

Paper Flower Basket

Ages 5+ (Adult supervision recommended)



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For this fun flower activity, you will need:

- Coloured Paper
- Scissors (use scissors under adult supervision)
- PVA Glue
- Pencil

Before we get started, pick the colours from the coloured paper that you would like to become your flowers. Don't forget to keep a piece of green paper for the leaves.

To start off, cut circles out of the coloured paper that you want to use for the flowers. Once the circles are cut out, cut into them starting at the outer side to create a spiral.

Once done, start rolling the spiral from the outer side to the centre of the spiral (see the image to the right if you are unsure). When you reach the centre of the spiral, apply a little bit of PVA glue to the centre and push underneath the rolled flower head. Hold together until the glue has dried. Repeat with the other circle pieces of paper till you have around 10 flower heads.



Don't forget to cut out some leaf shapes from the green paper!

Now for the basket. Using grey or brown coloured paper (it works best if you have a few different shades), cut out small strips. Glue these strips immediately next to each other, vertically, onto white paper to create a basic basket shape.

Now that the basic basket shape has been created. Add the remaining paper strips going horizontally on top of the vertical strips. This time space the strips out a bit to give the basket a weaved look.

As both the basket and flower heads are now created, glue the flower heads above the top side of the basket. Don't forget to add the leaves!

You now have a beautifully floral paper flower basket.



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