PAPER QUILLING CUP COASTER

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS

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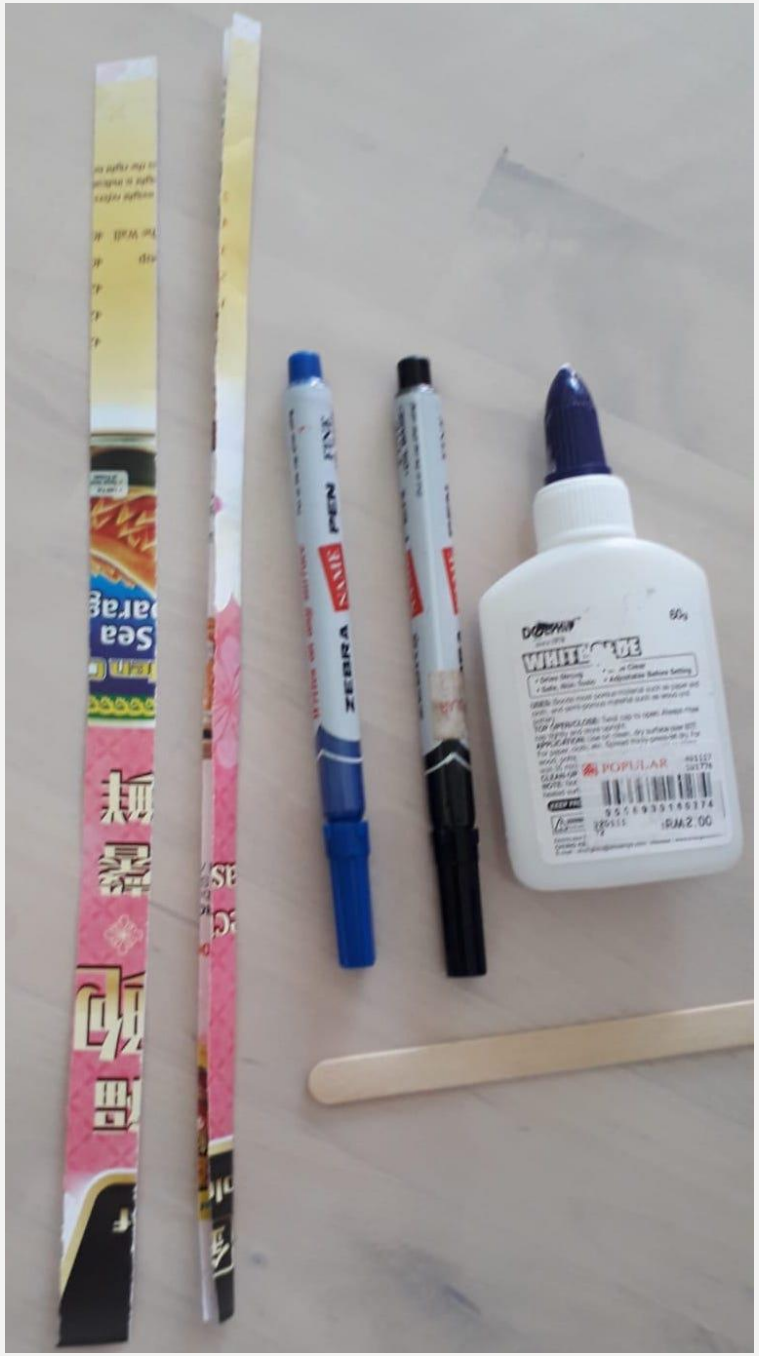

MATERIALS NEEDED

1. Paper Strips (from glossy magazines; you can use a ruler to tear the strips) Size 1.5cm x 30cm:
   - 8 strips for centrepiece
   - 9 strips for inner ring
   - 55 strips for outer ring

   Total number of strips: 72 (you can prepare more strips in case it breaks)

   Please prepare the strips and fold into half - lengthwise.
2. Bottle of Craft Glue (or any glue except liquid glue)
3. An Ice-Cream Stick (to apply the glue. You may use any small stick or apply directly)
4. A Cylindrical Rod (e.g. pencil or pen of about 1cm to 1.2cm in diameter)

