand cuts when picking up the framed piece using the wire and the bottom of the frame.



7. Measure midway across the top of the back of picture and 2" down from top. Put a light pencil mark at that spot.
8. Holding the index finger of the opposite hand at the marked spot, pull the wire across the back of the picture, arching it above the index finger marking the center spot. Bring the end of the wire down to the other screw eye and thread it through the eye. Repeat steps 5 and 6.

