MAGAZINE BEADS

BEFORE YOU GET STARTED

Recommended Ages: Grades K - 5

Estimated Time: 20 - 30 minutes

Stuff you’ll need:

• White School Glue
• Old Magazines
• Scissors
• Straw or Pencil
• Pipe cleaner/Yarn/String

Caregivers should consider: Girls should ask permission before using any materials.

THE FUN PART

1. Cut strips out of colorful magazine pages. Try to keep the strips between ½” to 1” wide.

2. Start rolling a magazine strip firmly around the straw or pencil. Once it goes around one full time, put a few lines of glue down the inside length of the strip.

3. Begin rolling the magazine strip around the straw/pencil. Don’t worry if glue squeezes out. Once the strip is completely wrapped, rub a small amount of glue around it to firmly secure the end.

4. Carefully slide it off the straw/pencil. Wipe off any excess glue on the straw/pencil.

5. Place beads on a paper plate or other surface to dry. Once the glue has dried, you can create your own bracelet, necklace, or other awesome piece of jewelry!

6. Way to go! You did it! Share on social media with your caregiver’s permission. Use the hashtag #GSGIDIY