African Yoruba Collar Necklace

Supplies

- paper plate
- markers
- yarn
- gold and red paint
- hot glue gun (with glue)
- scissors
- pencil
- ruler
- pasta
- colored straws

Instructions

1. Cut through one side of the paper plate and remove a large circle in the center.

2. Use the ruler and pencil to draw a grid around the collar.

3. Color the grid in with bright markers.

4. Now paint the pasta gold, and let it dry completely.

5. First, cut the colored drinking straws into small pieces. Then, cut several lengths of yarn as well, each about a foot long. Having slightly different lengths will make the collar more visually interesting.

6. Have your child string the painted pasta and pieces of drinking straws onto the pieces of string, and fasten the ends.

7. Carefully hot glue the ends of the strings to the bottom edge of the collar, and about an inch apart.

8. Hot glue the remaining pieces of painted pasta and colored straws around the collar of the necklace. This Yoruba collar necklace is a great way to put the finishing touch on a costume!

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