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Date: 25 August, 2023 - On the waters of the Danube

The day started with a walk through the historic center of Bratislava.

Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia, is located on the banks of the Danube, close to Slovakia's borders with Austria and Hungary, and quite close to the border with the Czech Republic. We visited the city and we all enjoyed its beauty and architecture.

Bratislava Castle, the symbol of the city, is positioned on a hill in the old town, it is quite simple in shape, with an almost square plan, straight walls and a tower at each of the four corners. Over time, it has witnessed numerous historical events, changing its form and role several times.

Our journey continued on the waves of the Danube. We discussed the art of Splash Trash, finding creative recycling solutions for waste thrown into rivers, seas and oceans.

Splash Trash Art uses plastic trash collected from oceans, rivers, lakes and other waterways and transforms it into new products.

Then we visited the Devin castle, a place full of history, art and culture.

Devin Castle, located on a massive rock hill above the confluence of the Danube and Morava, is a very impressive landmark. It is part of the oldest history of Slovakia.

The capital of Slovakia, surrounded by the Moravia and Danube rivers, is a true natural treasure.



26 August, 2023 – Day of creative recycling workshops

Using recyclable packaging, flowers, plastic, aromatic oils, glass or metal supports, we learned to make scented candles and decorative objects from paraffin.

The perfume spread by candles, their warmth and light create a feeling of wellbeing and can completely transform the design of a room. Now we can create our own scented candles from natural ingredients, which can be ideal gifts for friends and family.

We can do simple things that bring us the joy of our favorite flavor and the excitement of creating unique and useful objects by ourselves.

And of course, we couldn't leave until we had admired the beauty of Bratislava and the Danube from the UFO tower.



Recycling Workshop Teaches CreativeWays to Upcycle Old Materials

Simona Drábiková

A recycling workshop washeld in Bratislava on August 26th. The workshop brought together representatives from six organisations for the fifth time during this project. Involved countries were Romania, Slovakia, North Macedonia, Turkey, Cyprus, and Italy. The workshop focused on teaching participants new and creative ways to recycle old materials.

One of the activities at the workshop was making aromatic wax and candles by using plastic waste from boxes of chocolates and broken candles. The participants learned how to melt the wax or broken candles, add essential oils, and pour the wax into molds. They also learned how to decorate their candles with dried flowers and other embellishments.

The workshop was a great success. The participants were able to learn a lot about recycling and upcycling. They also had a lot of fun creating their own unique candles. After the workshop, participants were encouraged to try this at home and share this know how with other people. The workshop was organized by a local NGO Vibe Slovakia. The project was funded by a grant from the European Union. The grouphopes to hold more workshops in the future and encourage people from all over the world to participate.

We believe that the workshop helped to raise awareness about the importance of recycling and upcycling. The participants learned a lot about how to reuse old materials, and they had a lot of fun creating their own unique candles. The workshop is a great example of how recycling can be both fun and creative.





Splash Trash Art: A Creative Way to Raise Awareness About Plastic Pollution

Simona Drábiková

Splash trash art is a new form of street art that is gaining popularity among young people. The art form uses recycled plastic waste to create colorful and eyecatching murals, sculptures, installations, and even fashion designs. The goal of splash trash art is to raise awareness about the problem of plastic pollution and to encourage people to reduce their use of single-use plastics.

Splash trash art is created out of plastic collected from oceans, rivers, lakes and other water ways and it is the newest and fastest growing global art genre. Most splash trash art has been created since 2000. At the beginning of the century there were a few dozen splash trash artists, now there are hundreds as marine plastic pollution is becoming more wide spread and visible.

The International Splash Trash Art Expois the largest and most diverse collection of this powerful new art genre in the world. In less than two years more than 260 artists from 50 countries have entered and more are entering every day.

People of allages make splash trash art, from kids who make small things after cleaning the beach to adults who make big sculptures. Some people are professional artists, while others are just starting out. But the yall have one thing in common: they want to use their art to raise awareness about plastic pollution.

Splash trash art can be found in cities all over the world, from New York City to Tokyo. It's often displayed in public places, like parks and streets, so that it can be seen by a lot of people.

In addition to raising awareness about plastic pollution, splash trash art canals obeused to beautify urban areas and create a sense of community. Sometimes, artists work together to create splash trash art, which can be a way for people to come together and make a difference.

Splash trash art is a powerful tool that can be used to raise awareness about environmentalissues. It is very creative and effective way to raise awareness about plastic pollution. It's a growing art form that has the potential to make a real difference in the fight against this important issue.

If you're interested in learning more about splash trash art, there are a few resources available online. The website of the Splash Trash Art Project has a gallery

of murals from around the world, as well as tips on how to create your own splash trash art project.



Source: https://www.splashtrash.org/



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Creative recycling of seashells Gabriela-Brândușa Horlescu, Constantin Pricope

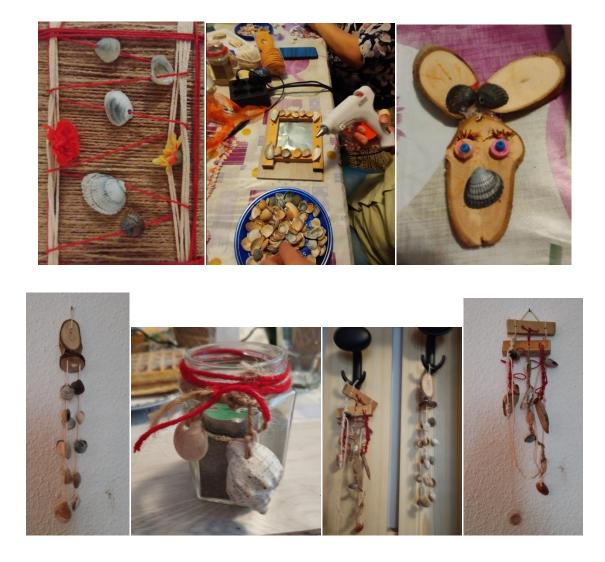
Local Workshop, Piatra-Neamt, Romania, September 20, 2023

Materials used: shells, wood, jars, bottles, textile threads, sand, candles. Tools needed: silicone glue gun, Dremel Stylo+, Drilling machine.

A seaside holiday offers you a soothing atmosphere. We can enjoy the waves of the sea and the sun, but we can also collect seashells to turn them into interior decorations, jewelry or other ornaments.

