**Leaf Prints**

**Materials**
- Paper
- Leaves
- Paint or Ink Pad
- Markers

**Step 1** Find some smooth, flat leaves (not too crunchy!)

**Step 2** Color all over the surface of the leaf with markers or paint, or press the leaf against an ink pad.

**Step 3** Press the colored side of the leaf down against the paper and gently press and rub all over the back of the leaf.

**Step 4** Combine different colors and shapes of leaves to make new patterns! What else can you make prints from?

**Step 5** Take photos of your new original artwork and tag any social media posts with #SGFParks and #SpringfieldArts

**Did you know?** Pattern is the repeating of an object or symbol all over the work of art.

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