

Color Family Flowers

Let's make color family flowers!

Nature is full of colors—all the colors of the rainbow and many more. Colors that are alike are said to be in the same color family. Look inside a crayon box. Do you see all the different shades of blue, green, yellow, and red with their own special names? Walk outside and notice all of the colors that are in the same color family. Do you see different shades of green in the grass? Do you see different shades of blue in the sky? Almost every color can be found in nature's flowers.

Materials

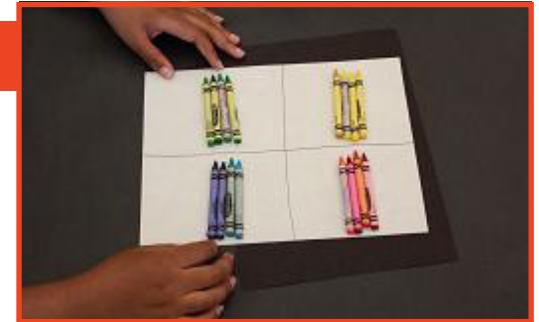
Pencil
Box of crayons
1 sheet of white paper
1 sheet of black paper
Scissors
Glue

1



Draw a "+" across the sheet of white paper with your pencil to create four squares.

2



Select four crayons from each of the color families: red, yellow, blue, and green.

3



Color each square with the crayons from each color family.

4



Cut out the four squares with your scissors, and then cut each color square into many little triangles.

5



Arrange the triangles from the same color family like flower petals on the black paper.

6



Glue the flower petals in place. What beautiful color family flowers!