

Lesson Plan

“Remembrance Day Art”

Materials

- Various colours of poppy coloured paint (orange, purple, red)

AND/OR

Red streamers (to make poppies)

- Blue paint in trays, with sponges to apply

AND/OR

Blue food colouring in spray bottle with water

- Green paint in trays, with sponges to apply
- Black paint in squeeze bottles

AND/OR

Black tissue paper

- Heavy duty paper: wallpaper samples, card stock, sketch paper
- Balloons, blown up just a little bit
- Smocks
- Paper towel and water buckets

Instructions

(hand-over-hand assistance where needed)

1. Put on apron
2. Students choose piece of heavy duty paper
3. Spray blue water
OR
dab blue paint sponge for sky
4. Dab green paint sponge for grass, field or hills
5. Twist balloons into the red/purple/orange paint, then twist onto paper – can be on hills, sky or both. These are your poppies

OR

Form poppies by gathering ends of the streamer paper together, and fastening with a staple. Glue to sky/grass.

6. Add black centre to poppies by either squeezing black paint **OR** scrunching up some black tissue paper and gluing it on.
7. If desired, cut stems and leaves for the poppies.

OR

Use green paint sponge to make stem/leaves

8. Wash hands in water buckets previously prepared if student is in wheelchair. Mobile students can walk to sink to wash paint off of hands.

