

# Title: Matisse-Inspired Bowl

Age Group: School Age

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Type of Activity: Art

## Materials:

- Closable container
- Measuring cup
- Paintbrush\*
- PVA Glue\*\*
- Water
- Bowl
- Cellophane wrap
- Coloured Paper
- Marker for drawing\*\*\*
- Scissors

\*If you do not have a paintbrush you can use a gloved finger

\*\*If you do not have glue you can mix 1½ cups of flour, 1 cup of water, 1/3 cup of sugar, 1 tsp of vinegar together to make Mod Podge

\*\*\*You can find images to cut out by seeing the attached sheet or by googling "Matisse Printable Shapes"

## How to Do it:

- Pour 1 cup of liquid glue and 1/3 cup of water into the closable container, close the lid and shake.
- Draw and cut organic shapes out of coloured paper.
- Flip the bowl upside down and cover with cellophane.
- Place each cut-out (dry side down) on top of cellophane and spread glue on top of each shape one-by-one.
- When the bowl is covered in shapes and lathered in glue, allow to dry.
- Once dry, lift the paper bowl off of the metal bowl.
- Carefully peel cellophane out from inside of bowl.
- Cut the edges from rim of bowl and spread a layer of glue inside the bowl.

## Root Skill / Extension:

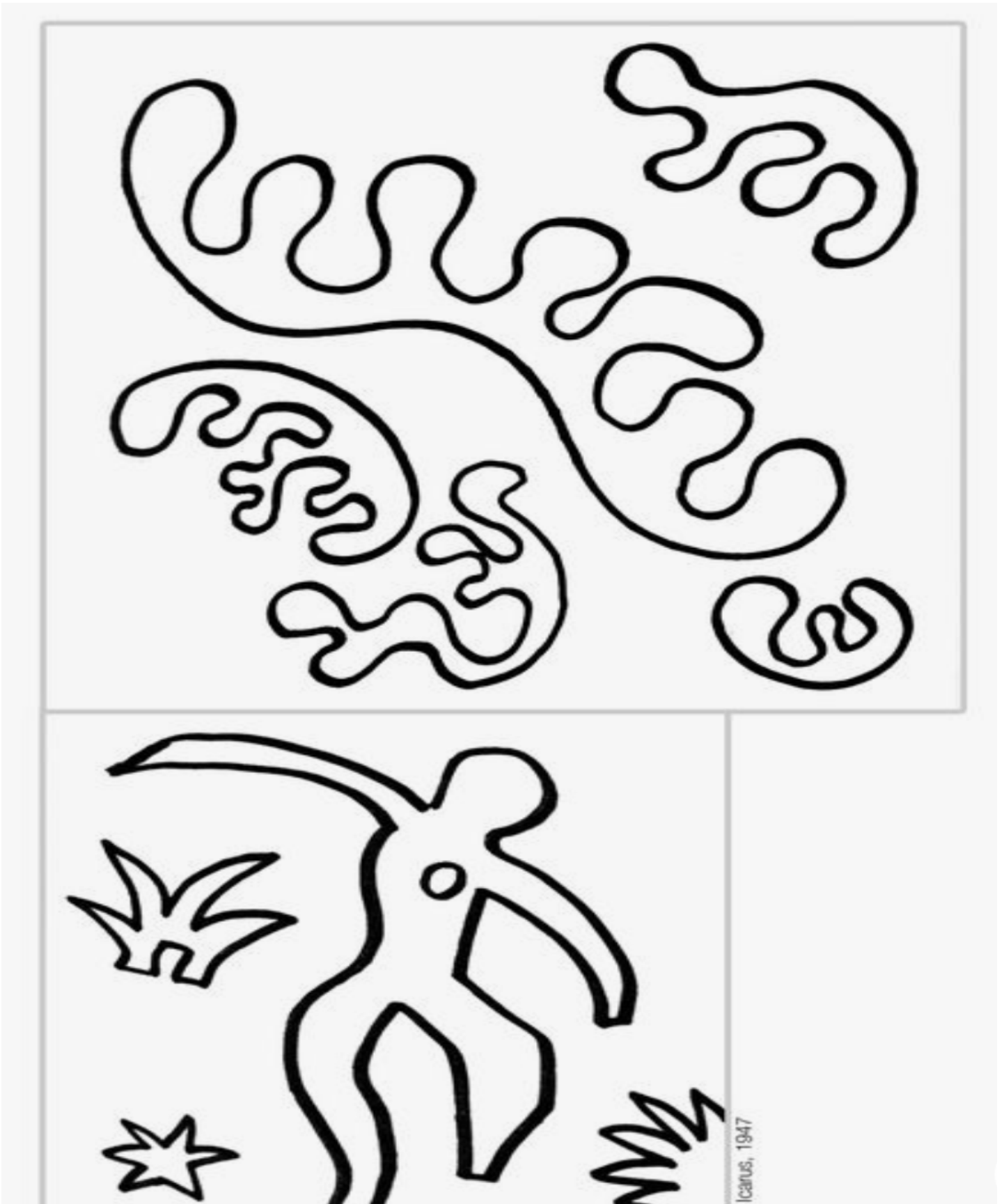
Emotion: 2.2

Art is a positive outlet for children to recognise and express their emotions. To extend learning and find an art style that resonates with your child, try experimenting with Haida Art, Abstract, Gond Art, Cubism, Ukiyo-e, Pointillism or Graffiti.

You can learn about the artist, Henri Matisse, and see some of his work by visiting:

<https://www.moma.org/interactives/exhibitions/2014/matisse/>

See below for some sample Matisse shapes:



From <http://acfm.tk/matisse-cutouts-for-kids/>

