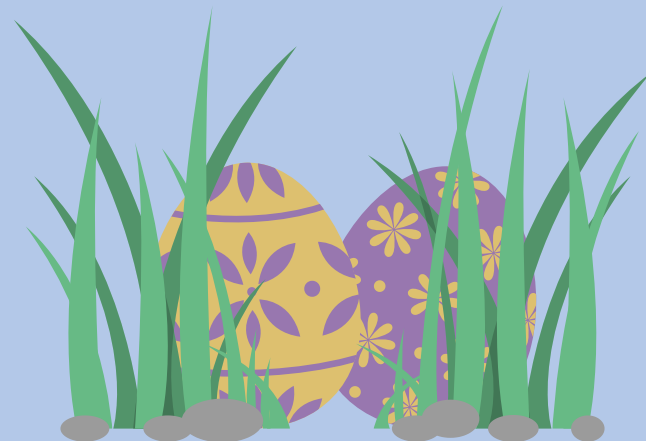


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SPRING KIDS ACTIVITY PACK

Let your imagination loose and get creative at home this Easter!



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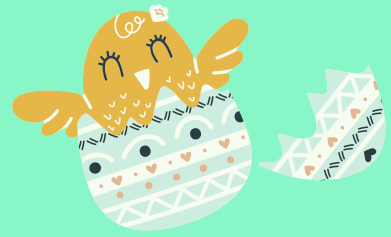


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Lets get Creative!



Get Creative at home and let your imagination loose with our Spring Kids Activity Pack! You can use your activity pack alone or with your family for hours of creative fun! Simply print off the pack and enjoy!

Inside the pack you will find lots of different creative activities including:

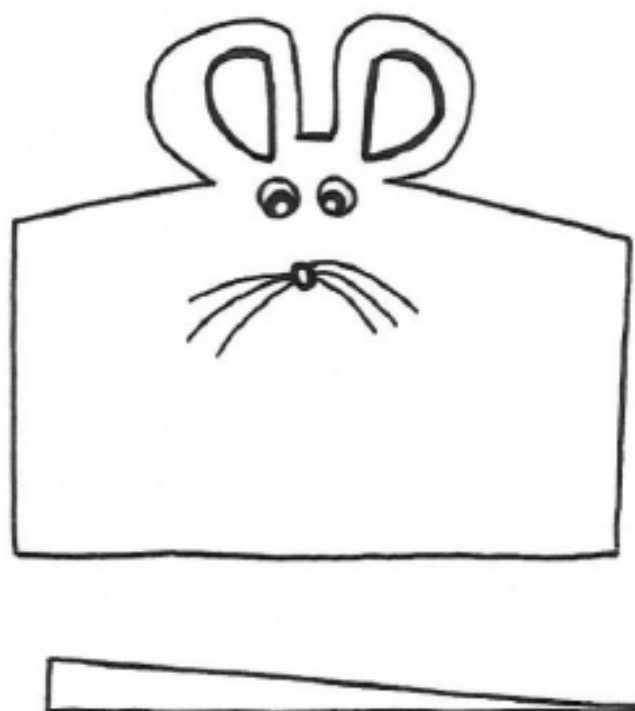
- Make a Little Finger Mouse in a House
- Easter Mobile
- Make a Pop up Flower and Bee
- Shadow Animals
- Cardboard Tube Bunnies
- Rockin' Chickens
- Sock Bunny
- Thumbprint Easter Cards

Thank you to our wonderful artists who created the fab art ideas for the pack includingy, Karen Torley and Linda Mullholland.

Share your creativity with us and send in pictures of anything you make to esther.alleyne@casuewaycoastandglens.gov.uk and we'll share them on our social media pages!

