

ARTS & CRAFTS FOR STUDENTS

Arts and crafts for students are fun for children and the young-at-heart!

For children to be creative and innovative, it is necessary to develop their interest in extra-curricular activities. With academics, a child becomes a certificate holder, but his creative interest makes him a multi-faceted personality.

Graphic Design is a broad discipline that includes 2D, 3D and even 4D imagery. You can bring creativity to your work in fun and rewarding ways. Prepare to become a visual innovator, able to create compelling designs that convey ideas using the latest in media and technology.

Kids love to do arts and crafts and it's important for them to practice it



both at school and at home.

Here are 6 important areas of child development that you can help your kids practice by doing art and crafts with them at home.

1. Motor skills

When kids use their fingers to manipulate art materials they are developing their fine motors skills as they use those small muscles in their hands. Their bilateral coordination skills improve as they learn to use both hands at the same time.



2. Literacy

Early Child literacy skills in art and crafts cover a wide range of areas – from speaking and reading to listening and understanding. When kids make art or crafts they get to talk about their work which develops their communication skills.

3. Math Concepts

Basic math skills are often not thought of as being part of art and crafts activities. But Math Skills are used frequently and have a positive effect of developing mathematical skills in preschool children..

Kids get to learn about and recognise different shapes, count and sort out their art supplies and even measure out lengths and sizes of art materials. To master math, you need good thinking and problem-solving skills which art and crafts activities help with as well.

4. Creativity

Art allows kids to develop their creativity which is important throughout their lives. By doing something creative, you allow for self-expression and this lets kids express (and cope with) their feelings. It also fosters mental growth in children by providing opportunities for trying out new ideas, new ways of thinking and problem-solving.

5. Self-Esteem

Art and craft activities give kids a sense of achievement and allow them to take pride in their work which builds confidence. Making art is a great, safe way to discover that it's okay to make mistakes and that getting things 'wrong' can lead you to a whole new idea. Kids get to try new things and also develop their "Self –regulation Skills"

6. Quality time / Parent Bonding

Kids just love to spend time with their parents and what better way than to do arts and crafts together ! You get to spend quality time bonding with your kids and at the same time, you are creating lifelong memories to cherish.

Kelly just loves doing a range of art and crafts with both me and her dad, from simple colouring and painting to making something 3D.