CREATE POP ART USING LEAVES OR VEGETABLES

inspired by ANDY WARHOL

ACTIVITY

Learn about Andy Warhol's artwork by exploring repetition and the process of printmaking.

MATERIALS

- Cardboard
- Parchment paper or wax paper
- Tape
- Acrylic or tempera paint
- Paintbrushes
- Rolling pin
- Leaves from nature
- Vegetables: Ends of celery stalks or peppers
- Colored construction paper
- Scissors
- Markers

USING LEAVES

- 1. Place parchment or wax paper on cardboard and tape down.
 Put paint on parchment and use brush to spread out paint.
- 2. Place leaf on paint then place construction paper on top and use rolling pin to press down.
- 3. Remove top of paper and put aside to dry. Add more paint as needed. Repeat with another color of paper to make a second print.
- 4. Place clean parchment paper on cardboard and tape down. Put a new leaf on parchment and tape down the leaf stem.
- 5. Paint leaf and place construction paper on top. Use rolling pin to press down and roll.
- 6. Remove top of paper and put aside to dry. Add more paint as needed. Repeat with another colors of paper to make a second print.
- 7. When dry, cut the four papers with leaf patterns to fit one larger piece of paper and arrange in four squares.









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USING VEGETABLES

- 1. Choose the base of a celery bunch or a pepper end to create a stamp.
- 2. Place parchment or wax paper on cardboard and tape down. Put paint on parchment and use brush to spread out paint.
- 3. Stamp the vegetable end into paint and then on colored construction paper.
- 4. Stamp out four to six times to create prints on different colors of construction paper.
- 5. When dry, cut the vegetable patterns to fit one larger piece of paper and arrange in four squares.
- 6. Use markers to add details on the prints.





