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Letter from the Editors

Hi Holiday Crafters,

After your long hibernation this winter, we know you're in need of some spring-inspired crafts. Because there is nothing more signature of spring than flowers, we have compiled a collection of our prettiest paper flowers, fabric flowers, and faux-floral decorations for you! Add some seasonal cheer to your home, your hair, a bridal shower, or any other big spring event you have to look forward to this year. Flowers from paper and fabric flowers are all the rage right now, and this spring trend is too cute to resist! This list of flower crafts will keep you decorating all season long, and give you plenty of feminine ideas to hold on to. You'll love these fresh flower crafts, and the best part is they'll last forever!

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Blooming Fabric Daffodils

By: Staci from Crafty Staci

Celebrate spring by making a bouquet of flowers that will never die! These Blooming Fabric Daffodils are the perfect spring table decorations, whether you're entertaining guests or just enjoying a dinner at home. Learn how to make a beautiful craft flower arrangement by following these simple sewing instructions.



Materials:

- Five 4" squares of yellow fabric
- A 1 1/2 x 20" strip of yellow fabric
- One circle of felt, about 1" across
- A 2" square of yellow fabric.
- A needle and thread

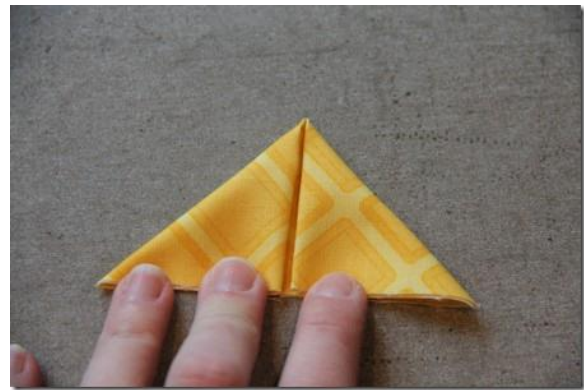


Instructions:

1) Fold your first square in half to make a rectangle.



2) Fold each corner down to the bottom center and create a triangle.

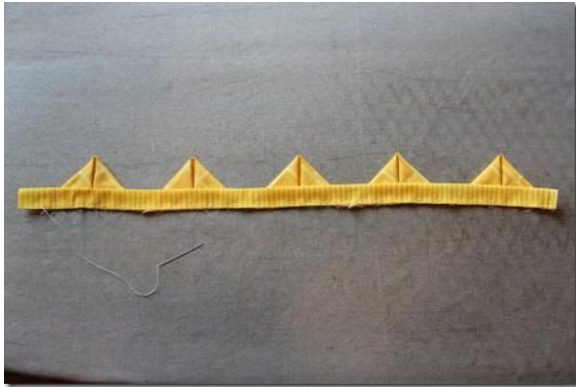


3) Pin in place and repeat for each square.

4) Fold the long strip in half. With your needle and thread, sew long stitches near the edge of the fabric through each layer.



5) If the strip is longer than your triangles, cut off the excess.



6) Gather tightly, stitch the ends together, and knot the thread.



7) Holding the petals, pull up on the gathered strip in the center so it stands up from the flower.



8) Turn the flower over and glue a felt circle on the bottom with hot glue.



9) Stitch large stitches around the 2" circle, gather and knot. Then, glue it onto the center of the flower with the gathered side down.



10) Hot glue a wood skewer to the back and you're done. Note: Cover your skewer with felt to hide the back.



Mini Pom Pom Flowers

By: Jamie from C.R.A.F.T

These Mini Felt Pom Flowers are so versatile; you can use them for almost anything. String them on a garland or glue them to a frame for a fun homemade spring decoration. You won't believe how simple it is to make these flowers.



Materials:

- Yellow Felt
- Scissors
- Needle and thread

Instructions:

1) Cut your felt into 1 1/2" strips.



2) Cut fringes along the edges of each fabric strip leaving at least 1/4" at the bottom.