In the workshop we wanted to discover new methods of creative recycling of marine and fluvial waste. Using shells, bottles, plastic and other recyclable materials, we created original decorative objects. We enjoyed an autumn day spent creatively with colleagues, friends and family.





Dremel Stylo+

The process of drilling shells is not as simple as it might seem at first glance. Thus, to drill the shells I used the Dremel Stylo+ tool.



Dremel Stylo is a versatile precision craft tool can be use for the creative projects.

Dremel 2050-10 MK (Dremel Stylo+, limited edition) is a multifunctional tool with which you can easily perform a multitude of applications yourself: cutting, engraving, polishing, cleaning and sanding on a wide range of materials. This electric tool is accompanied by 10 accessories that allow you to work with precision. Combining this with a 2 m long cable, the tool has excellent maneuverability and will be appreciated by all craftsmen and DIY enthusiasts.

Features and advantages:

- versatile, thanks to the various and high-quality accessories;
- precision work, the thin format of the tool allowing you to get closer to the processed piece;
- for craft projects;
- variable speed;
- it can be used at home or in the workshop, having a compact and silent motor. Accessories included:
- 1 disc with diamond tip, 2 mm;
- 1 engraving cutter, 0.8 mm;
- 1 high speed cutter;
- 1 polishing disc, 26 mm;
- 2 polishing discs, 13 mm;
- 1 polishing component;
- 1 sanding belt and chuck 6.4 mm, grit 60;
- 1 sanding belt of 6.4 mm;
- 1 chuck.





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Creativity education within the plastic education lessons

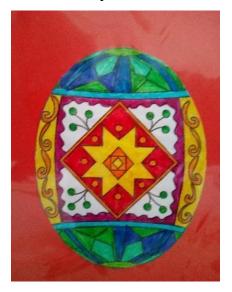
Mihaela Bobescu, primary education teacher, Grumăzești Secondary School, Romania

In order to fulfill himself and to fulfill the inner needs of his fellow men, man is called to create. The creativity predisposition existing in the human being can and must become an effective capacity for creation through education and culture. The stimulation of creative abilities is effective when practiced consistently from the earliest age under the guidance of adults: parents and educators.

This resource is suitable for primary school students, as art develops the sensory sensibility of young artists, building on affectivity, intuition and imagination, while also testing their patience and behavioral delicacy.

The "Easter Egg" Story

All children love the Christian holidays of the Romanians and especially the Easter holidays.





For this painting, first the shape of an egg was cut out of the white sheet of paper. Geometric shapes were drawn on it with the help of a pencil and a ruler. The general geometric shapes are the square ones that have been placed in different positions. Different shapes of the line were also used: wavy, semi-oval, zig-zag, broken. For the color, a broken symmetry was used, the top and bottom, the same geometric shapes and cool colors, and the middle part warm colors and small combinations of wavy lines. After the egg was completely painted, it was cut out from the paper sheet and glued to a rectangle of glossy paper.

In this painting, the production technique is similar to the previous one, the smaller geometric shapes are different: rhombuses, triangles, square, and the straight line was generally used in vertical positions, horizontal ones were oblique. The fantasy of the little artist in this painting also emerges from the fact that the egg is placed on a plate (in that milieu).



The same techniques with other line games in Easter Egg painting.

Although he is not an artist, the young schoolboy elaborates plastic, with immense pleasure. Working with a brush or colored pencils, he shows an attitude of amazement in front of reality and in front of his own products. Perceiving and rendering the colors of various objects and phenomena contributes to the formation and education of the visual capacity of primary school children, in addition to the ability to color and understand the importance of spectral colors and pigmentation in society.





In these two paintings, the technique of painting by form was used. Those egg baskets were painted by outline, using a wider color palette, then cut out and arranged as paintings. Through direct observation in the natural environment, children will notice that yellow, orange, red objects with their shades seem closer to them than objects colored in cool colors. I have noticed that in general, children in small classes have certain preferences for color; these preferences are also easy to detect in the drawings he makes. Cultivating their pleasure for using their favorite colors, I constantly watched in the plastic education classes for the students to form new colors from the ones they already know and to use them in the plastic works made.

Recycling of aluminum cans

Constantin Pricope

Many food and drink products that we buy in stores are packaged in aluminum cans. We often throw them away, but these boxes can be recycled to make new containers or we can make various ornaments for the home, garden or toys, we can turn them into new products.

Aluminum is a resource that makes up about 8% of the Earth's crust. It is extracted from bauxite. Four tons of bauxite contain two tons of alumina, from which one ton of aluminum can be obtained. The metal is used in buildings, transportation and many other industrial applications, as well as in packaging.

Aluminum is the most cost-effective material to recycle, all scraps left over from the aluminum production process can be melted down and used again and again.

Unlike plastics, aluminum can be recycled indefinitely without degrading at all. The process is simple: the boxes are sorted, then washed to remove contaminants, then melted down to produce ingots.



We can easily build various objects for our home.

flower baskets	
ashtrays, holders for objects	
decorations for the Christmas tree	
toys - airplane	





Source:

https://www.recyclenow.com/how-to-recycle/can-recycling https://hartareciclarii.ro/material/doze-de-aluminiu/

Poppy flowers from crepe paper

Mirela Ştefan

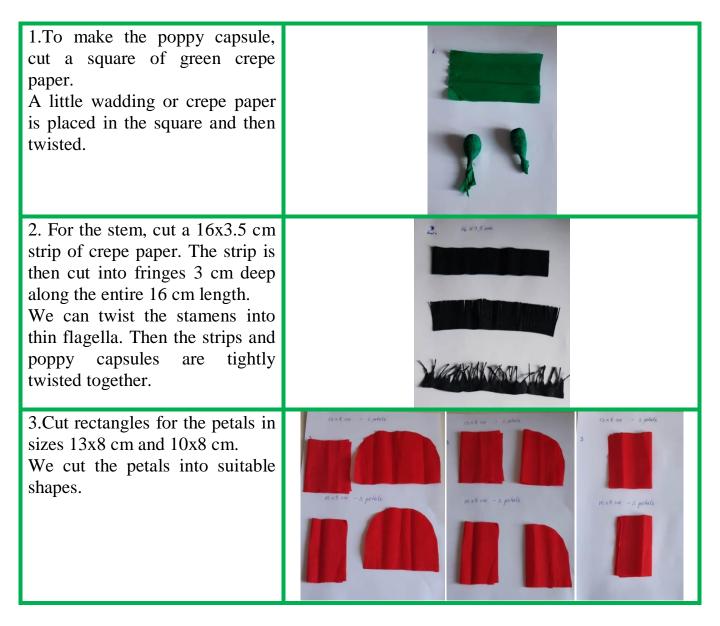
To make a bouquet of poppy flowers from crepe paper, the following materials are needed:

- crepe paper: red, green, black;
- papiote thread;
- modeling wire or wooden twigs;

- glue;

-scissors, pencil, ruler;

-wool or crepe paper, napkin.