Make a little Finger Mouse in a House

Print, colour
and cut me out



Make and stick on a tail cut from
paper

Now make me a
house and some
new friend's

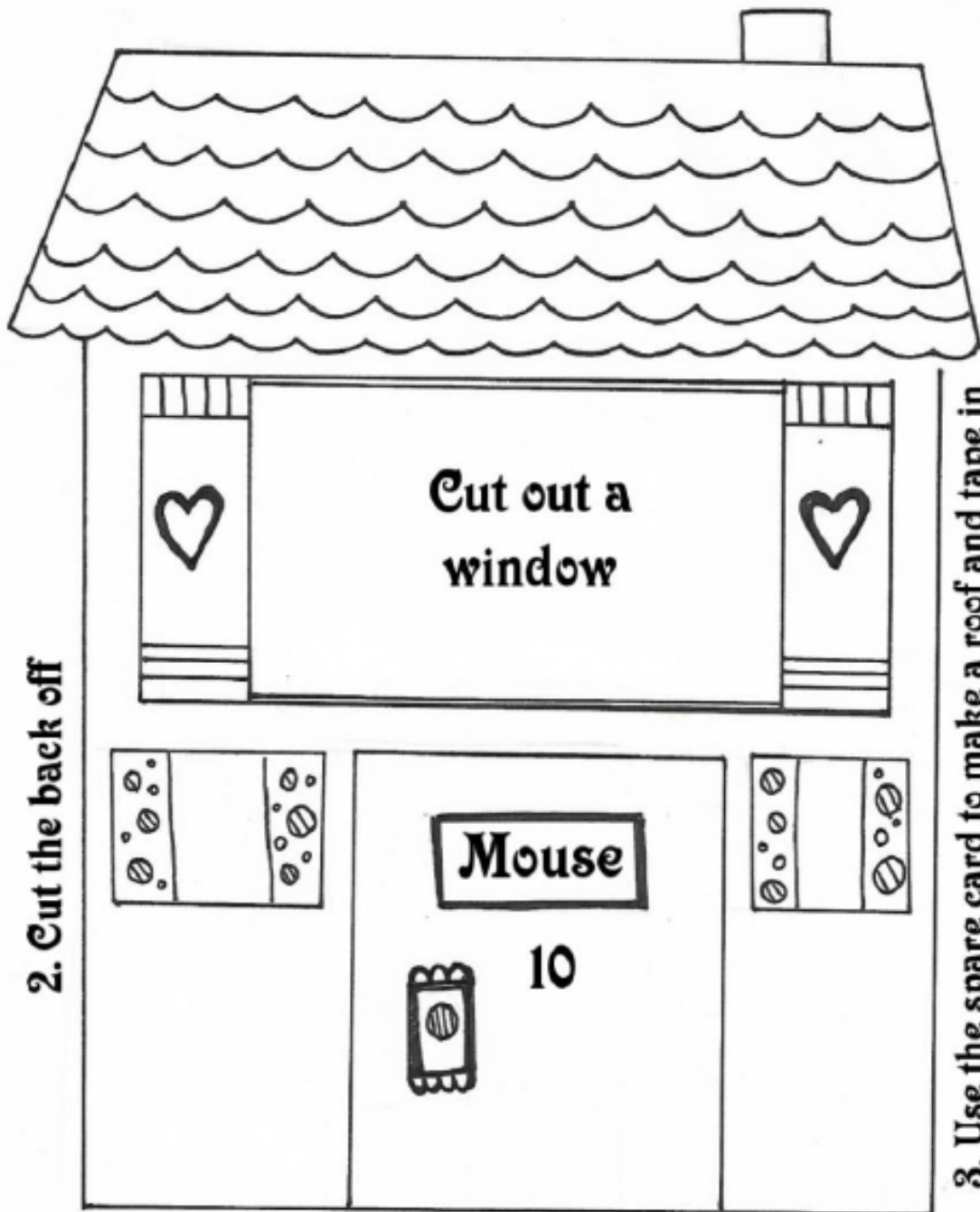
Glue or
tape me
together
like this



Pop
me on
you
Finger

Make a Little Mouse House

1. Use an old cereal or shoe box



2. Cut the back off

Cut out a
window

Mouse

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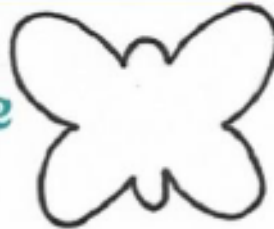
3. Use the spare card to make a roof and tape in
place