3) Roll each strip to create the flower shape.



4) Use your needle and thread to sew the bottom of your flower together. Fluff your flower and you're done!



French Twist Fabric Flowers

By: Sara Lanan from Craft Snob

Learn how to make fabric flowers in just a few easy steps with the help of this simple and sweet spring tutorial. These French Twist Fabric Flowers will cost you nothing to make, all you'll need is a bit of leftover fabric and your glue gun. Take the easy route this season and make fabric flowers to decorate your home for less.



Materials:

- 3X24" fabric strips
- Hot glue gun

Instructions:

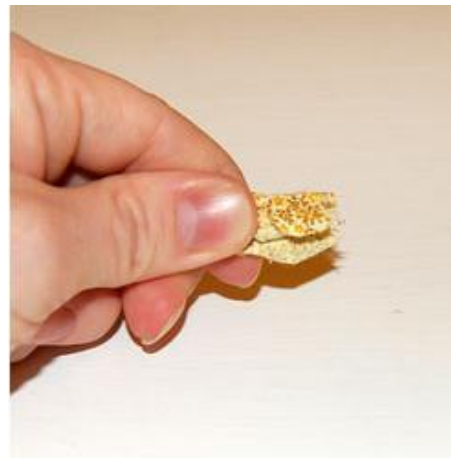
1) Start with one piece of your fabric.



2) Twist it really tight.



3) Hold it tight, fold it in half and allow it to twist together on its own.



4) Hot glue the unfolded end under to create the center of the flower. Continue wrapping your fabric around until you get to the folded end, gluing periodically and you're done!



Blossoming Paper Flowers

By: Sara Funduk from Mr. Handsome Face

Welcome your party guests with the vibrant colors of these Blossoming Paper Flowers! You'll be able to make tissue flowers that match any occasion. This versatile paper craft can be used for bouquets, garlands, and even as a gift bow. Anything will be in full bloom once you add these beautiful tissue paper flowers.



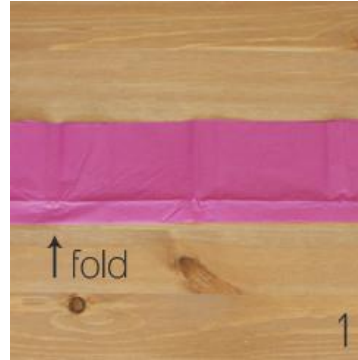
Materials:

- Tissue paper
- Yellow or orange cardstock
- Scissors
- Tape
- Pencil



Instructions:

1) Cut a strip of tissue paper about 9" x 26" and fold it in half lengthwise.



2) Draw a wavy line on the paper starting with big waves and gradually getting smaller and closer together.



3) Cut a small strip of cardstock about 2.5" x 0.5".



4) Make a series of small cuts into the cardstock that almost reach the bottom.



5) Fold the cardstock in half twice and place it edge of the tissue paper. Orient your cardstock so that the small waves are at the top.



6) Roll and scrunch your tissue paper strip around the cardstock stamen.



7) Secure the paper with a bit of tape and trim off the excess on the end to make it look pretty.



Petite Paper Posies

By: Sara Lanan from Craft Snob

DIY paper flowers are a perfect craft to celebrate spring. These Petite Paper Posies are an adorable paper flower craft that you could attach to an accessory, or use as a spring table decoration. Learn to make paper flowers with these easy instructions!



