**Shapes and Colors: Extender Lesson**

**Lesson Plan Title:** Leaf Collage

**Concept / Topic To Teach:** Introduction of basic shapes and colors

**Standards Addressed:** Early Learning Expectation: Children show how they feel, what they think, and what they are learning through experiences in the visual arts. [HSCOF-CD 5.2.1, 5.2.2]

**General Goal:** The students will gain familiarity with a variety of colors and shapes.

**Specific Objectives:** The students will demonstrate their knowledge of shapes and colors through identification using Intaglio Sketchpad and their leaf collage.

**Required Materials:** The teacher can prepare for the lesson by bringing in contact paper (two sheets for each child), an iron, and multiple sheets of different colored tissue paper (which should be cut into different shapes). The children will also need to collect leaves.

Students will need to have access to an ipad as we will be using the Intaglio Sketchpad Lite App as an informal assessment**.**

**Anticipatory Set (Lead-In):** Read the book Fall Leaves Fall! By Zoe Hall, and prompt the students to search for different colors and shapes on each page. While reading the book, stop periodically to emphasize different colors and shapes through discussion questions. For example: What is your favorite color on this page? What shapes do you notice here?

**Step-By-Step Procedures:** Bring the children outside. Ask them to collect orange, red, and yellow leaves. Once each child has collected five leaves, the students can line up and return to the classroom. The children will also choose 5 pieces of tissue paper for their collage. The students will then arrange the leaves and tissue paper on a sheet of contact paper. The teacher will iron the two sheets of contact paper together and hang the leaf collages around the classroom.

**- Closure (Reflect Anticipatory Set):** Refer to the book; ask them if the leaves that they found look like the ones that they read about? What are the similarities between the illustrations and the real leaves? What other shape and color combinations could they create?

**- Assessment Based on Objectives:** Intaglio Sketchpad provides a full set of drawing tools and capabilities. Students will be able to draw and select a graphic, rotate, edit, and color these shapes. I will ask the students to create 5 shapes and fill these shapes in with 5 colors of their choosing. They will then be asked to identify both the color and the shape that they created.

**- Possible Connections to Other Subjects:** A science connection—nature (leaves and trees) and seasons, and connection to technology.