Easter Mobile

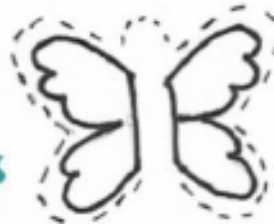
You Will need-

Sticks
Card
string
paint
white Glue
Paint
Tape
Scissors

Draw and cut the outside shape



Draw and Cut the inside shapes

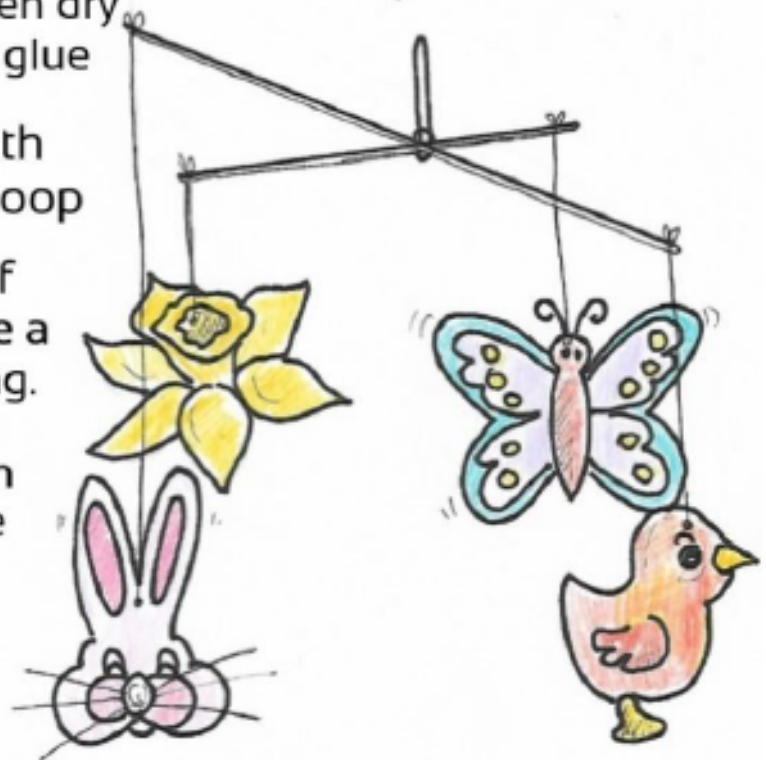


Stick together with Glue

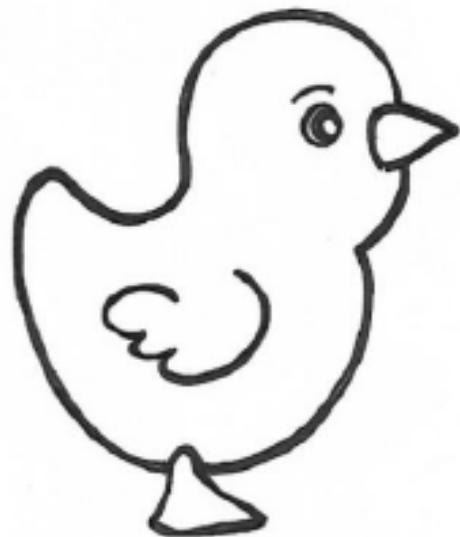
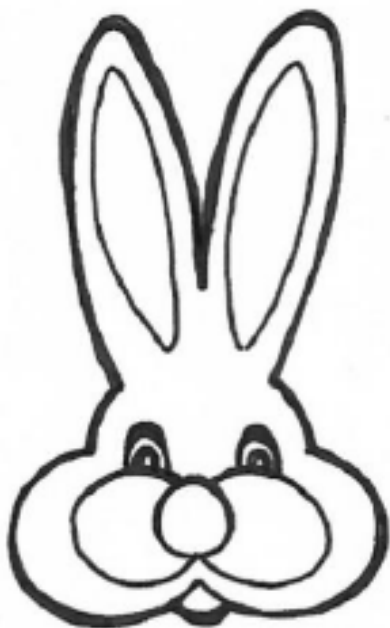
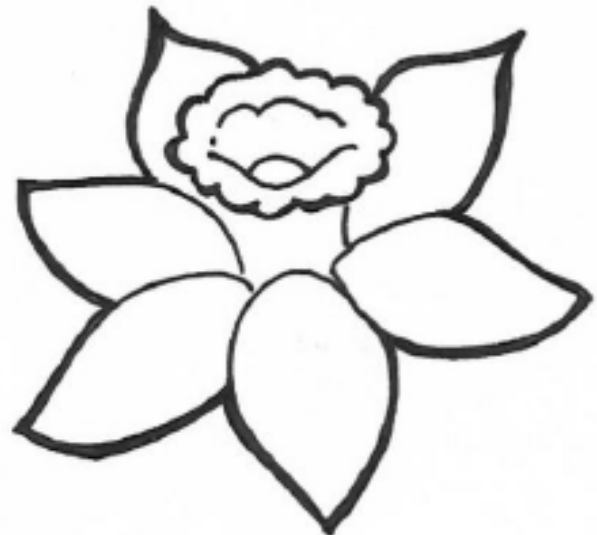
