This lampshade is made from hundreds of pieces of glass that have been cut out and then stuck back together using metal. The lampshade is decorated with dragonflies. Have you ever seen a dragonfly? Their wings and bodies can look iridescent, which means they look like they change color in the light. It may have inspired the designer to use dragonflies in this design!

Imagine this lamp came to life. How might the dragonflies buzz around the room?

Use old magazines or catalogs to cut out different colors of paper. Glue the pieces onto a blank sheet of paper in a new shape like this artist did with glass. Use a black marker to create the lines where the glass is put together.
Tiffany Studios (American, 1902–1932), Clara Driscoll (shade) (American, 1861–1944),
Dragonfly Library Lamp, ca. 1905, Leaded glass with bronze base,
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