

Art Projects

Sun Paper Card

Age Range: 3rd Grade- 6th Grade

Supplies: Blue, yellow and orange construction paper, markers, scissors, glue.

Set Up: Pre-Cut strips of yellow and orange construction paper about 1" width 4" length.

<u>Instructions</u>: Start with the blue construction paper. Fold the paper in half to mark the middle of the paper, unfold. Fold the bottom half of the paper in half widthwise- make the edge meet the center fold. Do the same with the other half. Draw a circle in the middle of the folded paper, cut out the same size circle with your yellow construction paper. Cut the yellow circle in half. Using the precut orange and yellow strips, make a loop and glue the end together, glue the loops onto the circular parts of the yellow circle. Glue the sun to the blue paper. Decorate the sun to your liking and add a note to the inside.





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Spinning Sun Craft

Age Range: All Ages

Supplies: Cardboard (old boxes), markers, scissors, yarn, paper.

<u>Set Up:</u> Pre-Cut cardboard into circles about 6" in diameter, poke 2 small holes in the middle of the circle. Try to get the holes as close to the center as possible.

<u>Instructions</u>: Have the children decorate both sides of the cardboard circles, they can draw directly on the cardboard, or use paper to glue onto the circle then decorate the paper. If they glue paper on, be use to poke holes through the paper. Once the children are done decorating, give each child 2 pieces of yarn about an arm's length long. Thread one through each hold of the spinner and knot them together on both ends.

Have the children hold the strings on each end and twist the spinner. Pull the strings in opposite directions at the same time, let the strings go loose, but do not let go and the spinner will begin to twist itself up. When the spinning stops, pull both of the strings in opposite directions again and let it spin some more.





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Paper Pineapple

Age Range: All Ages

Supplies: Pineapple template, yellow construction paper, glue, crayons or markers.

Set Up: Precut yellow construction into strips 4" length, 1.5" wide. Print out pineapple template.

<u>Instructions:</u> Give each child a pineapple coloring page. Have them color their pineapple. Once completed, have the children take strips of the yellow paper and roll them into small circles and fasten with glue. Once they have several yellow circles, have the children glue onto their pineapple template.



