



Make Your Own Colorful Tulips

A BAREFOOT ACTIVITY FOR KIDS AGES 4+

Look what's *Over in the Meadow*! This cheerful singalong is set against the backdrop of a beautiful English meadow. The flowers and foliage are a vibrant habitat for all the animal friends we meet as we count from one to ten. "Grow" your own colorful blossoms with these paper tulips to celebrate the season!

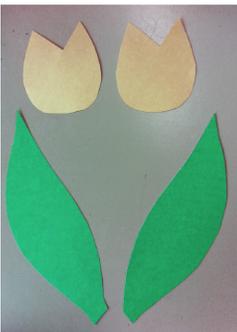
WHAT TO FIND

- Colored paper
- Pencil
- Scissors
- Lollipop sticks, dowels, or pipe cleaners about 12" long
- Glue stick

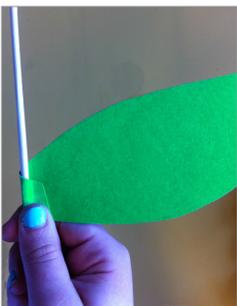
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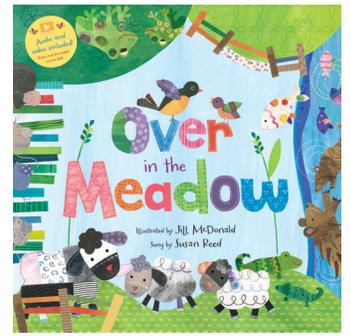
1. To do this craft you will first need to print out the tulip template on the third page. Once printed, use your scissors to cut all the shapes. These will be used to trace your leaves and tulips.



2. Take the two leaf-like shapes you just made, trace them onto your green colored paper, and cut them out. These will be used for your leaves. Take the remaining tulip shape, trace it twice onto a different colored sheet of paper, and cut them out as well. **Hint:** Fold the sheet of paper so you cut two tulip shapes out at once.

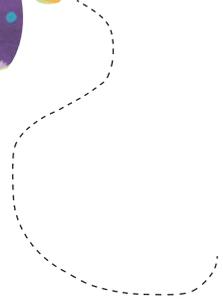
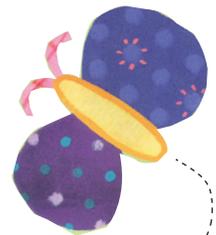
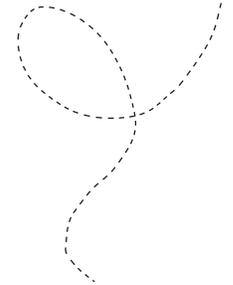


3. Now comes the tricky part. Wrap the bottom of your first leaf around the base of the lollipop stick and secure it with tape. Take your second leaf and attach it with tape to the backside of your first leaf.



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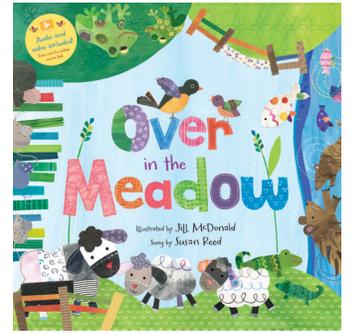
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4. Almost there! Once both of your leaves are attached, coat one side of each of your tulips with glue. Press the glued sides of both tulip shapes so that the lollipop stick is secured between them.



5. You now have your spring tulips! Try using different colors for each flower or use clear string to attach several together like a mobile!



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We used this activity to create our Oxford window display!



