

Ann's Creative Corner

Project #159: Colours and Shape Art

- Cut various shapes out of construction paper.
- Try the standard shapes to include Triangle, Squares, Rectangles, Circles, Diamonds and Hearts. Other various shapes from scrap paper can be used as well.
- Be sure to use various colours of paper too.
- Using a glue stick, place your shapes onto another piece of paper to create your design. This could be abstract or in the form of houses, trees, fences, sun, moon or whatever you may think of.
- Add more details with felt markers, crayons, or paints.
- Try some 3D materials such as cotton, straw, grass, feathers, or other tactile type medium.
- Vehicles could be created in this way too. Try drawing some roads for your vehicles.

Activities and Discussion: Talk about the type of shapes and colours. Adult or older children could cut shapes out of felt material and create a felt story such as "Inside the Red House" This is created simply by making various houses of different sizes. Place one on the felt board and add additional houses to the story.