Materials:

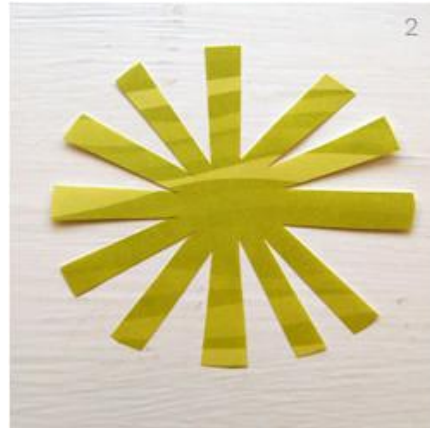
- Scissors
- Decorative Paper
- Brads
- One thick needle

Instructions:

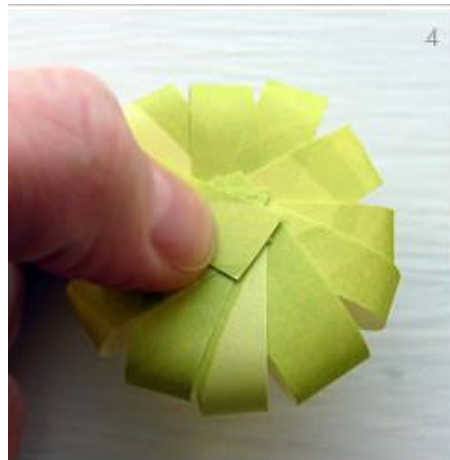
1) Start with a 4" diameter circular paper cut out.



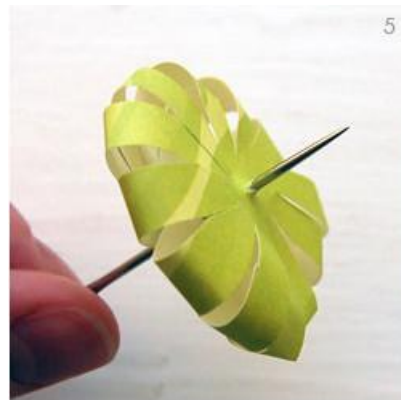
2) Cut the paper to create spokes, making sure the spokes are wide enough to fit a brad through.



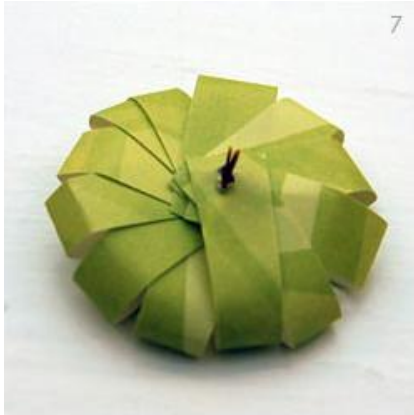
3) Flip the circle over. Fold back each spoke.



4) Puncture the center with a thick needle, making sure to puncture every spoke.



5) Remove the needle and insert the brad.



6) To finish, simply flatten the back of the brad!



Alice in Wonderland Daisies

By: Julee Dyer from Warm Hot Chocolate

These Alice in Wonderland Daisies are certain to make you feel way too small! Wander down the rabbit hole with this whimsical spring craft. They're great decorations for the home or a kiddie party.



Materials:

- Paper in 3 contrasting colors
- Decoupage glue
- Matching floral tape
- Craft jewels
- Dowels

Instructions:

1) Cut out 10 large petals and 8 small petals from contrasting-colored paper.



2) Glue two large petal shapes together using decoupage glue and coat the outer sides with glue to make them sturdier.



3) Repeat with all large petals and allow to dry.

4) Arrange each pair of large petals into a flower shape and use floral tape to secure the bottom.

5) Generously glue the tape seam to strengthen them.



5) Cut a 1 1/2" circle of contrasting paper and glue to the center of the smaller petals.



5) Glue the smaller petals to the larger set of petals to form your flower



6) Allow to dry completely.

7) Use tape to attach the wooden dowel to the bottom of your flower.



8) Cover your dowel with floral tape to finish!



Note: Do not attach individual petals to the dowel. First secure the petals together and then attach the dowel to them all at once.

Shabby Chic Flowers

By: Candace Kos from Therm O Web

If you have a shabby chic style, make yourself a bouquet or two out of pretty scrapbook paper. These Shabby Chic Flowers are easy-to-make, cost-effective, and they're gorgeous too. Make your floral arrangements stand out among the rest with this unique DIY spring decor idea.