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CUP COASTER

CENTERPIECE (x1)

INNER RINGS (x9)

OUTER RINGS (x9)

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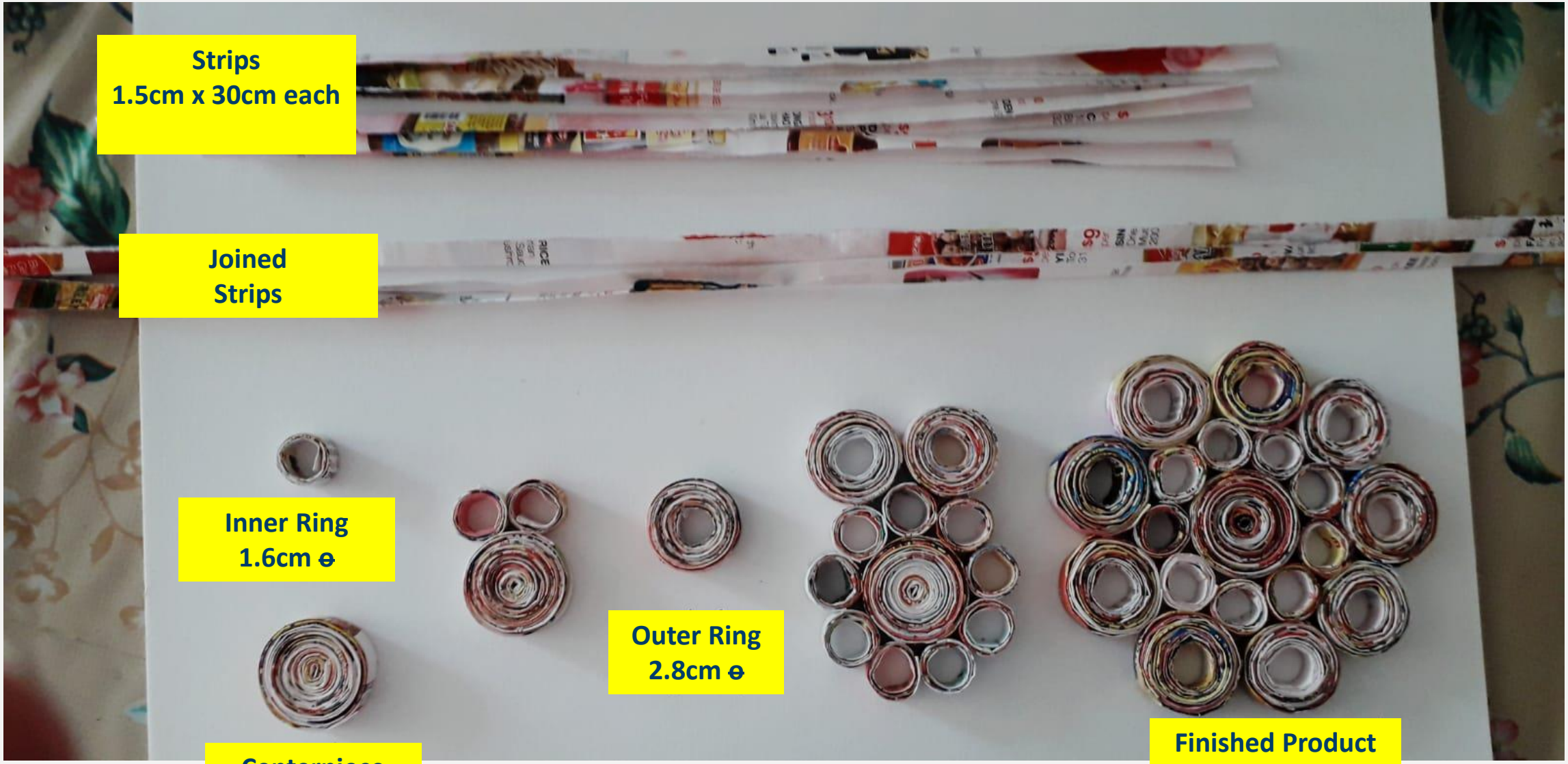