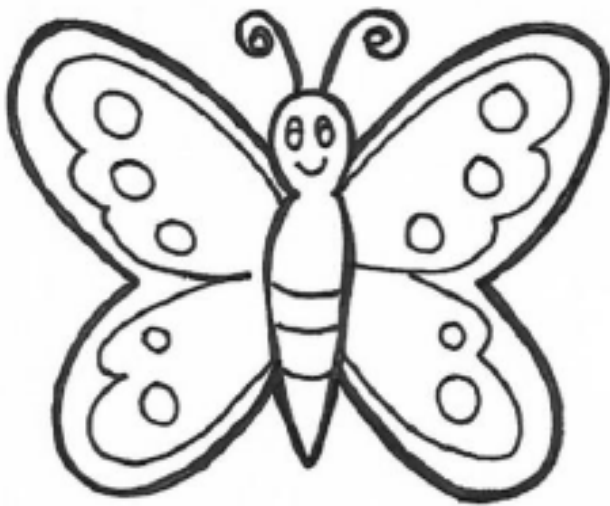


Check out page 2 for cut out shapes

1. Paint each picture and when dry cover with a coat of white glue
2. Tie sticks together with string leaving a hanging loop
3. Pierce hole in the top of each picture, thread and tie a knot leaving the string long.
4. Tie string to edges of each stick and secure with a little glue or tape
5. Hang and enjoy!



