



→ WHAT YOU'LL NEED



Coloured paper



Scissors



Glue



Paper plate



Pencil



**Geometry Made Fun**

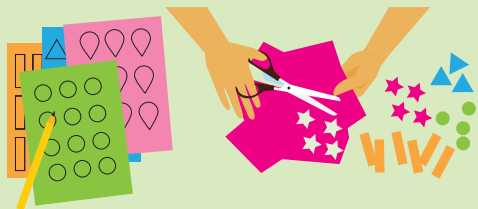
**HEY PARENTS!** Rangoli art is a fun way to broaden and deepen children's cultural awareness as they explore colours, shapes, balance and symmetry to create their own designs.

# Pattern Play

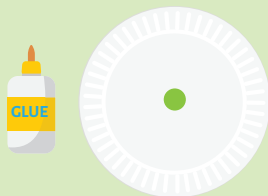
Decorate your home for Deepavali with Rangoli designs, a traditional Indian art form used for festive celebrations.

## Follow these steps

1. Draw or use a stencil to trace different shapes on the papers, using one colour for each shape (circle, triangle, square, heart, star, etc.). Cut them out.



2. Start by gluing one shape in the centre of the paper plate.



3. Glue another shape for the next layer around the centre. Working from the centre outwards, use a different shape for each layer until you reach the edge of the plate. Make sure to maintain a symmetrical pattern.



4. If you like, add glitter, sequins, beads, seeds, flower petals and/or other items to embellish your Rangoli design. The more colourful, the better!



**Snap & Show**

Send a picture of your child's Rangoli craft to [beanstalk@mediacorp.com.sg](mailto:beanstalk@mediacorp.com.sg) or post it as a public post on your Facebook with the hashtag #BeanstalkCraft. Your child's masterpiece could be featured in the next issue of *Beanstalk!*