4. Take each petal and twist it slightly then straighten the crumpled petal, giving it a real look. The edges of each petal should be carefully stretched to make them wavy.	
5.The resulting petals can be attached to the base of the flower. The flower is attached to a wire rod or a wooden twig.	
6. Cut a 1x25 cm strip of green crepe paper and wrap each wire or twig with crepe paper and glue.	

For a poppy flower: 13x8 cm - 2 petals 10x8 cm - 2 petals 16x3.5 cm - for stamens (1 strip) 1x25 cm - for the rod





Flowers from recyclable materials

Liliana Dunăre

Materials needed: felt (from older hats), scissors, silicone glue gun.



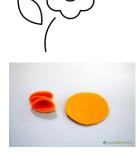




The way of making the objects:

1.We make a pattern for the desired flower.

2.We make the base



3. We assemble the component elements







These flowers can be used as brooches, brooches, decorative elements.

Crepe paper cherry blossoms

Mirela Ștefan

For this project we need the following materials:

- colored crepe paper;

-cardboard;

- tree branches;

-scissors;

-pencil;

-ruler;

-glue or silicone glue gun;

-carriages.

1. To make the popcorn we need a cardboard template on which we draw a popcorn with five petals or four petals.



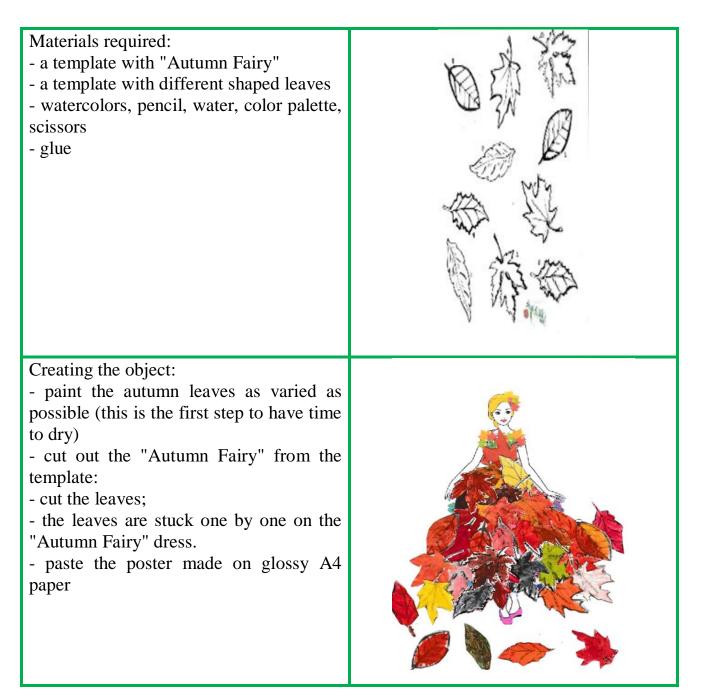
2. Take the crepe paper and cut it into strips, then fold it into small squares.3. We frame the template in the square and outline it, and then we cut the paper, so we get flower petals.	
4. To make a flower we need two or more petals (how voluminous we want the flower to be), which we glue together.	
5. At the end, we take a tree branch on which we place the prepared popcorn.	



