



ILLINOIS HOLOCAUST MUSEUM  
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## Summer Upstander Activity Club

Week Five – Back to Nature | August 8

### Tissue Paper Flowers



There's nothing better than a flower that never wilts! This week we are making tissue paper flowers. To create your forever-garden, you will need a few things to get started:

- Tissue Paper
- Printer Paper
- Tape
- Scissors

#### Video Tutorial 1

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=64IPi\\_JTp\\_w](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=64IPi_JTp_w)

#### Video Tutorial 2

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=76Q\\_-rgzvtw](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=76Q_-rgzvtw)

Now that you have gathered all your supplies, here's how to assemble your flowers!

1. Start in the corner of your printer paper (8.5 inches by 11 inches) and roll the paper all the way to the end, as tight as possible. Use tape to secure it closed. It should resemble the stalk of a flower!
2. Take 4-6 pieces of tissue paper (they can be one color, or different colors), about 4 inches by 5 inches.
3. Fold your paper in an accordion fashion.
4. Fold in half to make the center
5. Place your stalk in the center of the accordion and wrap around the top. Tape in place to keep secure.
6. Unfold your accordion and separate the pieces of tissue paper. They can be moved up or moved down, helping your flower to fully "bloom".
7. Place your flowers in a vase to show them off!

We encourage you to share the projects on your social media using the hashtags #ILHMEC and #Upstander. You can also submit photos via email at [education@ilhmec.org](mailto:education@ilhmec.org) for an additional prize entry!