Materials:

- Wood skewers
- Decorative papers
- Paint, circle die
- Therm O Web 3d Zots
- Therm O Web Memory Tape Runner XL
- Therm O Web ICraft Dots
- Therm O Web SuperTape

Instructions:

1) Paint each skewer green to create your stems.

2) Die cut several large and medium circles from paper.

3) Add tape runner adhesive to one large circle (sides only) and wrap it around the skewer and over the adhesive dot.

4) Continue to add layers, alternating sizes of circles.

5) Between each layer, add one 3D Zot to the center circle. This creates space between each petal.

6) Hand cut your leaves from green paper by folding paper in half and cutting a leaf shape.



7) Create multiple flowers to make a bouquet!

Paper Flower Garland

By: Allison Michelena from a Glimpse Inside

This simple Paper Flower Garland is an easy and effective way to craft for spring, with almost no cost at all. Use whatever spare cardboard tubes you have on hand to get started on this craft. This garland would look so fantastic hanging over your mantelpiece or picture window!



Materials:

- Toilet paper/Paper Towel tubes
- Hot Glue gun
- Acrylic paints
- Ruler
- Ribbon

Instructions:

1) To start, press the cardboard tube flat.



2) Take your ruler and make a mark every 1/2" down your tube.



2) Cut out your strips at each marking.



3) Group five together for each flower.

4) Paint each group in different colors of your choice starting on the inside and working your way to the outside.



5) After each petal is fully dry, place them side-by-side to create your flower shape.



7) String them up on your length of ribbon, weaving in and out of two of the petals.



6) Put a small amount of glue on one end and push all of your pieces together.



8) Space them out how you like and hang them around your home for sweet spring decor!



Scrapbook Page Flowers

By: Kristen Jones from [Plaid Enterprises](#)

If you are looking for a way to make pretty paper flowers into a hair accessory, this is the perfect spring craft for you! Make your own Scrapbook Page Flowers and glue them to a simple headband. Find your favorite scrapbook paper, create a layered paper flower, and wear; it's that simple!



Materials:

- Plaid Hot Glue Gun Helpers
- FolkArt Extreme Glitter – Hologram, 5 oz.
- Mod Podge Brushstroke – Matte, 8 oz.
- Scrapbook Paper Scraps
- Wax paper
- Hot glue
- Large gem
- Headband
- Felt circle

Instructions:

- 1) Tear 3 pieces of scrapbook paper into 3 different sized circles.
- 2) Crinkle each piece of paper and open them flat onto a sheet of wax paper.
- 3) Working with Extreme Glitter Hologram, coat each piece with either a thick layer of glitter, a dollop of glitter in the center or glitter around the edge.
- 4) Let each circle dry and peel them off of the wax paper.
- 5) Hot glue the flower circles together in the center, then hot glue a large gem to the top center of the flower.
- 5) Glue a small circle of felt to the underside to finish off the design.



- 6) Attach to your headband using hot glue to create a fun spring hair accessory.

Simple Ribbon Flowers

Candace Kos from Therm O Web

Spring decor can be hard to come by, but it doesn't have to be hard to create! Use these Simple Ribbon Flowers to dress up a vase, headband or even your front door! Go ahead and make a few of these Simple Ribbon Flowers this spring; they're so easy to transform into the perfect seasonal wreath.



Materials:

- Therm O Web 1/8" super tape
- 1 1/2" wide ribbon
- Scissors
- Ruler



Instructions:

1) Cut a 6" length of ribbon.

2) Apply your super tape along one edge of the ribbon.



3) Peel off the paper and then fold your ribbon in half, length wise.

4) Apply another row of the super tape along the length of the ribbon.



5) Cut little slits in the tape about every 1/4".



6) Peel off the paper and roll your flower starting at one end.



7) You'll now have one ribbon flower that should look like the image below.



8) For a floral wreath, make a selection of flowers and compose them into a circle.



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