



PAMA @ Home

Virtual Family Fun Activity

Rainbow Pinwheels

Bring art, culture and historical exploration home with a variety of easy fun filled activities for all ages. Using simple materials, PAMA is happy to provide easy step-by-step instructions for art activities, games or fun things to do while at home.

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Rainbow Pinwheels

Explore the colours of the rainbow with your own pinwheel and see how basic colours mix to make new ones when it twirls in the wind.



Materials:

- Cardstock
- Washable Markers
- Scissors
- Spray bottle
- Water
- Paintbrush/sponge
- Push Pin
- Dowel
- Hot Glue Gun (optional)

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Step 1:

Cut your piece of cardstock into a square and draw an “x” across the middle of the square connecting to each edge. It might help to fold your paper in half diagonally twice.

Step 2:

Pick two primary colours (red, yellow or blue) and create a pattern on each section of your paper. Try to use a different pattern for each section.



Step 3:

Use the same colours and add patterns to the back of your paper.



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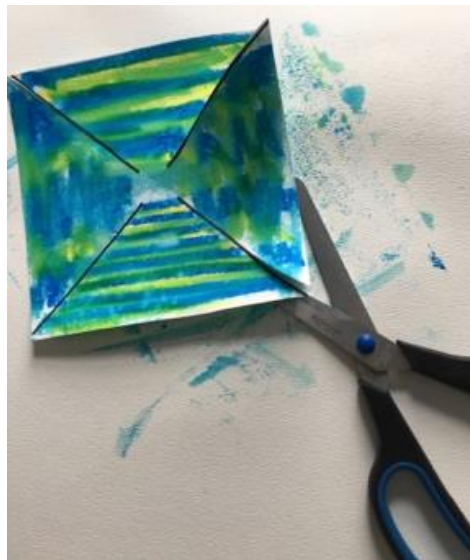
Step 4:

Lightly spray one side of the paper with water and use your paintbrush or sponge to blend the colours together. Allow the paper to dry before spraying the other side and repeating the process so the whole page has blended colours.



Step 5:

With your scissors, cut along the lines and stop approx. 2cm before the centre of your paper.



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Step 6:

Fold each corner to the centre of the paper. Use your pin to stick them all together at the centre.



Step 6:

Stick the pin into the top of the dowel. Use a hot glue gun if necessary. Either blow or take your pinwheel outside and watch the colours move.



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