Toucan Collage - Grades 4-6

Supplies: Printer, White Paper, a colored sheet of paper (card stock would be best), a piece of scrap paper to practice patterns on black marker, markers, colored pencils or crayons, scissors and a glue stick.

Here is a great short educational video about toucans you can show your students before this activity: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9QbyE4iPGYU

- 1- Print a copy of page 2 (The toucan) on white paper
- 2- Cut out each section to use as a pattern for your toucan

3- Number starting at the bottom of the toucan each section you see like page 3 lightly in pencil on the back side of each piece

4- Look at the pattern options on page 4 and practice making them on scrap paper

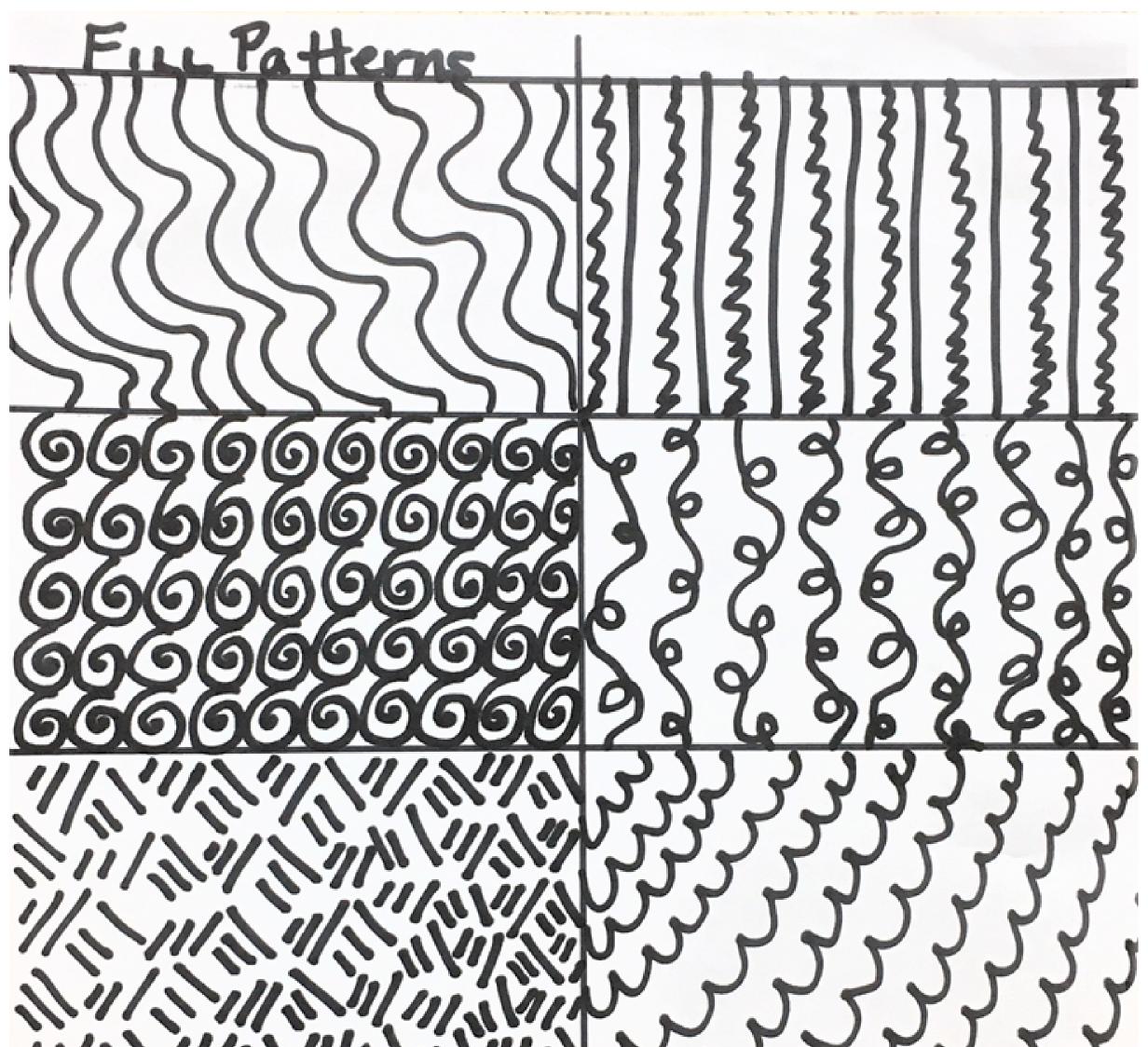
5- Using black marker, add a different pattern in each section of the toucan except #1 and #4 (See page 5 for directions on how to make Sections #1 and #5 work. Eyes and Feet)

- 6- Add colors to each section of your toucan with colored pencil, marker, or crayon
- 7- Add glue with your glue stick to your background colored paper (it is heavier and won't tear) in the areas you will be laying the sections of the toucan
- Then, one at a time, lay down your 5 pieces from bottom to top (1-5) on the glue. Rub each piece to make it stick. Add more glue if it dries up. (Display the picture on page 3 if the students forget how the sections of the toucan line up)





Number your pieces 1-5 starting at the bottom- lightly with pencil!





Special Directions for Sections #1 and #4

Section #1 – The Feet:

1- Using black marker, add a pattern to the log.

2- Using black marker, make the same pattern you used on Section #3 (the wing) on the left side behind the left foot- this is the back of the other wing.

3- Fill in between the back of the wing and the right leg with black marker.

4- Color the log, feet, and wing section.

Section #4 – The Head:

1- Color around the little black Pacman shape in the center of the eye any color you want.

2- Color around the eye black.

3- Using black marker, make a pattern on the rest of the head.

4- Color it one color so that it contrasts with your very colorful body, beak, and wings.



Hope you had fun with this colorful Toucan!