

**Title: Art of Brazil**

**Grade Level: K-5**

**Objective:** Members will use collage to create vibrant colorful artworks.



## Lesson Plan

**Materials:** scissors, glue stick, colored paper/construction paper, multimedia paper.

**Opening Activity:** The largest country in South America, Brazil is well known for its most famous, colorful and dynamic holiday: Carnival! Use attached page to have members review the color wheel. Distribute copies of the color wheel flower and crayons, have members color in the appropriate segments with the corresponding color crayon.

**Core Activity:**

- Members will be creating a multilayered abstract collage by cutting shapes from a variety of colored paper.
- Encourage students to fill the WHOLE page with their multi-colored shapes, and to layer colors on top of each other to demonstrate both depth and vibrance.

**Reflection:** As members help clean up the space, have them share: why did you choose the colors you used in your collage? Are they warm or cool colors, or did you use both warm and cool colors? What emotion do you feel when you look at your finished image?

