

activity 3D PAPER SCULPTURES

THE CHALLENGE:



Create a one-of-a-kind artistic piece using only a few simple tools and





Maker: Ms. April





RECOMMENDED AGE



5 - 15 years old. All Ages welcome!

TIME NEEDED X



1hr - 1hr 30min

TOOLS & MATERIALS



- Construction Paper
- Glue
- Scissors



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GETTING STARTED-INSTRUCTIONS

STEP 1: CHOOSE YOUR BASE

Your base can be a flat sheet of paper or cardboard. Remember that all other paper will be glued to your base.

STEP 2: THINK OF A DESIGN OR WORK AS YOU GO

This project allows for creative freedom. You can choose any paper color, draw and color on paper, or stick with plain white paper. You can try to create certain forms or objects or create an abstract piece. Your design might even change as you create!



MAKER FACT!

Paper sculpture artist, Richard Sweeney finds inspiration from the organic structures and growth patterns found in nature. He sticks to white and off white colors for his

STEP 3: GET TO CUTTING AND FOLDING

You can start by cutting out or ripping strips of paper, thin or wide, long or short. Paper can be cut and folded in many ways. You can use the techniques shown on page 2, but don't limit yourself! There are endless possibilities.



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QUESTIONS TO @CONSIDER



- How do you make something look 3D?
- How many different ways can you cut and fold paper?

KEY TERMS



- Sculptures
- Abstract

SIMPLIFY



Trouble deciding what to do? Start with making a flower, a tree, and whatever comes next!

EXTRA CHALLENGE



Have a favorite movie scene? Try your best at recreating it with nothing but paper! Or, try layering to make your favorite animal!



Mr. Martin made a 3D turtle!



RELATED RESOURCES



Click on the links below for more information:

- <u>Richard Sweeney Artist Website</u> https://www.richardsweeney.co.uk/about
- <u>Instructables Suggestions</u> www.instructables.com/howto/3D+paper+art/
- <u>Lisa Lloyd: Paper Art Sculptures</u> mymodernmet.com/paper-art-sculptures-lisa-lloyd/

INSTRUCTIONS CONTINUED...



STEP 4: GLUE OR ATTACH SCULPTURE PIECES

Attach the pieces together or to the base by creating tabs or slits. When using glue, remember to not use too much since it will take longer to dry and paper might wrinkle.

STEP 5: CLICK AND SHARE

Take a photo of your sculpture and share with us!



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