

Ann's Creative Corner

Project #656: Magazine plus Drawing Collage!

- Gather some magazines, catalogues, and calendars to see if you can find some people's pictures.
- Cut out and around the pictures.
- For young children and toddlers, use small pictures that they can cut more easily as large pieces of paper are difficult for them to hold and control.
- Younger children may do well by cutting the general shape of the picture with the details.
- They may also choose to snip the photo apart so in this case, maybe they can use the pieces and possibly add them together in a collage.
- Collage could also be done by giving the children various pieces such as the head, body, arms, legs etc. to piece together onto a collage paper.
- Add pets to the collage if the child likes pets.
- Draw your own people as part of the poster.

Activity: Practice snipping with scissors. Young children may start to learn to cut with scissors by simple short snipping of smaller pieces of paper such as a short strip of paper. If the paper is fairly firm such as construction paper it may be easier to control and hold. Or white paper in small pieces. Check to see which hand the child prefers as they may be right or left handed or may use both....

