

MAKING PAPER MOSAICS



WHAT YOU NEED

A plain A4 size sheet

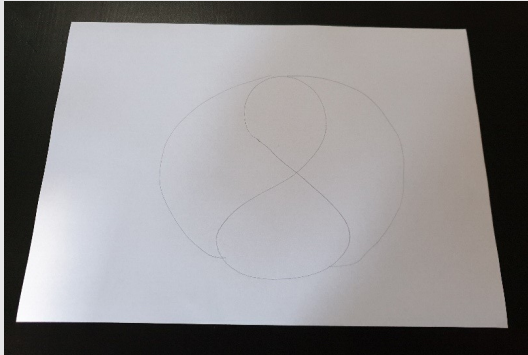
Coloured paper in various sizes or any coloured scrap paper you have around the house (old magazines, advertisement flyers, wrapping)

Scissors

Glue stick

If you want to be really fancy you can use tweezers to arrange the paper shapes

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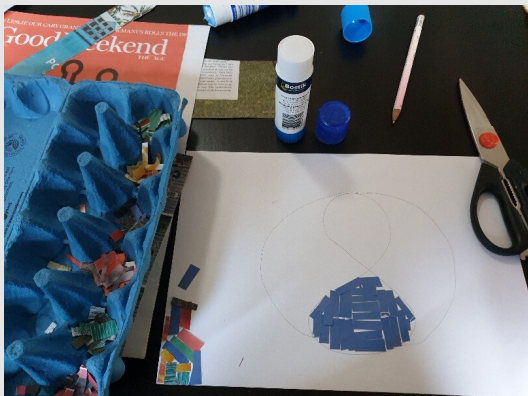
1 DRAW A BASIC SHAPE

Draw a basic shape without much detail on your big sheet of paper



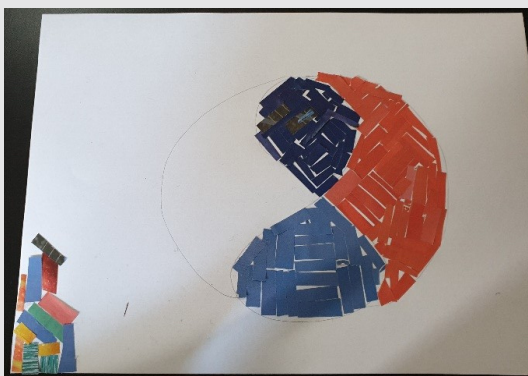
2 CUT COLOURED PAPER

Shapes with straight edges are easy to fit together. But you can use any small shapes you like. Magazines and catalogues can also make good coloured paper strips.



3 PLAY WITH THE SHAPES

Arrange the paper shapes on the paper in different ways to decide how you want it to look. Remove the shapes before you start to glue.



4 GLUE ON YOUR SHAPES

Use a glue stick to add glue to a small section of your big sheet at a time. Arrange the paper shapes onto the glued area. Move across the big sheet with glue one small area at a time.