## MEET THE ARTIST: SOPHIE TAEUBER-ARP

## **Zoé Whitley and Lesley Barnes**

A successful Swiss artist, Sophie Taeuber-Arp was also a dancer, designer, puppet-maker, architect and editor. She was a pioneer of modern art: for her, abstraction was more than just an idea – it was her way of life.

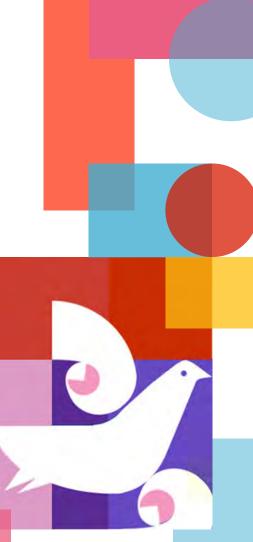
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Be guided through Taeuber-Arp's world by Zoé Whitley and Lesley Barnes, and make, design and experiment along the way!

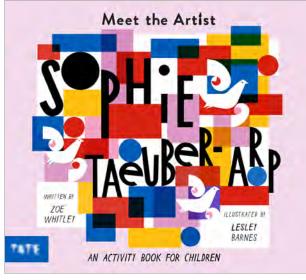
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