



MARDI GRAS HATS

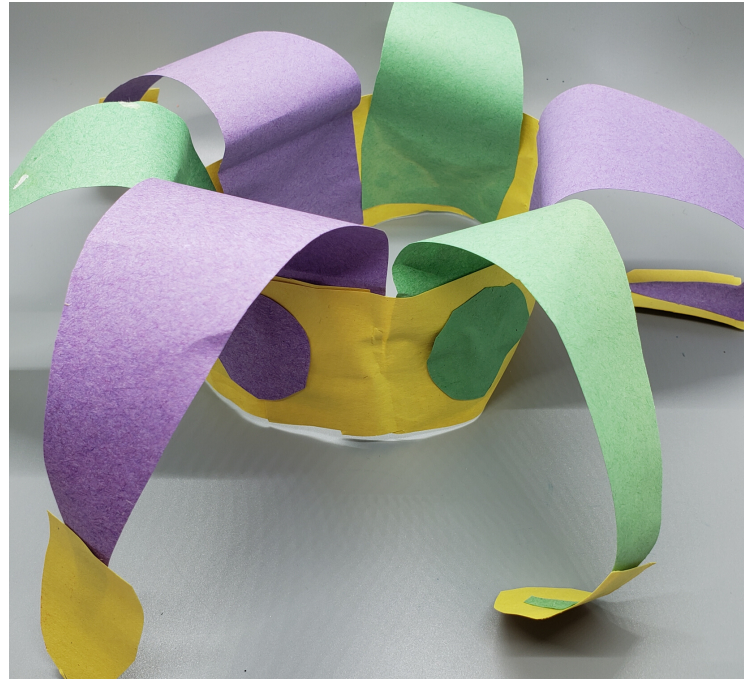
Lesson of the Day:

Jesters are silly people who make others laugh. But just because someone is silly and always seems to be having fun doesn't mean that they aren't also sad sometimes. Keep an eye on everyone around you to make sure they're doing okay. Take care of each other, particularly when you can tell someone is having a hard time.



Materials:

- Purple construction paper
- Yellow construction paper
- Green construction paper
- Glue
- Glitter glue
- Scissors
- Template



Instructions:

1. Discuss the lesson of the day with your students. Talk about what it means to them.
2. Have students cut out the shapes on the template. They should trace them onto different colored paper. The circles should be on yellow paper, the large rectangle on yellow as well, with the triangles and shapes in purple and green.
3. Have them glue the bottoms of the purple and green to the yellow strip in an alternating pattern. Have them glue the yellow circles to the tip of each triangle.
4. Have them glue the shapes to the other side of the yellow strip.
5. Put the hat together by gluing the ends of the yellow paper together.

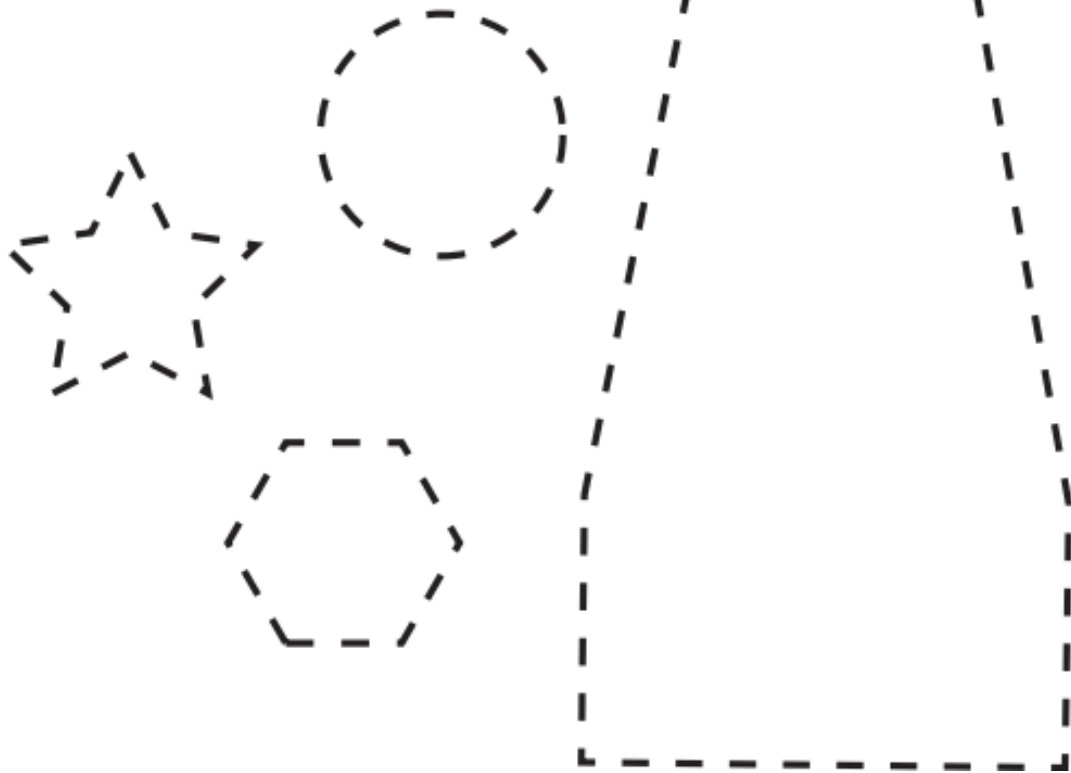


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Create Your Own

JESTER HAT

1. Cut-out the templates by following the dotted line.
2. Using the rectangle template on page 2, cut 3 out of construction paper and tape into one long headband.
3. Using the triangle template, cut 6 out of different colors of construction paper.
4. Attach the bottom of the triangles side by side to the headband.
5. Fit the headband to your head and secure with tape.
6. Use the circle, star and jewel templates to cut out the decorations, and glue or tape to the hat.





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