Tissue Paper Derby Fascinator

MATERIALS NEEDED

• Tissue paper or coffee filters
• Scissors
• Ribbon or yarn
• Paper plate or empty cereal box
• Headband or hair clip

Optional Materials: Washable markers, watercolor paint, or food coloring; Decorative ribbon; Feathers; Glitter; Greenery
Step 1 - Create Paper Flowers

**Tissue Paper Flowers:**
- Select 3-4 sheets of any color tissue paper
- Lay flat and cut into a square
- Fan fold tissue paper about an inch wide
- Tie a ribbon around the middle of the folded tissue paper
- Carefully separate sheets of tissue paper
- Fluff your flower

**Coffee Filter Flowers:**
- Stack 5-6 coffee filters together
- Use washable markers (spray with water for a watercolor look) or watercolor paint to decorate your coffee filters
- Once dry, re-stack coffee filters and poke two holes in the center, about an inch apart
- Thread a piece of ribbon or string through the holes and tie a knot
- Separate and fluff your flower
Step 2 - Create Your Base

- Cut a 3-4 inch circle out of a paper plate or thin cardboard
- Cut two holes in the center of your circle, about an inch apart
- Slide a headband through the holes or use ribbon to tie the circle onto a hair clip
Step 3 - Assemble Your Fascinator

- Using the holes in the cardboard and string from your flower, attach the two together

Step 4 - Embellish your fascinator (optional)

- Use glue to add glitter, feathers, greenery... Get creative and add anything else you would like!