Home Activity - Andy Warhol

Flowers

Materials
- A large piece of white paper
- Several sheets of printer paper
- Scissors
- Pencil
- Green tempera paint
- Paper plate for a paint palette
- Sponge
- Oil Pastels or wax crayons in a range of colors

Artist Link
Andy Warhol - Flowers 1964
https://www.moma.org/collection/works/71491

Preparation for Activity
- Cover table surface
- Add water to the green paint to allow it to transfer from the sponge onto the paper.

Instructions
1. Fold 3 pieces of printer paper in half and then in quarters. Make a dot in the middle corner and draw petal shapes around this from one side to the other.
2. Cut along these lines and open the paper to make a flower shape.
3. Arrange the flower shapes on the large piece of paper.
4. Using the sponge dipped in the green paint, pat around the flower shapes covering the edges and background of the large paper with color.
5. Remove the flowers to reveal the white negative shapes below.
6. Using oil pastels or crayons add colors to the flowers and details like leaves and grass to your picture.