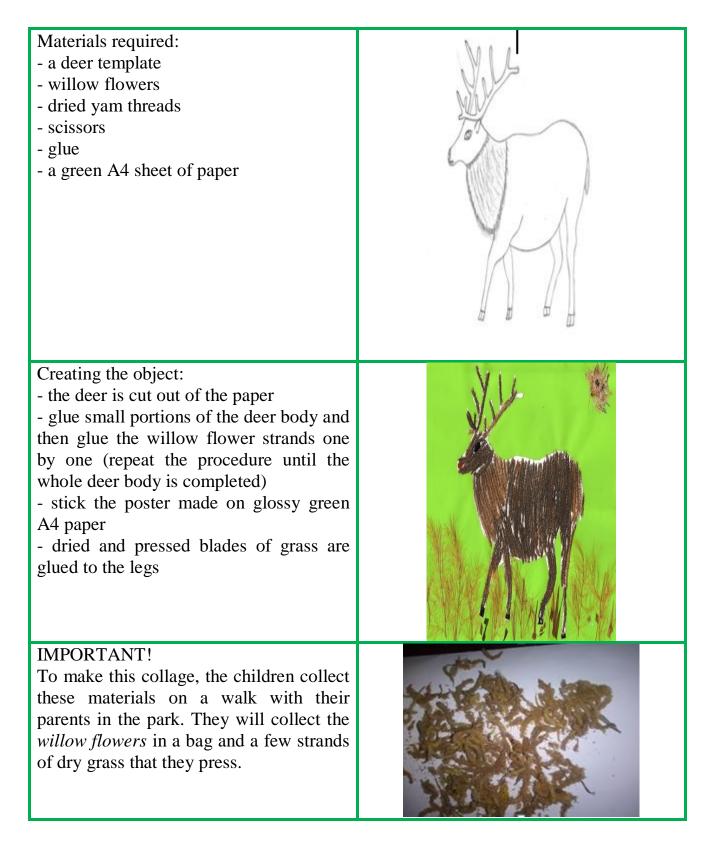
Homebox

Mihaela Bobescu, primary education teacher, Grumăzești Secondary School, Romania

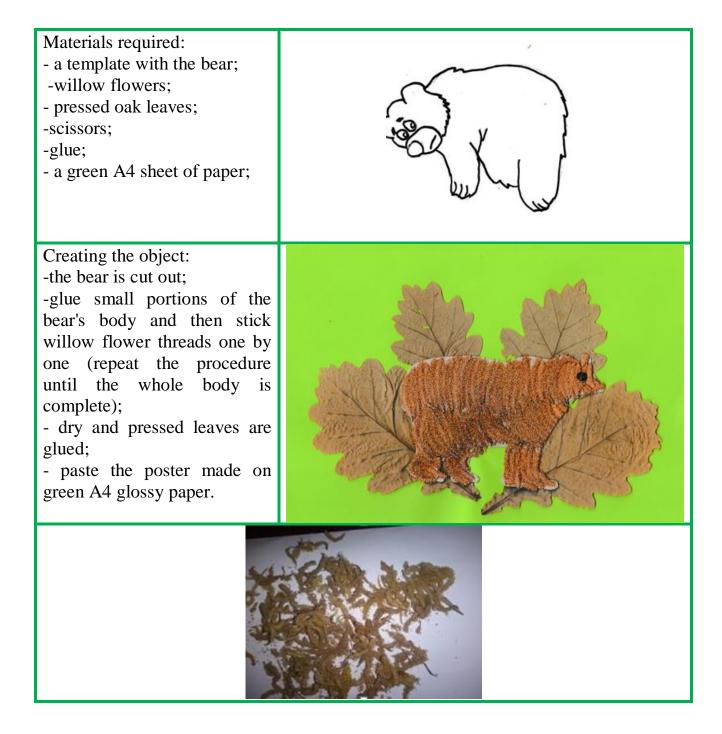
1. The Fairy of Autumn



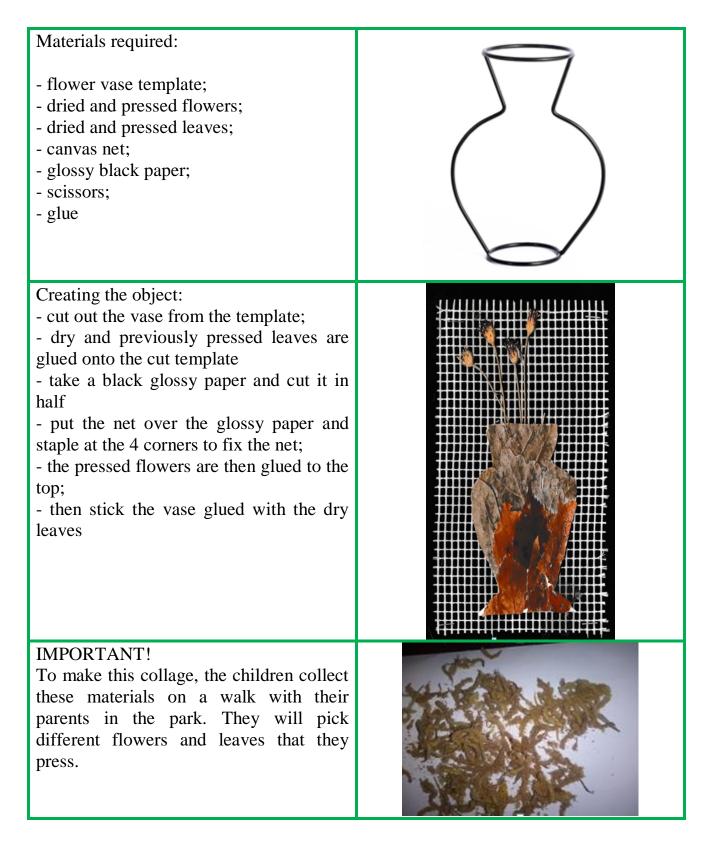
2. The deer



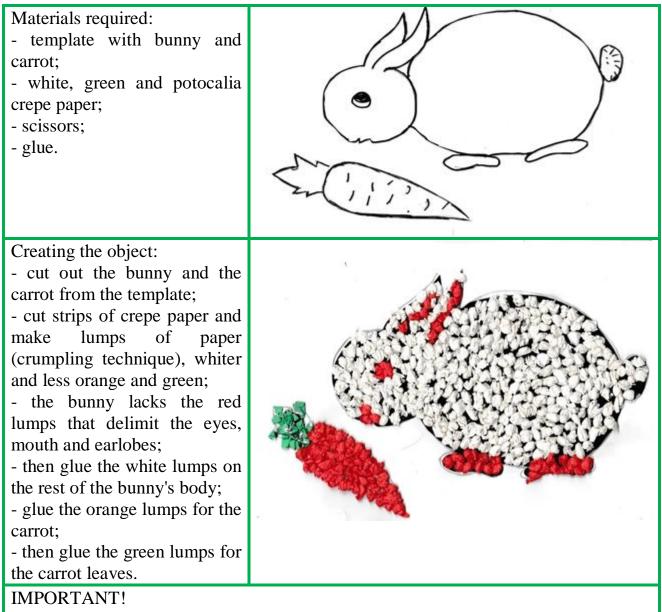
3. The bear



4. Flower vase

