

## Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to create your own medieval-inspired artwork using simple materials.

## Materials and Prep

- Paper
- Pencils
- Markers or colored pencils
- Ruler
- Images of medieval art for inspiration (optional)

No prior knowledge needed, just a willingness to be creative!

## Activities

- Draw a medieval castle using simple shapes like squares and triangles. Add details like flags and towers.
- Create a coat of arms for yourself or your family. Include symbols that represent your interests or values.
- Design a stained glass window inspired by medieval cathedrals. Use bright colors and geometric shapes.

## Talking Points

- Medieval art was created during the Middle Ages, a time period from the 5th to the 15th century.
- *Artists in the medieval period often depicted religious scenes, knights, and royalty in their artwork.*
- Stained glass windows were a common feature in medieval churches and castles, using vibrant colors to tell stories to people who couldn't read.
- *Castles were not only fortresses but also served as homes for nobles and kings during medieval times.*