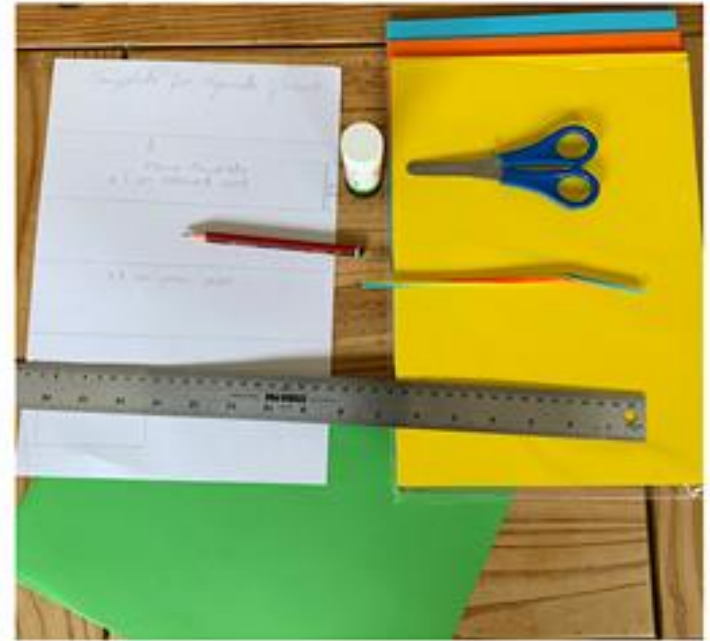


Paper Hyacinth flowers and paper tissue flowers

Materials Hyacinth

- Template
- A4 coloured card (160 gsm thickness)
- Scissors
- Pencil
- Glue stick
- Ruler
- Knitting needle/straw/cocktail stick or something round, long and thin



Materials tissue flowers:

- Template
- Tissue paper, all colours
- Masking tape/clear tape
- Pencil
- Scissors
- Thin wire +cutters
- Pva glue + brush



Hyacinth flower

1) Cut out the template.

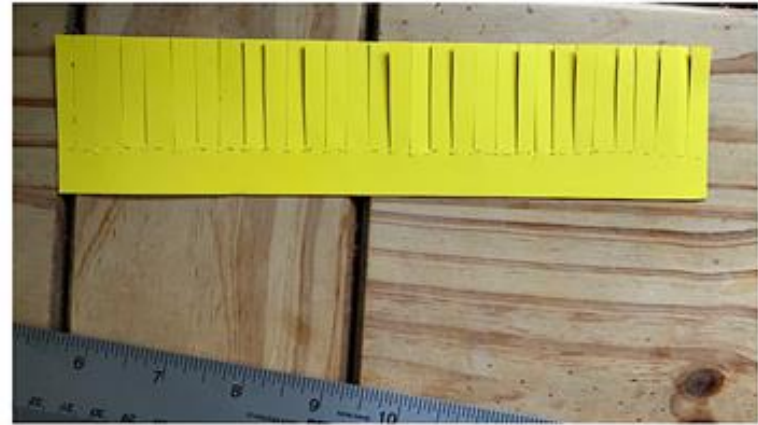
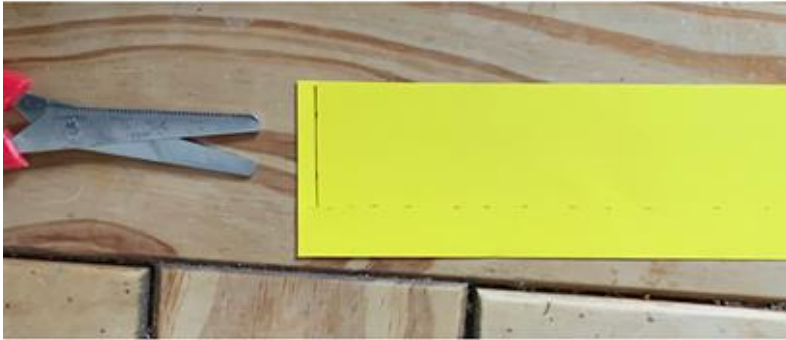
Place the flower template on top of a sheet of coloured card and draw around with a pencil.

Cut out.

