



# PAMA @ Home Virtual Family Fun Activity Spring Flowers

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# Spring Paper Flowers

Happy Spring! Start the season off by making your own paper spring flowers. Imagine the flowers, butterflies and birds that will be joining us in the coming months and start the season right.



## Materials:

- Pencils
- Construction Paper
- Scissors
- Glue
- Markers
- Paper Plates

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### Step 1:

Follow the steps below to create your flower backgrounds. Flower option 1 is more suitable for younger children while option 2 is slightly more complex.



Option 1



Option 2

### Flower Option 1 – Step 1:

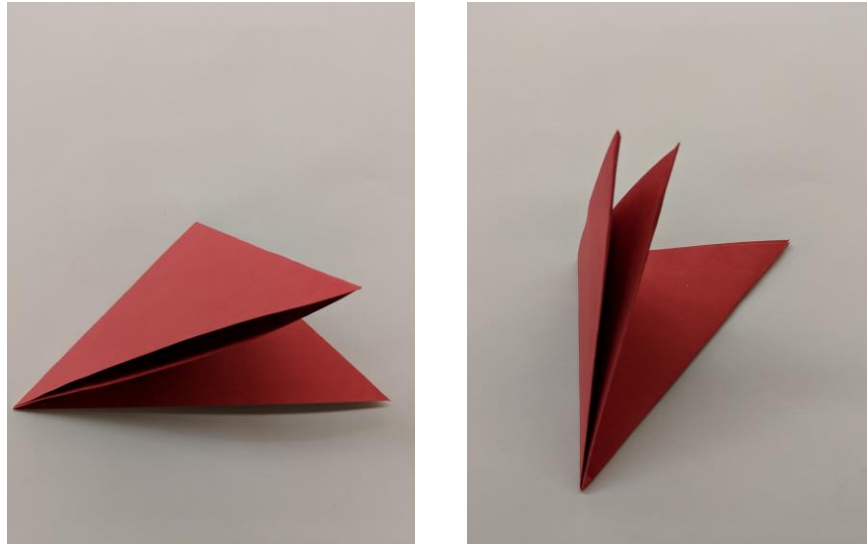
Fold a piece of construction paper from its top corner over to its side, then cut off the bottom rectangle, so that you have a square piece of paper.



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### Flower Option 1 – Step 2:

Once cut, you will have a folded triangle. Fold this triangle in half, then in half again.



### Flower Option 1 – Step 3:

Using a pencil, draw a semi-circle near the top of the triangle. \*\*Make sure to keep the “closed” side at the bottom.



Closed side

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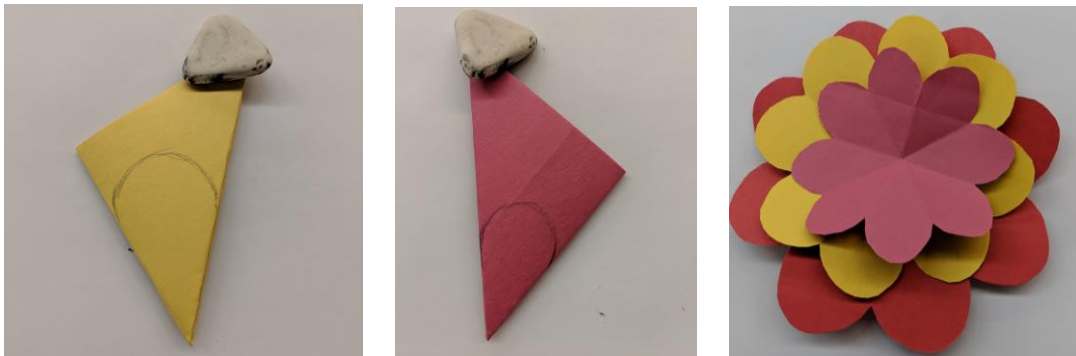
#### Flower Option 1 – Step 4:

Cut through all layers of the paper along your drawn line. When you unfold it, you will have an 8-sided flower shape.



#### Flower Option 1 – Step 5:

Repeat this process at least twice more, making sure that when you draw the semi-circle, you do it closer to the “closed” size every time. This will give you a large, medium and small flower shape.



