

Making an African Textile pattern

Art with Madeleine



We are going to make a pattern like these beautiful African fabrics



Print this page and draw around the shape on card – this will be the template (it's a bird!)



Find a piece of card and cut out the bird shape



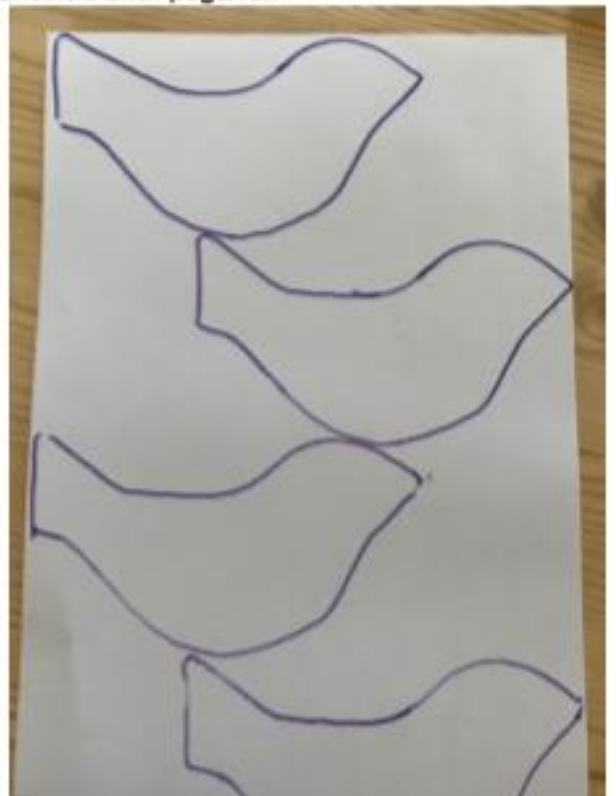
Use card shape to draw around on a piece of paper



Draw around the bird again



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Draw around the shape with pen – add details if you like



Fill in the spaces with lines – you can use a ruler if you want!



Once you have finished the lines find some coloured pencils or felt tips



Choose your colours and add them to the design



Here is my finished design



Weaving.

If you have any old wool or string, you can cut different lengths and use them to weave or wrap around a cardboard cut out letter of your name.



Circle Art









Get an A4 piece of paper and find a cup or something with a circle shape to draw around. Draw lots of circles on the paper. It does not matter if they overlap – this is good. Then choose lots of colours to colour in the different parts of the circles.



Can you find things in your house to fill in this colour scavenger hunt? You could challenge yourself and do a 2nd one and think of things that are outside.

Colour Scavenger Hunt

Look for different colours around you. Draw what you find.

<p>Something red</p> 	<p>Something blue</p> 	<p>Something green</p> 
<p>Something yellow</p> 	<p>Something orange</p> 	<p>Something black</p> 
<p>Something white</p> 	<p>Something pink</p> 	<p>Something purple</p> 