

**We are going to be learning
about an art form called
QUILLING.**

Have you heard of it before?

**It was a hobby people did in the
18th Century!**

**But... it still looks awesome
today (in the 21st Century)!**

Paper Quilling

Paper Quilling is using rolled up pieces of paper to make Art. The work is quite intricate.

It started as a hobby for nuns and priests. They would cut the edges from the pages of books and create art from them.

Then it became popular during the 18th century for women, because it was thought to be simple and not too stressful.

Today, quilling is a hobby around the world... people use quilling to create wedding invitations, ornaments, or just Art for fun.



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Let's have a turn at quilling!

(Flower)

1. Take a strip of paper (any colour) and practice making a tight roll.
2. Make a tiny fold at one end of the paper, and roll it all the way to the end.
3. Let go of the spiralled roll a little, so there is a little space between the turns of the roll.
4. Secure the roll with glue. *(Rolls can be round or oval in shape. Round rolls can be pinched at either end to make flower petal shapes).*
5. Glue your roll to a piece of cardboard.
6. Repeat the instructions above until you have enough petals for your flower.



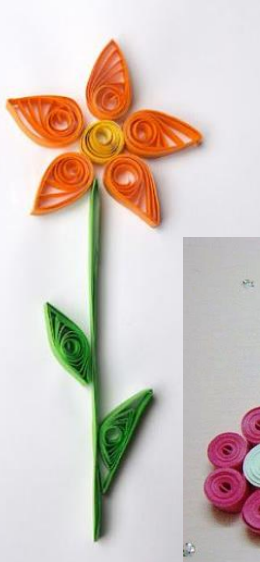
Thing to note:

You can make many other shapes by pinching the roll in different areas.



Flowers (Take 2)

Now that you have made a flower, make another flower using different quilling techniques. Here are some pictures to help you!



Now that you have learnt the technique of quilling, you can glue shapes together to make flowers, insects, animals ... etc.

Think about what picture you would like to make next.

