

Ann's Creative Corner

Project #696: Mother's Day Paper Flowers!

- Lay some coffee filters on a flat surface. Or use some cupcake paper baking cups.
- Use some felt markers to add some colours of designs onto the coffee filters or cupcake holders.
- For the coffee filter, you may like to use some eye droppers with coloured water (food colouring and water).
- As the colours blend, the children and you will notice how the colours blend and create new colours.
- Try some waxed crayons on the cupcake holders and see what design they make.
- When you are done making this base for the flower, this will become the flower petals.
- Punch two holes in the center.
- Slide as pipe cleaner or popsicle stick into the hole/s.
- Wrap with some tape to secure it.
- Spray the "flowers" with some light perfume or some talcum powder.

Activity: Blending Colours!

Use your remaining coloured water to mix the various water colours and together and see how they change. Primary colours are Red, Yellow and Blue. Secondary colours are orange, green and purple.

Mix the colours to experiment with Red/Yellow. Yellow/Blue, Blue/Red.