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### Flower Option 1 – Additional Option:

Using the side of your pencil, you can roll up the edges of the circles to create a more 3-D effect.



### Flower Option 1 – Step 6:

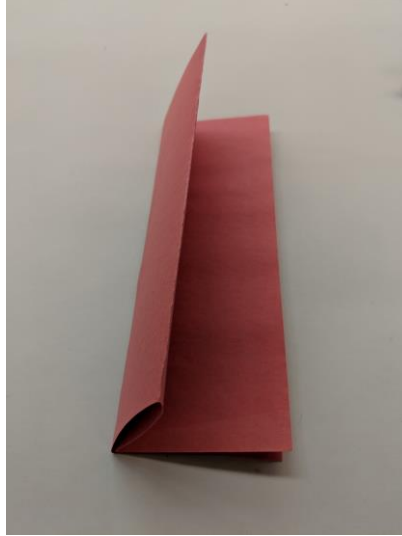
Glue the largest flower to a paper plate and then glue the smaller ones on top, keeping them in the centre.



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### Flower Option 2 – Step 1:

Cut multiple pieces of construction paper into long, rectangular strips. Make this easier by folding your paper in half multiple times and cut along the creases.



### Flower Option 2 – Step 2:

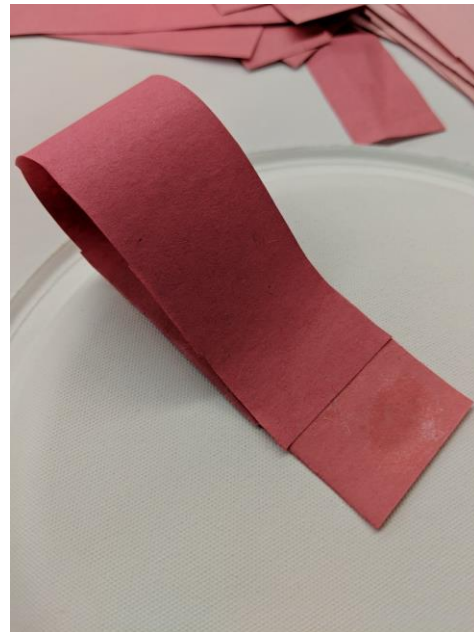
Take your paper plate and use your pencil to mark the centre.



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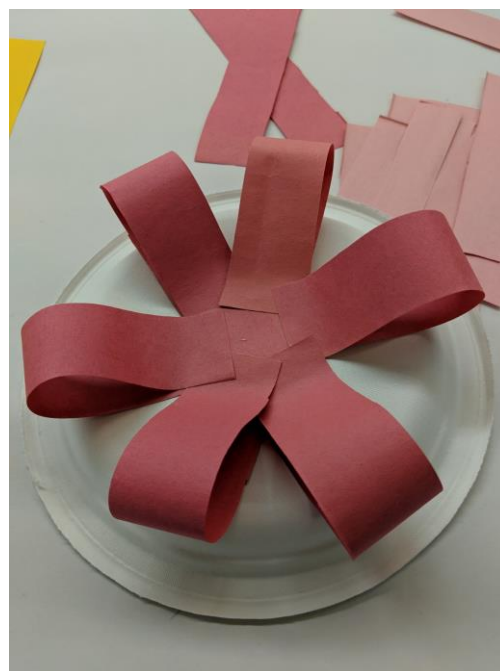
### Flower Option 2 – Step 3:

Glue the tip of a strip to the centre of the plate, and then fold the strip over and glue it on top of itself. When you glue it on itself, make sure to glue it a small distance away from the centre.



### Flower Option 2 – Step 4:

Repeat this process around the plate.



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### Flower Option 2 – Step 4:

Using different colours of paper, continue to add strips around and between the different petals to fill-in the whole plate. Don't forget to make a small circle for the centre of your flower.



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**Step 2:**

Once your plate is covered with your flowers, draw and cut out butterflies, birds or other things that remind you of spring.



**Step 2:**

Glue your additional spring elements on top of your flowers and there you have it!



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