

# HOW TO MAKE A POPPY FROM A PLASTIC BOTTLE

## You will need :-

An empty clear fizzy drinks bottle with a base that looks like the picture – any size is suitable

Scissors

Red acrylic paint

Black acrylic paint or a black

Sharpie/permanent marker



**Step 1** – Cut the top of the bottle away until it looks like this.



**Step 2** – Create petals by cutting curves that follow the shape of the bottle. Cut the curves from the flat edge to the point in the dimple.



**Step 3** – Trim any rough edges for the final poppy shape

**Step 4** – Paint the inside of the poppy with a thick coat red acrylic paint and leave to dry. Add a black centre.



Please send any suitable empty drinks bottles or finished poppies to Mark at 16 New Walk.