**Cut out and draw around
onto cardboard**



**Cut out the inside shapes separate to
glue on, this will make your picture 3D**

POP UP Flower Friend and Buzzy Bee



You will need-

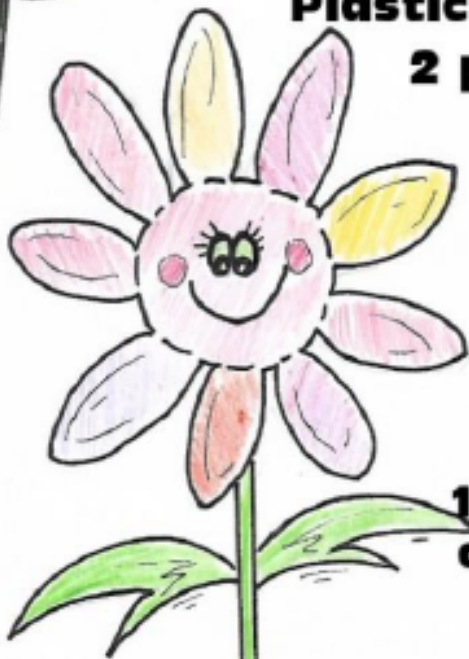
Plastic plant pot or yougart pot

2 pea Stick's or Straws

Tape

Card

Paint or pens



1. Draw the Flower and Bee on to Card, colour and cut out

2. Stick the Flower and Bee on the sticks using tape



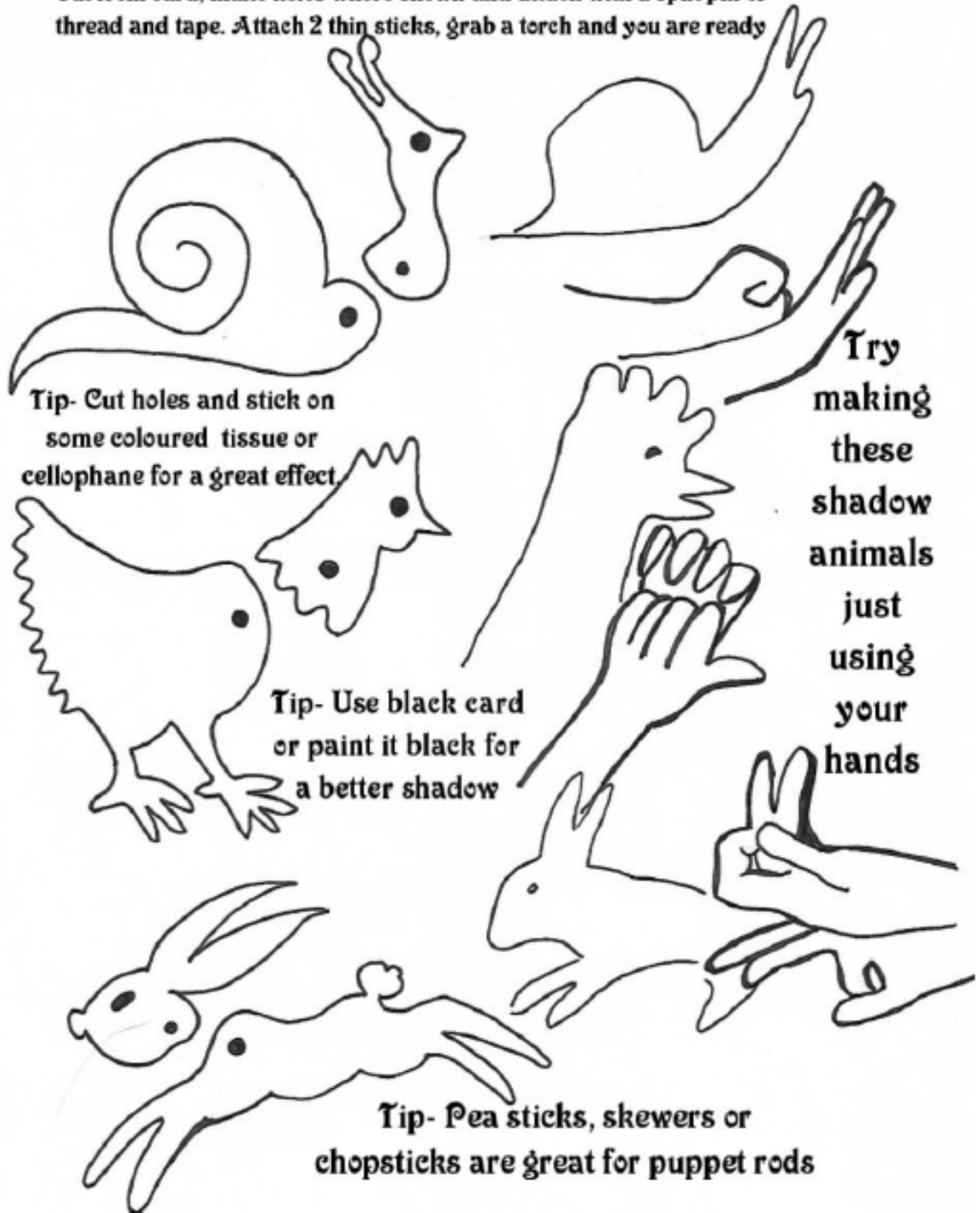
Colour both sides of the card

Make the leaves from paper so they move when your flower pops up

Get a friend to be the Bee, can the Bee land on the Flower before it pops back down

Shadow Animals

Cut from card, make holes where shown and attach with a split pin or thread and tape. Attach 2 thin sticks, grab a torch and you are ready



Tip- Cut holes and stick on some coloured tissue or cellophane for a great effect.

