

# Sunflowers

Make sunflowers from cupcake paper liners - or coffee filters.

**Needed:** cupcake paper liners or coffee filters  
large green pipe cleaners or large craft sticks -for stems  
green paper - for leaves  
green paint (optional)  
large plastic or paper cup, or empty can - for container  
play dough or salt dough to put flowers in  
brown pom pom or paint  
tape or glue

Flatten the cupcake liner. Add brown paint or glue brown pom pom in the center. Tape the pipe cleaner or large craft stick to the back for a stem. ( A craft stick works better for younger children.) Cut leaves out of green paper and attach to stem. Put play dough or salt dough in the bottom of a cup or can and plant the flower stick into it.

*Variation:* Paint the craft stick green or add a ribbon to the cup.

*You can leave these just as flowers or put them in a vase.*