VIRTUAL SUMMER ART ADVENTURES

Create: Colorful Koi

Check out the handout "Swimming with Symbols" to learn about the Chinese jar that inspired this activity.

Step 1.
Gather art supplies:
- Orange paper pattern
- Colorful, patterned scrap paper
- Glue stick
- Scissors

Step 2.
- Cut out koi fish
- Arrange scrap paper to cover entire fish
- Glue scraps in place

Step 3.
- Turn the fish over and trim off extra paper
- Your koi is ready to swim!

Covered Jar, China, Jiangxi Province, Ming period, Jiajing era (1522–66), porcelain painted with underglaze cobalt blue and overglaze enamels (Jingdezhen ware). Asia Society, New York: Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller 3rd Collection, 1979.182a, b