Tip- Use black card or paint it black for a better shadow

Try making these shadow animals just using your hands

Tip- Pea sticks, skewers or chopsticks are great for puppet rods



Cardboard Tube Bunnies

You will need: Toilet roll tubes, paint, pva glue/glue stick, googly eyes, coloured card/paper, markers, wool/string/ribbon/fabric strips, buttons/pompoms

1. Paint the cardboard tubes any colour of your choice and allow to dry.
2. Make the ears... cut 2 long ear shapes and 2 smaller ear shapes. Glue the small 'ears' to the larger shape. Glue these to the inside of the top of your tube.
3. Make the face... glue on googly eyes, a nose -(a button, circle of card, pompom) and draw on some whiskers.
4. Decorate your bunny's body...
 - ... add an oval piece of card or paper for a tummy,
 - ... paint some glue on the tube and wrap some wool
 - ... add a bow ... ribbon/wool or a card bowtie.
5. Add a pompom , cotton wool ball or scrunched tissue paper to make a tail and glue on the back.



TIP: No googly eyes? Draw eyes on card/paper and cut them out or just draw eyes on to the bunny.
If you don't have coloured or patterned card/paper why not design your own?

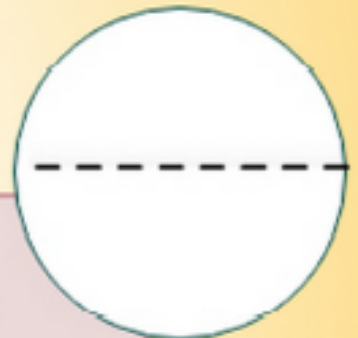


Rockin' Chickens

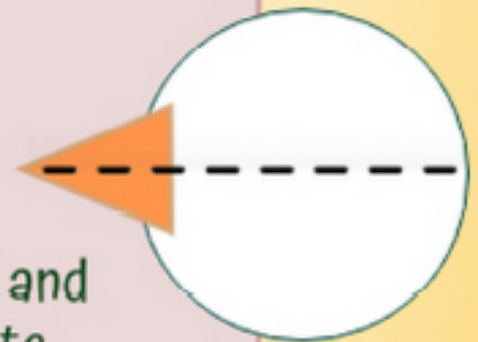


You will need: Paper plate, or circle of card, paint, pva glue, googly eyes, feathers, orange card

1. Fold the paper plate in half and open out flat again. (this will make it easier to fold your chicken after you have painted the plate)



2. Paint the paper plate. Allow to dry.



3. Make a beak. Cut a triangle of orange card and fold in half. Glue to the inside of the paper plate, lining up the fold marks on the beak and plate.



4. Glue on googly eyes, feathers for wings and a tail and your chicken is ready to rock!



Why not make a lots of different coloured chickens?



Sock Bunny

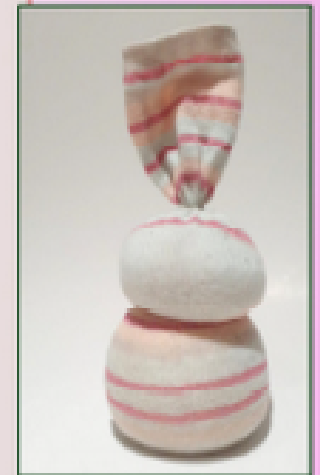


You will need: a sock (plain, stripey, fluffy), rice, pva glue, googly eyes, marker, small elastic bands, ribbon/string/fabric strips/buttons, pompoms/cotton ball

