

# LEARNING WITH GRANDAD

## Pattern exercise



In episode 2, Siphon and Grandad visit a heritage house furnished with South Asian South Asian inspired textiles and design. **Do you remember which empire introduced carpet weaving to India?**

Artisans during the reign of King Akbar took inspirations from nature, animals and florals to create patterns when they were weaving carpets. The carpets were made from huge amounts of luxurious materials such as silk and thread wrapped in metal. They covered the floors and/or walls in the royal court, mosques, temples and cathedrals.

You will be creating patterns of your very own that you can hang up in your bedroom wall or gift to family and friends. What you will need is plain and colour papers, scissors, soft oil pastels, liquid glue, hole punch and a sponge dabber. You can choose 3 patterns or more if you are up for a challenge.



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