

Water Lilies

In Dry to Dry we learn that the Kakadu wetlands are home to many species of plants including water lilies. Use the instructions below to make a paper water lilly.

You Will Need:

3 x white circles with a diameter of 14cms

1 x green circle with a diameter of 14cms

Yellow paper 30 x 6cm

Green paper 10cm x 5cms

Skewer

Glue



Glue a green circle and white circle together.



Fold all 3 circles into eighths ie.



Mark a curved top to the fold and cut along dotted line for each circle.



Trim the point from each circle.



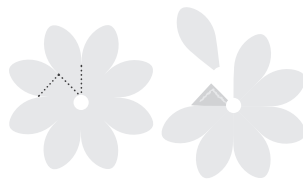
Open up all 3 circles to reveal a flower.



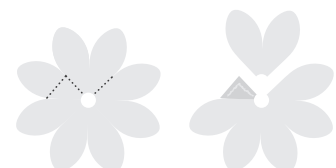
Select the white flower with the green back. Cut between 2 petals and remove the top of 1 petal.



Glue the small remaining section behind the adjacent petal to reform a circle.



With one of the white circles cut between 2 petals, remove an entire petal and the top half of the next petal. Glue the remaining half petal to the back of the flower to make another smaller flower.



Repeat for the third white flower this time leaving just 5 petals on the final flower.

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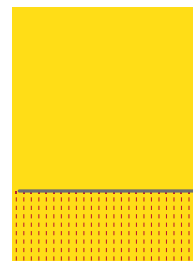
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Fold a 30cm x 10cm yellow rectangle into quarters leaving a rectangle 7.5cm x 10cm.



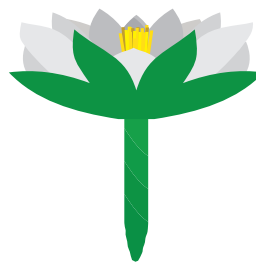
Rule a line 3cms from the edge and trim across the paper.



Open to full length and place skewer at one end. Roll paper around skewer and secure with glue.



Thread through centre of flowers with green backed flower at the base and smallest flower at the top. Twist slightly between flowers so all petals can be seen.



Glue one side of the green paper to the yellow stem and wrap in green paper pinching at the base to form a green stem.

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