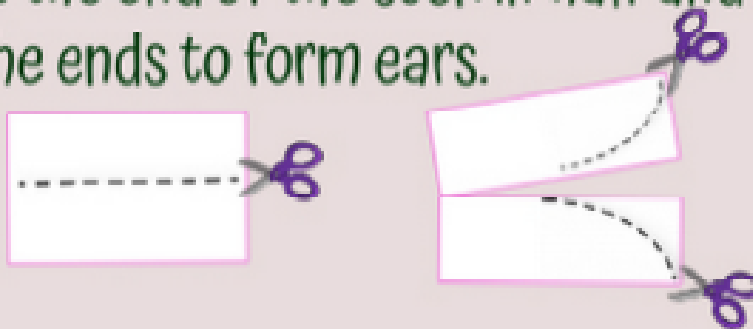
1. Fill your sock to about half-full with the rice to make the body. Shake the rice down into the sock and tie off with an elastic band.



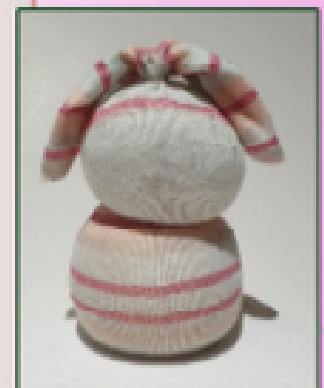
2. Fill half of the remaining sock to form the head and tie with an elastic band.



3. Cut the end of the sock in half and round off the ends to form ears.



4. Add a face... stick on googly eyes and add a nose. Draw on some whiskers using a marker.



5. Glue on a pompom or cotton ball for a tail.

6. Using ribbon/fabric/string add a bow or scarf.

Tip: Placing your sock in a mug will make it easier to hold while you fill with rice.



Thumbprint Easter Cards

You will need:
Card, paint, green paper,
glue stick, fine markers/pens

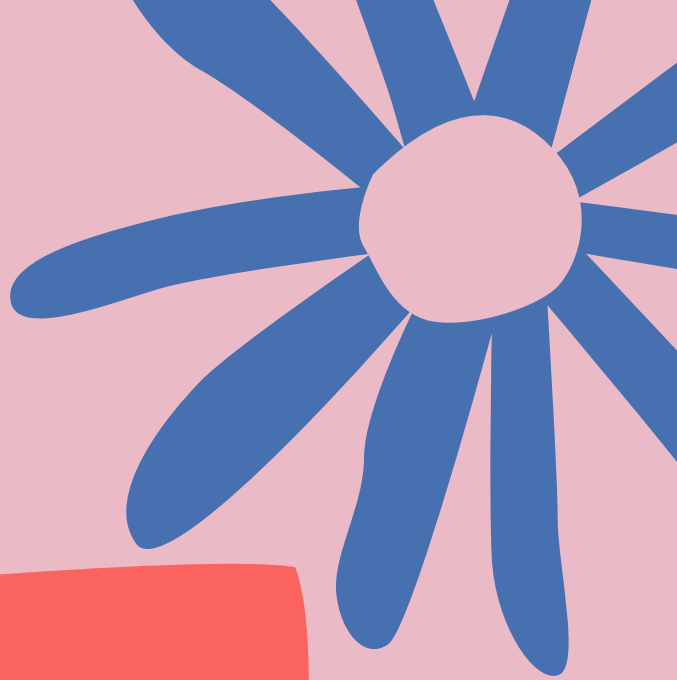
These have to be
cutest cards for
all ages!

1. Fold a rectangle or square of card in half.
2. Glue some green paper/card to the bottom of the card to make grass.(or just draw with a marker)
3. Dip your thumb or finger into the paint and press onto the card to make the chick/bunny body. Rub around to if you wish to make bigger chicks/bunnies. Allow to dry.
4. Using a fine marker/pen add eyes, beak, wings, tails to your chicks/bunnies.

You can add different expressions on your chick/bunny faces. Maybe they'll be flying or doing handstands?



Doodles



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for joining
in!**

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