

## Chihuly Inspired Kids Art Project Chandeliers, 1st - 5<sup>th</sup> Grades

*(PreK & Kindergarten have different instructions)*

**To become part of a larger school-wide community art installation for Kiva.** This project is part of the 2013/2014 MAP program and needs to be one of the projects in your class/grade's MAP curriculum during this school year.

### Supply List:

water bottles (1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> grades)  
plastic milk jugs (4<sup>th</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grades)

tempera paint  
modge podge (50/50 ratio with paint)  
long paint brushes

scissors  
magnets  
gorilla glue

Hair dryer (adults/map volunteers to use only)

(2 water bottles per child)

### Directions:

1. Cut bottom off of water bottles.
2. Mix paint and modge podge - 50/50 ratio
3. Using long brush paint inside of bottle using one color for each bottle. Let dry overnight.
4. Starting at the base of open water bottle, cut in an upward spiral motion stopping just short of the lid.
5. Using 2 adults, each pull a side of the bottle until reach desired spiral shape. Use hairdryer to heat the spiral parts slightly starting to melt the plastic. Let cool. Plastic should at this point hold its shape.
6. Place plastic magnet on lid of bottle using Gorilla glue. Place lid back on bottle.

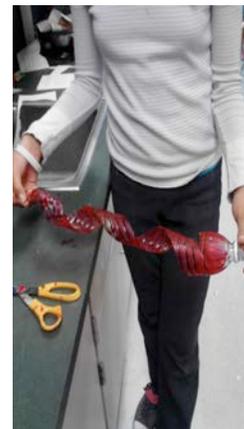
Have a great time!!

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## Information to assist you with teaching the kids about Artist Dale Chihuly

Dale Chihuly is an American [glass sculptor](#) and entrepreneur. His works are considered unique to the field of blown glass, moving it into the realm of large-scale sculpture. The technical difficulties of working with glass forms are considerable, yet Chihuly uses it as the primary medium for installations and environmental artwork. Below are just a FEW of his beautiful glass project installations.

<http://www.chihuly.com/>

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dale chihuly with his work  
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