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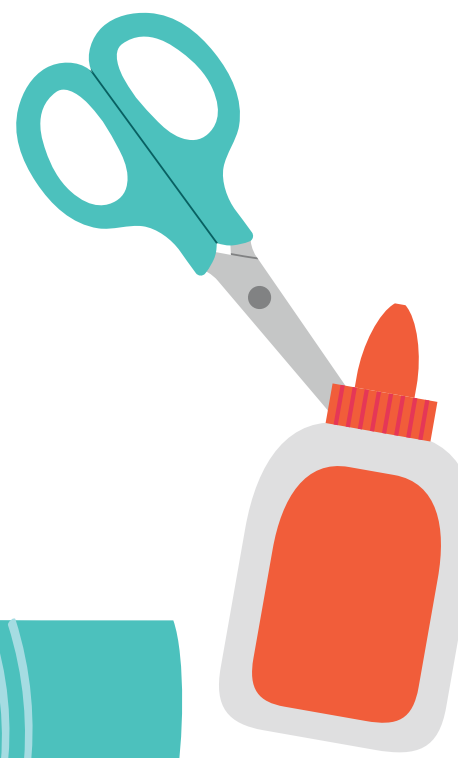
The Arts

ARTS PLUS+

LESSON

RIVER OF MARIPOSAS

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Integration Themes:

Art, Literature, Culture Relevancy, and Science

Summary:

A young girl dreams of when the land and sky were once filled with butterflies. Her story continues through her imagination and determination to bring back the butterflies, even if she has to draw, paint, cut, and glue them herself.

Materials:

Paper, cardstock or old manila file folders, scissors, markers or crayons, glue, assorted shiny bits, yarn, and pipe cleaner.

Directions:

1. Trace the butterfly template onto paper.
2. Cut out the butterfly.
3. Decorate with markers, crayons, or paint pens.
4. Glue trims and colorful bits.
5. Bend one pipe cleaner in half to make the butterfly's antennae and glue behind.