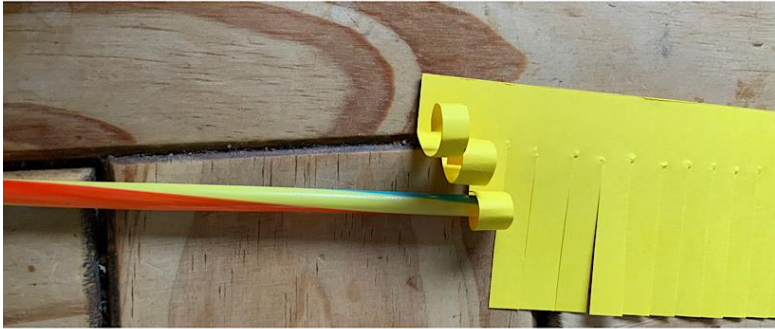


2) Draw a dotted line roughly 1.5 cm away from the edge all the way down one of the long sides.

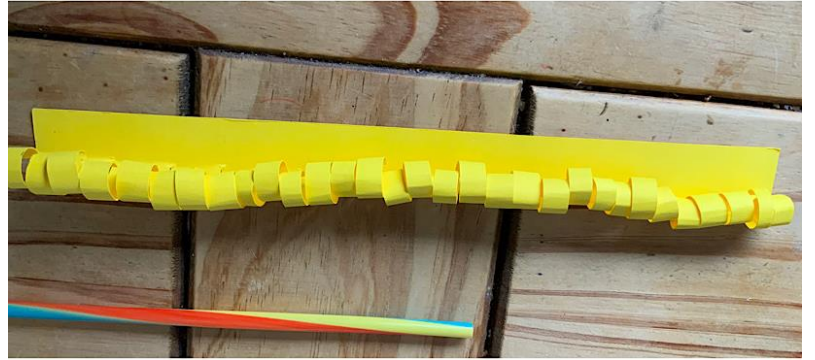
Start cutting strips up to the dotted line(roughly 0,7 cm apart).
Cut the whole way along until you have a fringe.



3) Take the straw and start rolling each strip around it.



Do this all the way down so they are all curled upwards.



4) Cut out the stalk template.

Lay on a green sheet of paper and draw around it two times



5) Cut them out and use pritt stick all over one of the green rectangles



6) Start rolling the upper left corner and keep rolling downwards until you have a stalk.



7)Put glue all over the second green rectangle.



8) Add the paper strip on to the first stalk by laying it on the bottom left hand corner. Then start rolling upwards so you end up with a longer stalk.



9) Cut out the leaf template.
Place on a green sheet of paper, draw around and cut out.



10) Fold it in on the long side, then turn it over and fold in again. Keep going until you have a fan shape.



11) Fold it up again, then cut a strip starting slightly below the middle and heading diagonally to the top.



12) Open up, it should look like a row of grass/leaves



13) Take the long fringed strip and turn it over.

Cover with pritt stick along the flat border.
Try not to get any glue on the fringes.



14) Lay the thinner end of the stalk at one end of the fringed strip and start twisting it around the stalk.

Pull the strip slowly downwards as you twist



15) Use the pritt stick all along the bottom edge of the leaf strip.



16 Lay the bottom part of the stalk on top of the leaves and start rolling it around the stalk.

Leave to dry.



Paper tissue flower

1) Choose three similar colours of tissue paper.
Fold each sheet in half, then half again.
Then lay them on top of each other



2)Cut out the two petal templates.
Lay them on top of the tissue paper and draw around with a pencil.



3)Cut out the petals.
Make sure you keep holding the layers together so they
don't fall apart while cutting



4) Start with the smaller petals.
Choose three different colours.



5) Gently squeeze them together at the bottom to make them look like creased hearts.



6) Tape the three petals together at the bottom into a bunch.



Do this three more times with the small petals until you have 4 bunches.

Then do the same with the bigger petals so you have 4 big bunches and 4 small bunches.

7) Choose a lighter tissue paper than the petals.
Fold in half, then half again.



8) Make a small fold from the top edge, turn the paper over and fold in again. Keep folding all the way down until you have a thin strip of tissue paper.

Cut off one third and put the rest aside for future flowers.



9) Take the wire, double it, then tie it around the middle of the tissue strip and twist a few times.

Make sure the wire ends are long enough to be used as a stalk later.



10) Use the scissors to cut towards the middle of the folded up tissue. Do this on both sides.



11) Gently push out all the strips and fluff it up into a ball shape



12) Tape the bunch of small petals around the underside where the wire is sticking out.

Stick on one bunch at a time and push them together until all 4 bunches cover the entire underside of the flower.



13) Start adding the bigger petal bunches underneath the first layer until the flower looks big and fluffy.



14) Cut a long strip of green tissue paper.
Add blobs of pva glue all along it.
Wrap around the wire that is underneath the petals.

Leave to dry.

