





4-H VOLUNTEER INFORMATION SERIES

Nebraska 4-H Youth Development

Club Activity Idea: Cut-up Collages

Outcome Area: __ SET __ Healthy Lifestyles _X Life Skills __ Career Development

Curriculum Area: Home Environment

Specific Project (s): Visual Arts 1; Visual Arts 2; Home Building Blocks

Description of Activity:

This is an activity that will produce a collage from a picture.

Age Level: 10 years up

Group Size: 1-15

Time Involved: Preparation time: 10 - 15 minutes Activity time: one hour

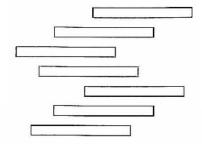
Materials Needed:

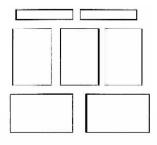
- Magazines or members can bring a picture (knowing they will cut it up), portraits have the most dramatic effect. Computer printed photos work great!
- Scissors
- Colored paper
- Glue

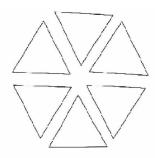
Activity:

- 1. Cut picture into long strips.....vertical and/or horizontal pieces....or various geometric shapes.
- 2. Reassemble the photo on a piece of colored paper, spreading the pieces to let some color come through.
- 3. Once you're set on the design, glue the pieces in place.
- **4.** The picture can then be framed for display purposes.

Examples of ways to cut picture:







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