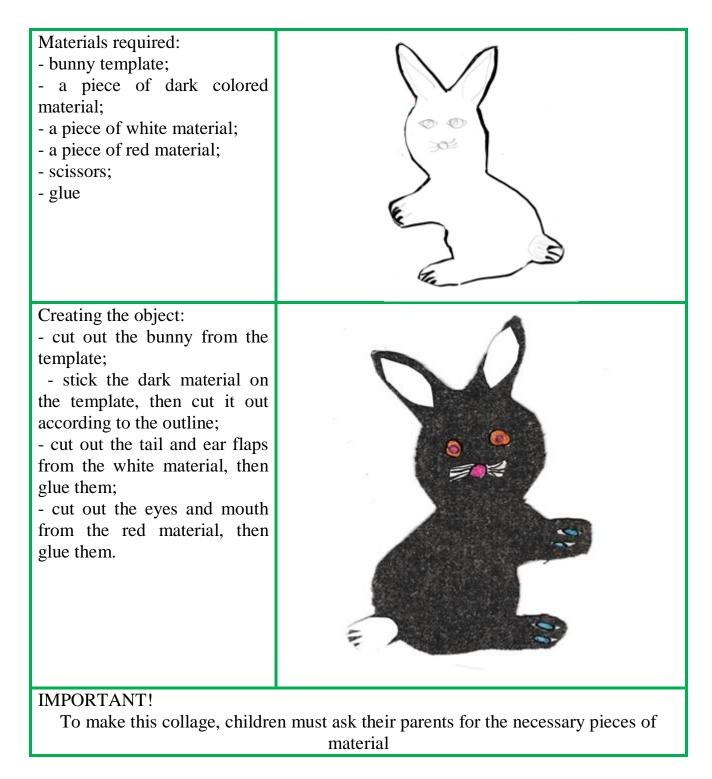


5. The house bunny

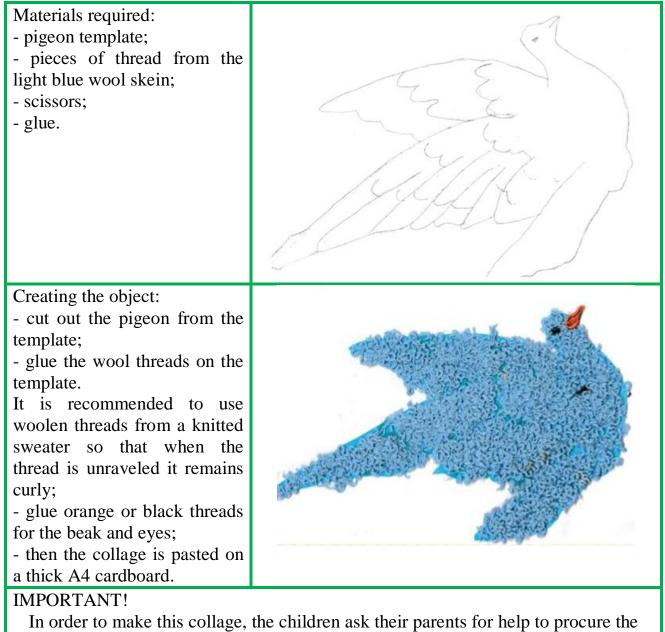


To make this collage, the children must ask their parents for help to cut strips of the paper roll.

6. The rabbit

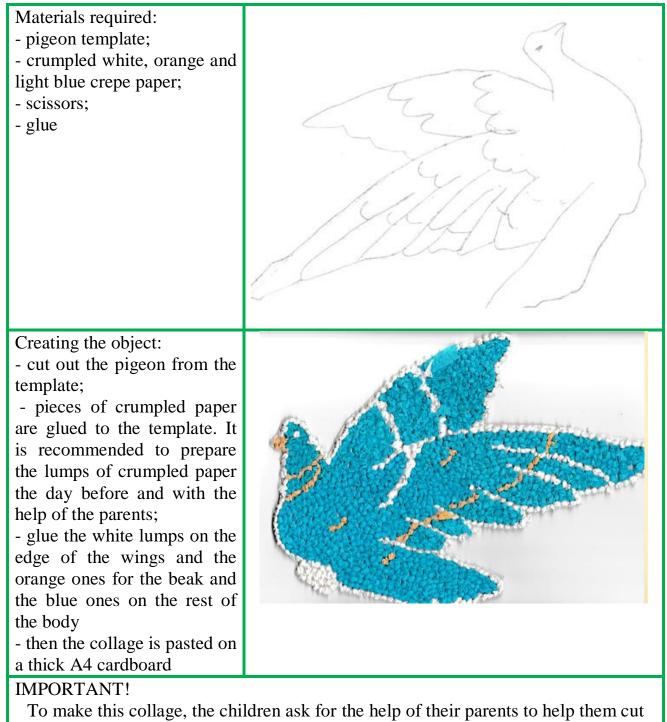


7. The carrier pigeon



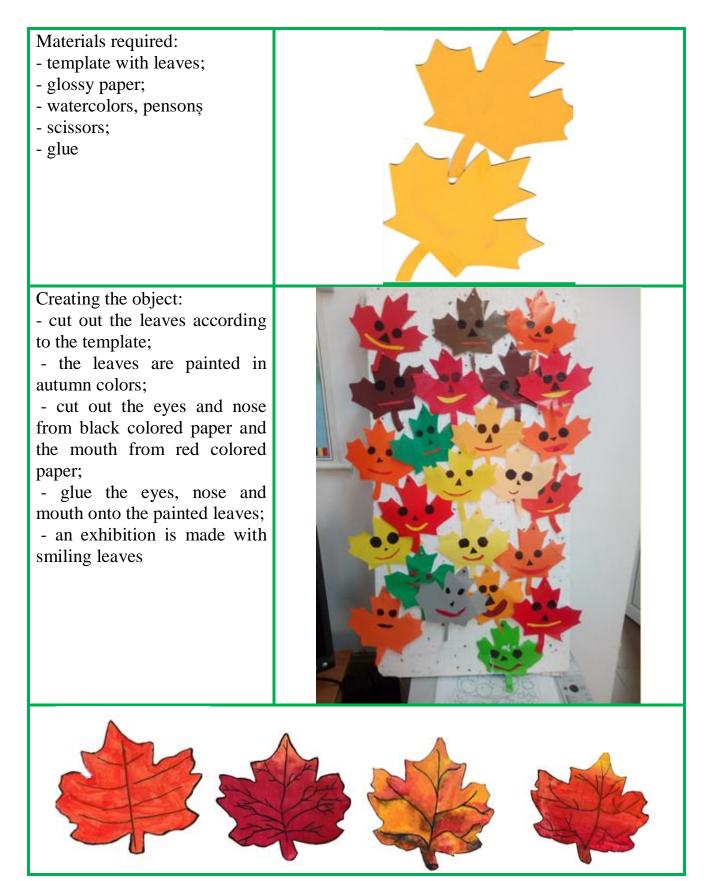
necessary woolen threads.

