

Primary School Learning Activities
Standard Four
FOCUS: PORTFOLIO FOLDER MAKING

Content	Activities	Possible Tools and materials needed
<i>Demonstrate ways to solve problems through the use of the elements and principles of design.</i>	<p>Understand the term portfolio</p> <p>Create a portfolio folder for ART works</p>	<p>Either a paper folder Or 1 sheet of Bristol board or cardboard Glue or string or masking tape</p> <p>Paint, colour pencils etc</p>

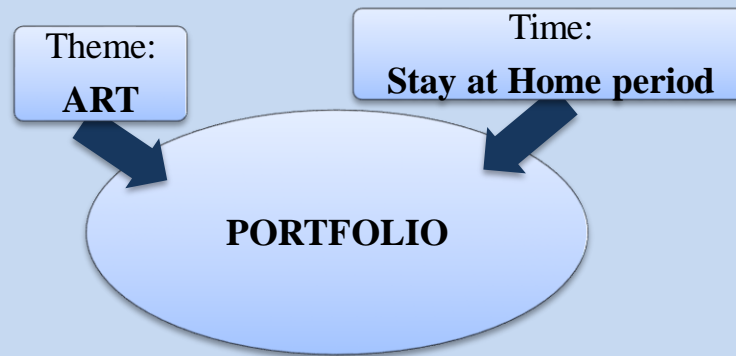
Activities:

What is a portfolio ?

- Definition: A portfolio is a collection of **DIFFERENT works** on a specific **topic or theme** over a period of time.

During this STAY at home period, you are expected to make an ART PORTFOLIO

Your ART works is the **theme** for this portfolio, meaning your works of ART.
The **time** is during the Stay at Home period.

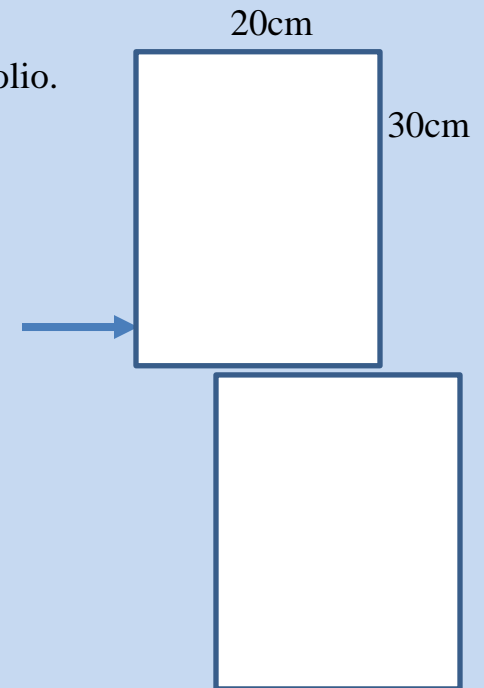


- For this activity, you are going to make the **FOLDER** for your art portfolio.

You can **either** make your folder and then decorate it.

To make folder:

- Get either Bristol board or an old cardboard box.
- Use your ruler and make two rectangles 20 cm x 30 cm EACH.
- Using a scissors, cut out the rectangles.
They are now the **front and back covers** of the folder
- Place the two covers on top of each other and
- join or fasten the covers on the left side
(you can use tape, glue or string)



Or you can reuse an old paper folder.

- Decorating your folder- Whether you made the folder or you are recycling an old paper folder, you are going to decorate it!

Your folder should be labelled – MY ART PORTFOLIO to the top on the front cover.

You can either **write your letters in using your handwriting** or you can **cut out letters from old newspapers**.

Examples of cut
out letters



At the lower right side of the front cover, write your name CLEARLY.

Finally, you are ready to decorate!

You can colour using paint, colour pencils or crayons.

You can also decorate by using strings, buttons, cut-out shapes, pieces of fabric.

Have fun!



Examples of portfolios folders



When you are finished, you are expected to fill your portfolio with all the ART work you completed during the Stay at Home period.

Write your experience in completing this activity in your art journal.



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<http://blog.consumercrafts.com/craft-basics-main/diy-art-portfolio-corrugate/>