## Ann's Creative Corner Project #377: Chinese New Year Lanterns!

- Fold a piece of construction paper in half lengthwise (long way).
- Draw a line on the open end of this long folded paper.
- Draw lines across the paper ending at the long line. For younger children, create wide lines so there is enough space for them to decorate.
- If you like, Streamers of tissue paper could be glued to the bottom of the lantern.
- Cut the crosswise lines only to the long line so you do not cut it in half!
- Next, open it up to decorate with stickers and sparkles etc,
- Next, create the lantern by turning the lines to the outside to make it puff out.
- Staple, glue or tape it in place.
- Punch two holes in the top and attach a colourful string or ribbon or paper handle.
- Hang on doorknobs, walls, hangers etc.

## **Activity**

Go on an excursion to the stores and malls and notice all the Chinese New Year Decorations!