8. The domestic pigeon

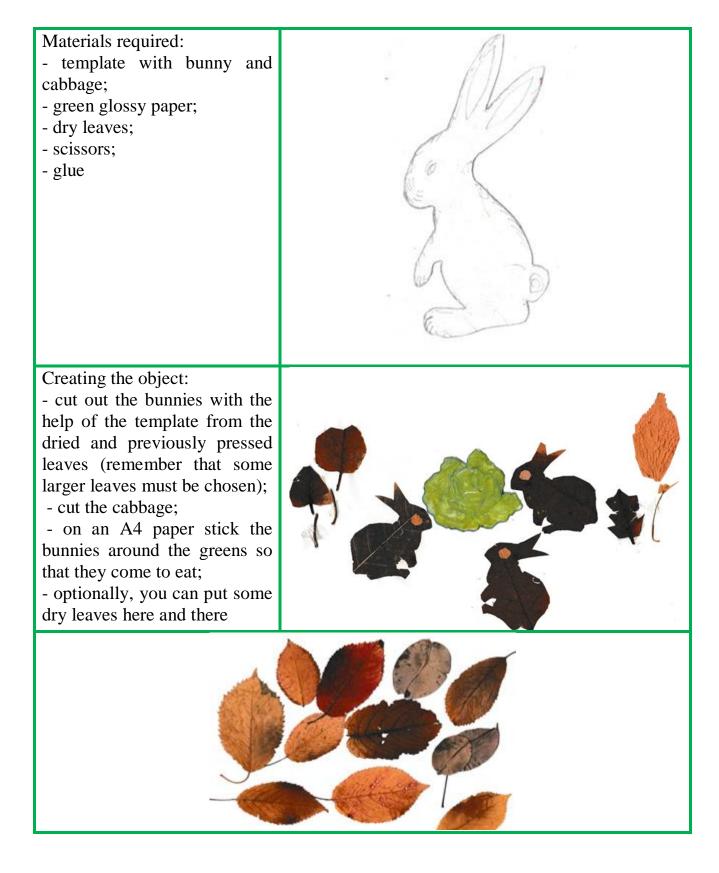


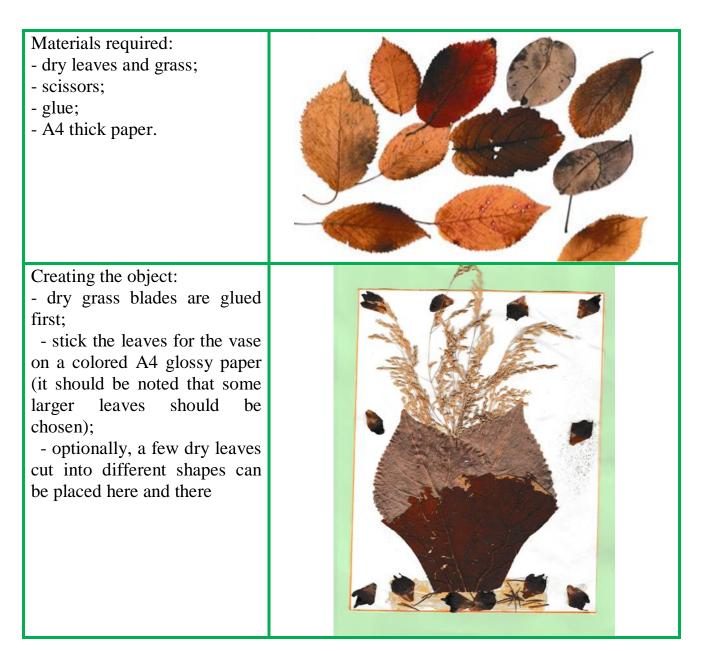
the crepe paper to the same dimensions.

