

Paper Quilling

Let's create a quilled paper initial!

Paper is a popular medium for creating sculptures in contemporary art. *Quilling* is an old-fashioned paper sculpture technique that involves rolling and gluing strips of paper together to create decorative designs. The amazing thing about quilling is that it does not involve folding or creating creases in the paper!

Materials

1 marker 1 piece of white paper Colored construction paper Ruler Scissors Glue



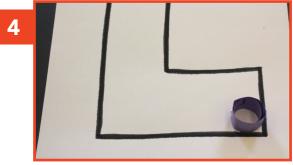
Write your first initial on the white piece of paper so that it fills most of the page.



Cut the construction paper into half-inch strips.



Roll a strip of paper around the marker so that it curls.



Put glue around the edge of the rolled piece of paper and stick it inside your initial.

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Continue creating and adding paper rolls to fill your initial. You can even stack some rolls on top of one another!



You have created a quilled paper initial!

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