Flower Cupcake Decorating with Candyland Crafts

Ingredients you will need:
1. Pre-baked cupcakes, either homemade, from a mix, or store-bought
2. Buttercream frosting (see buttercream recipe below)

Supplies you will need:
1. 7 pastry bags (12-inch, disposable)
3. Gel coloring: pink, green, yellow and purple
4. 2 Pipettes

Buttercream recipe:
2 sticks (8 ounces) unsalted butter, at room temperature
1 pound confectioners' sugar
Pinch fine salt
2 teaspoons vanilla extract
1 to 2 tablespoons milk

Directions: In a large mixer bowl with a paddle attachment, combine the butter, sugar, and salt until smooth. Slowly add vanilla extract and increase the mixer speed until combined. Slowly add milk to mixture and mix until smooth. Use immediately or refrigerate for up to five days.