9. Smiling autumn leaves

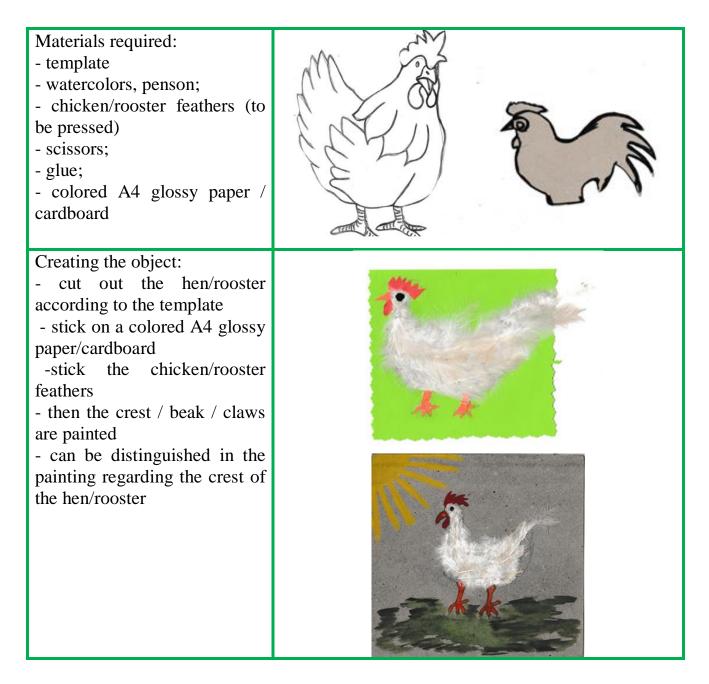


10. Bunnies in cabbage

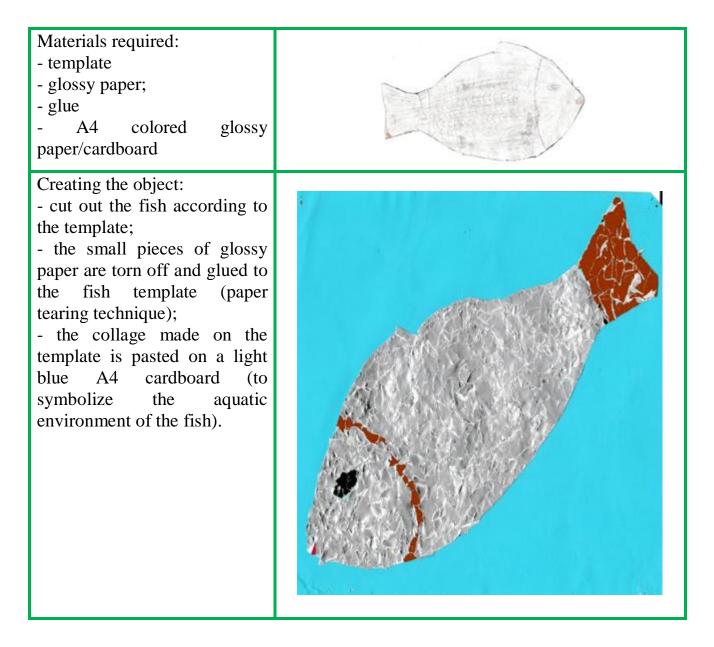




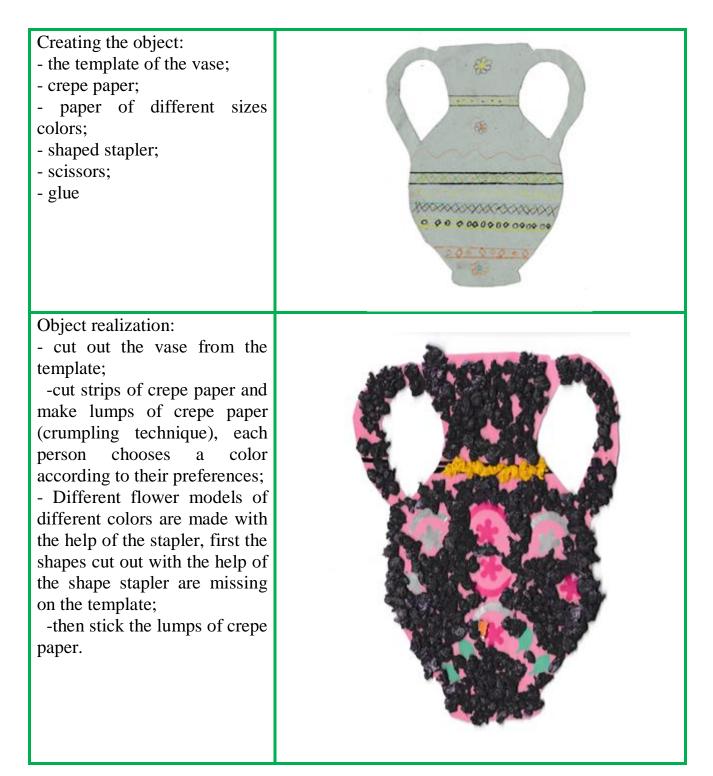
12. The hen and the rooster

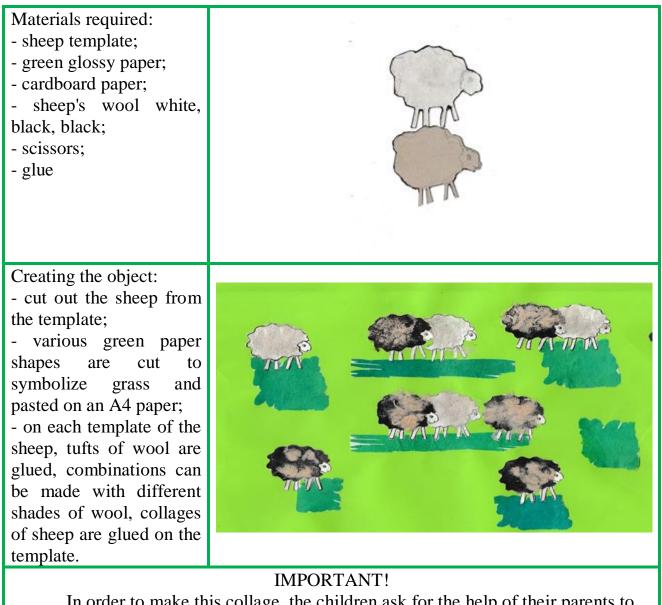


13. The fish



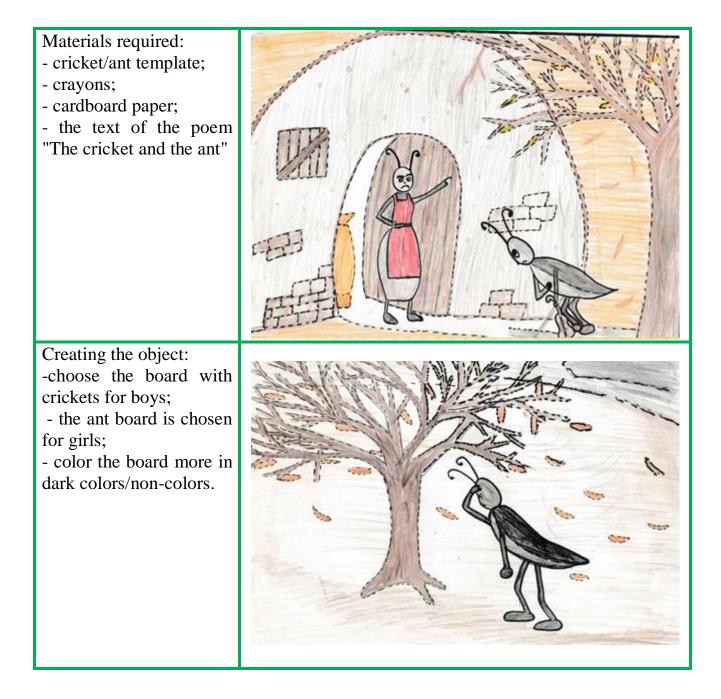
14. Romanian vase



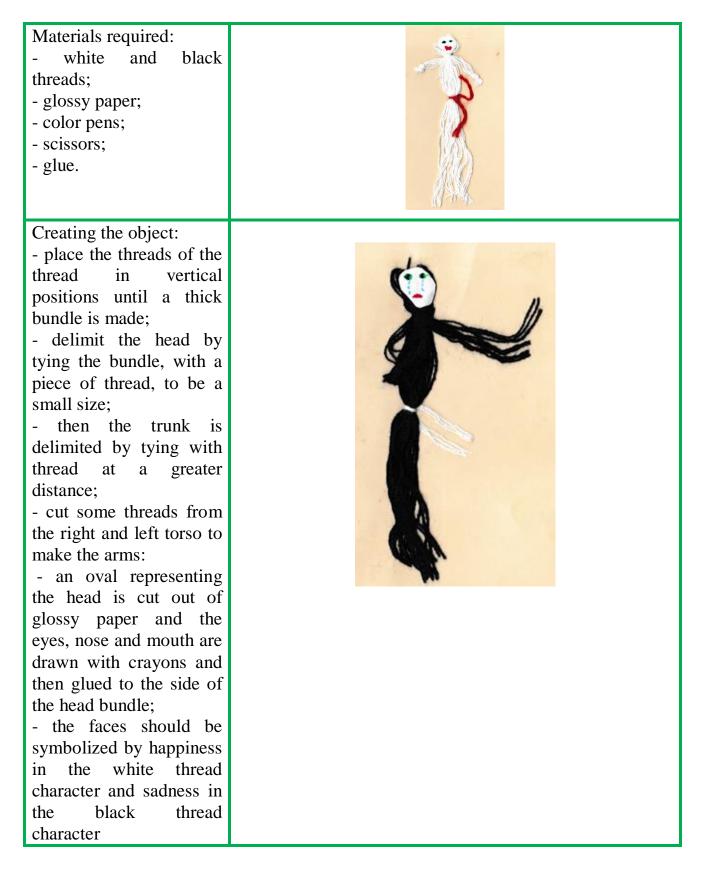


In order to make this collage, the children ask for the help of their parents to procure their wool.

