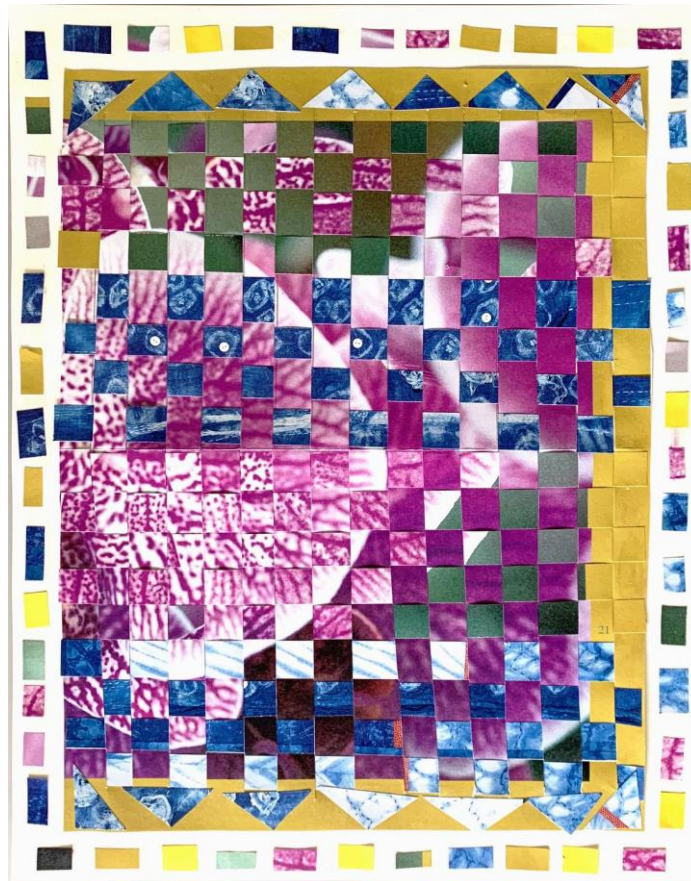


ART AT HOME: *Paper Weaving*

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Materials:

Paper from magazines, or any other patterned paper

Scissors

Gluestick

Paper in white or any other color

Ruler

Pencil



- 1) First you make your stripes for weaving. Draw vertical lines to use as guides for cutting. You can do it like me and make them all the same size, or you can play with different thicknesses



- 2) Here are the stripes I cut:

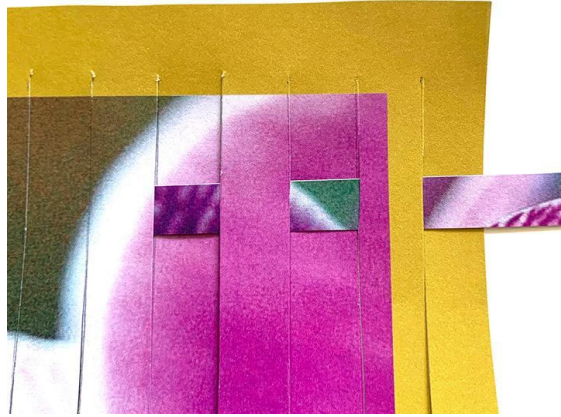
- 3) Take another paper, fold it in half and cut evenly spaced slits starting from the folded edge. Stop about 1/2 inch from the opposite edge.



- 4) Unfold



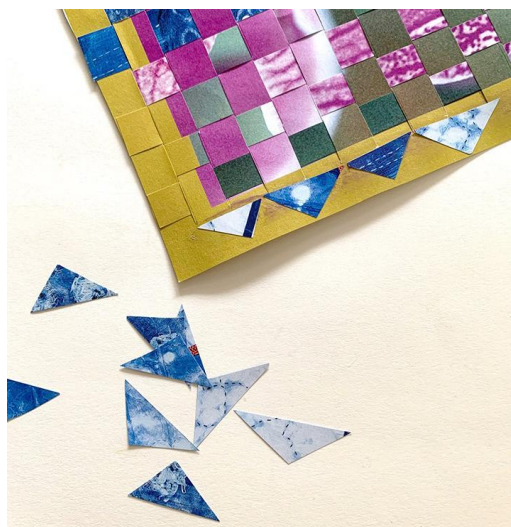
- 5) Take one paper strip and weave it across the slits, going over and under the slits.



- 6) Move the woven strip to the top and start with the next one. Weave the second strip in an opposite pattern as the first. If your first strip went over and under the slits, the second strip should go under and over the slits. Apply glue to the edges.



- 7) I cut more shapes to embellish the edges a bit.....



Have fun!