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STEP 1 OF 6: INNER RINGS

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STEP 1 OF 6 - INNER RINGS

1) Inner Ring - 1 (one) strip
2) Use pen to roll
3) Apply glue at the beginning and start rolling strip round the pen
4) After 3 rounds, apply some glue and remove strip from pen

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STEP 1 OF 6 - INNER RINGS

4) Give a little pull to tighten it and continue to roll
5) Put a bit of glue to seal the circle (Size: about 1.6 cm diameter)
6) Make total of 9 (nine) Inner Rings

STEP 2 OF 6: CENTERPIECE

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STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS
STEP 2 OF 6 - CENTERPIECE

1) Join 8 (eight) strips together to make 1 long strip for the Centerpiece
2) To join 2 strips – Apply some glue in between the fold, put in the other strip and press to hold. The joining will be about 1cm
3) Continue to join 8 strips together

Join 8 strips to make 1 long strip

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS
STEP 2 OF 6 - CENTERPIECE

4) Start rolling the long strip to be tight and snug
5) Tighten as you roll along. If it's loose, give it a little tug and pull
6) Check the tightness as you roll along
7) Finish and glue the end. It will look like a lollipop

Centerpiece
3cm ø

STEP 3 OF 6: JOIN INNER RINGS TO CENTERPIECE

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STEP 3 OF 6 - JOIN INNER RINGS TO CENTERPIECE

1) Join the Inner Rings to the Centerpiece
2) Join to the Centerpiece as well as next to each other
3) Apply glue to the Inner Ring and glue to the Centerpiece
4) Ensure it's all the same nice sides

(Nice side = folded, crude side = edges)

Join Inner Rings to Centerpiece

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS
STEP 3 OF 6 - JOIN INNER RINGS TO CENTERPIECE

5) Apply glue on second Inner Ring and apply glue to previous Inner Ring.
6) Glue together to the neighbouring ring and Centerpiece
7) Finish gluing all 9 (nine) Inner Rings to the Centerpiece

Join Inner Rings to Centerpiece

STEP 4 OF 6: OUTER RINGS

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STEP 4 OF 6 - OUTER RINGS

1) Join 6 (six) strips to 1 long strip for Outer Ring
2) Join the strips together - See joining method for Centerpiece
3) Roll the long strip – Method like the Inner Rings
4) Use the same pen and roll

Join 6 strips to make 1 long strip

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS
STEP 4 OF 6 - OUTER RINGS

5) First roll apply glue, then roll 3 rounds and remove from the pen
6) Continue rolling and tighten the circle, roll and tug until end of strip
7) Apply glue to inner fold and outer fold to seal the ring
8) Make a total of 9 (Nine) Outer Rings

Outer Ring
2.8cm ø each
Make 9 Outer Rings

STEP 5 OF 6: JOIN OUTER RINGS TO INNER RINGS

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STEP 5 OF 6 - JOIN OUTER RINGS TO INNER RINGS

1) Glue the Outer Rings to the Inner Rings
2) Place the Outer Ring between 2 (Two) Inner Rings
3) Make sure the nice sides are on the same side
4) Wait for the glue to dry before you glue the next Outer Ring

Join Outer Rings to Inner Rings

STEP 6 OF 6: FINISHING THE COASTER

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STEP 6 OF 6 - FINISHING THE COASTER

1) Take your time to complete coaster
2) Enjoy the process (1-2 hours leisure time)
3) Once all the Outer Rings are joined to the Inner Rings, apply a layer of glue over the nice front side to seal the whole coaster together
4) Leave to dry and use for your favourite coffee or tea cup!

Layer of glue to seal the coaster

PAPER QUILLING CRAFT WORK COMPLETED CUP COASTER

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PAPER QUILLING - OTHER EXAMPLES

Framed Art Piece

Done by Elderly at RC

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