16. The cricket and the ant



17. Happiness and sadness



18. The apple and the pear

Materials required: - apple and pear shapes; - red, yellow, black and green glossy paper; - scissors; - glue	
Creating the object: - an apple and a pear are cut according to a given template; - the technique of tearing the paper is used, so the apple will be covered with pieces of red paper; -the pear will be covered with pieces of yellow paper; - the tails will be made of glossy black paper; - the leaves will be made of glossy green paper	

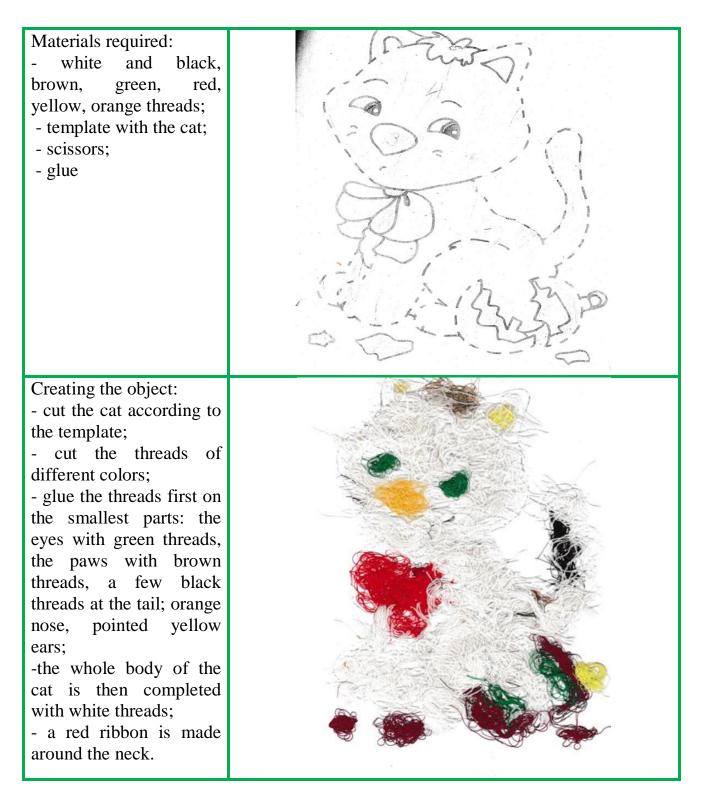
20. Squirrel

Materials required: a squirrel template shape and a tree trunk shape; - brown, black and red glossy paper; - scissors; - glue Creating the object: -cut out the squirrel and the tree trunk according to a given template; - the technique of tearing the paper is used, so the squirrel will be covered with pieces of brown and red paper respectively for the mouth and black for the eyes; - the tree trunk will be covered with pieces of

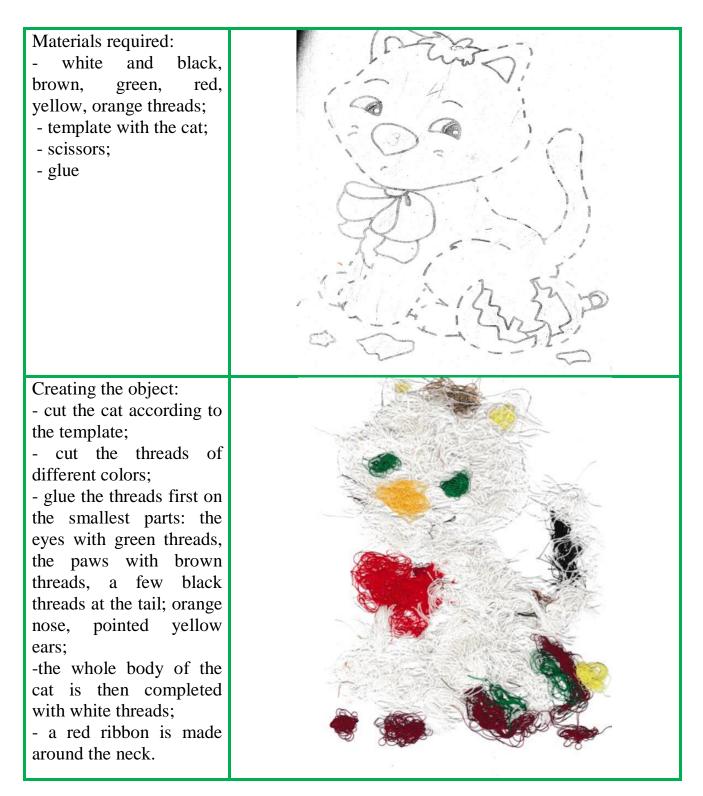
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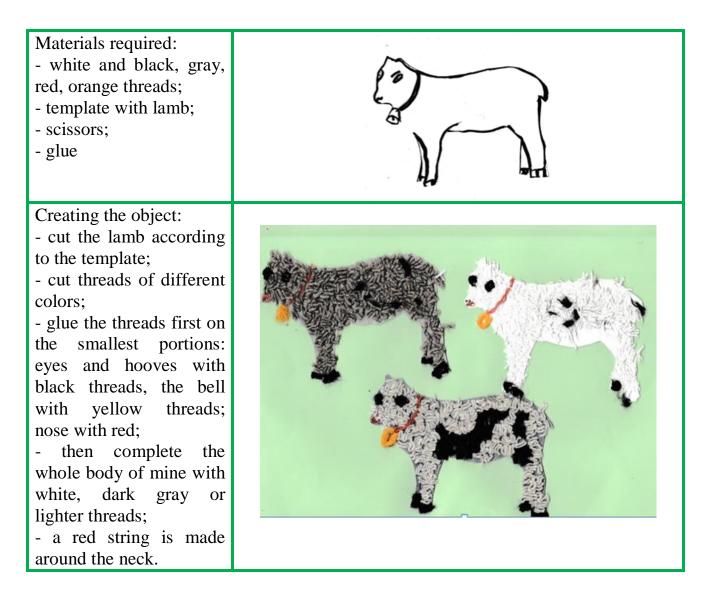








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