## Kusama Pumpkin

### Materials:
- Construction paper
- Copy paper
- Scissors
- Ruler
- Pencil
- Glue
- Markers
- Hole punch
- Chenille straw

### Optional Materials:
- Black Paint
- Brass Fasteners
- Stapler

### Instructions:
- Measure and cut out nine strips of paper (1 inch X 12 inches).
- Gather all the strips together and use a hole punch to put holes on both ends of the paper. (Disregard this step if you don’t have a hole punch).
- Use markers to add dots to the strips of paper. You can add all black dots or multi-color dots if you want too!
- Another option for adding dots is to use paint. You can even use your thumbprint to make dots!
- If you don’t have a hole punch, but have finished adding dots: Spread the strips upside down so that one end of each strip touched the others at a middle point. Glue or staple these ends together. Curve the strips of paper to meet together at the other end and glue or staple together.
- If you do have a hole punch, layer decorated strips of paper on top of each other, so that the dots face you.
- Add two small lengths of chenille straw or brass fasteners through the holes at the top and bottom of the strips of paper.
- Lightly spread the strips away from each other until a sphere shape is formed.
- Cut out and glue a curly stem and leaves for the top of your pumpkin.
- Now you have a Yayoi Kusama-inspired sculptural pumpkin!