If I Were a Little Flower   (Unknown author)
If I were a little flower, sleeping underneath the ground, (Curl up)
I'd raise my head and grow and grow (Raise head and begin to grow)
And stretch my arms and grow and grow (Stretch arms)
And nod my head and say, (Nod head) "I'm glad to see you all today.

Now create a beautiful, Spring flower to hang in the house or share with one of your favorite people.

1-Make two circles on white paper. One circle can be a bit smaller. Draw 3 evenly spaced "X's" across one circle. One another paper draw 8 flower petals with one end pointed. You can add lines to the petals and color various colors or make them all one color. Draw 8 more smaller petals and color them also. Cut them out and glue 8 larger petals on the outer edge of 4 of the lines on the circle. Layer the next 4 larger petals on the remaining 4 lines.

2-The smaller petals can be added in the same way or make them stand out by making a small notch at the bottom and folding the bottom in when it is glued to the circle. Roll the opposite ends on a crayon or pencil to curl the petal. When you have added all the petals, color and glue the smaller circle in the middle of the flower, and covering the petal ends. Add beads or dots for the center of the flower or leaves to the edges. Make a hole at the top and add a string. Hang it up to enjoy while acting out your flower poem.   Enjoy making art and sharing art!

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