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Dressing Up Resources



Introduction

Oxford Children's and World Book Day® have worked together with the publishers of the 2024 World Book Day £1/€1.50 books to offer this exciting range of dressing up ideas to support children to use their World Book Day costumes to share their favourite books.

The ideas in this pack can be used and adapted to create a huge range of characters from astronauts to sausage rolls and superheroes to yetis. We hope that you find the inspiration you need to create your best book recommendation yet.

A message from Oxford Children's

"We are delighted to be working in collaboration with World Book Day on this no-cost dressing up initiative. Breaking down the barriers to reading for pleasure, and supporting all parents and children with reading, is at the heart of our Raise a Reader campaign. Through this campaign, we work with partners across the industry, including the National Literacy Trust, to reach children from all backgrounds to support with inspiring a love of reading.

We believe that every single child in the UK should have access to a World Book Day costume. In our 2024 £1 book, Marv and the Ultimate Superpower, our young superhero Marv is powered by two very important things – Kindness and Imagination.

We hope that children take inspiration from Marv and use the power of their imagination to dream up and create their own magical World Book Day costume; and that the templates and top tips in this pack show that you don't need lots of fancy, expensive materials (or even a printer!) to be able to create a brilliant World Book Day costume...

... And we can't wait to see all the creative costume ideas that children come up with!"

Helen Freeman, Director: Oxford Children's

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Whole class costume workshop

Run a whole class costume workshop with these resources – assuming this is an afternoon session that's 2 hours long.

Objectives

For the children:

- To consider how they would portray their own favourite book
- To create a costume element which supports their book recommendation.

You will need

- Thin Card – enough for 30 at least A3 per child mainly white but some other colours could be handy too
- Elastic (for masks)
- Lolly Sticks
- White pillowcases (if you have them). If not white fabric you can cut into tabbards x10
- Sellotape – normal, double sided, masking and gaffa
- Glue (PVA if you have it)
- Decorative bits – sequins, beads, feathers (standard crafting/junk modelling stuff) (and containers or trays to put them out in)
- Foil or shiny paper
- Paints – water-based and fabric
- Pencils
- Rulers
- Paint trays and brushes
- Floor/table coverings
- Overalls

We got most of this list from a local scrapstore for less than £30.

Top tips for putting together a costume

- Choose a book your child is happy to talk about.
- Start with things you might already have – tracksuits, t-shirts (inside out to make them plain) and pyjamas make a good base for a costume.
- Focus on the parts of the character that make them stand out - use facepaint or simple props to show these.



Whole class costume workshop

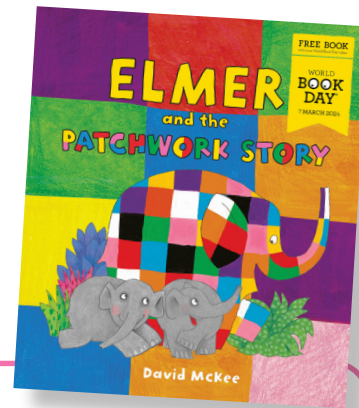
Timings	Section	Activity	Purpose	Resources	Outcome
0-15	Introductions	Book recommendation circles – children in 2x circles facing each other – starting with 30 seconds they have to describe their favourite book to their partner and then move on.	Children understand that they are making something to represent their favourite book		Children have identified a costume element to make to represent their favourite book
15-30	Introductions	Template exploration – children in pairs given a blank made up template for one of the costume elements in the World Book Day pack – they discuss which books this element could be used to recommend and whether it would be useful for their choice. Pass on until all have explored all options	Children understand the templates available to them.	Made up blank templates	
30-1:45	Making time	Template exploration – children in pairs given a blank made up template for one of the costume elements in the World Book Day pack – they discuss which books this element could be used to recommend and whether it would be useful for their choice. Pass on until all have explored all options.	Children make their costume element	Resource list (above)	Children have created their costume element
1:45-1:00	Plenary +Group Photos	Children supported to use the relevant template to create their costume element	Children feel valued	Final costume pieces	

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Make Your Own Colourful Elmer Mask!

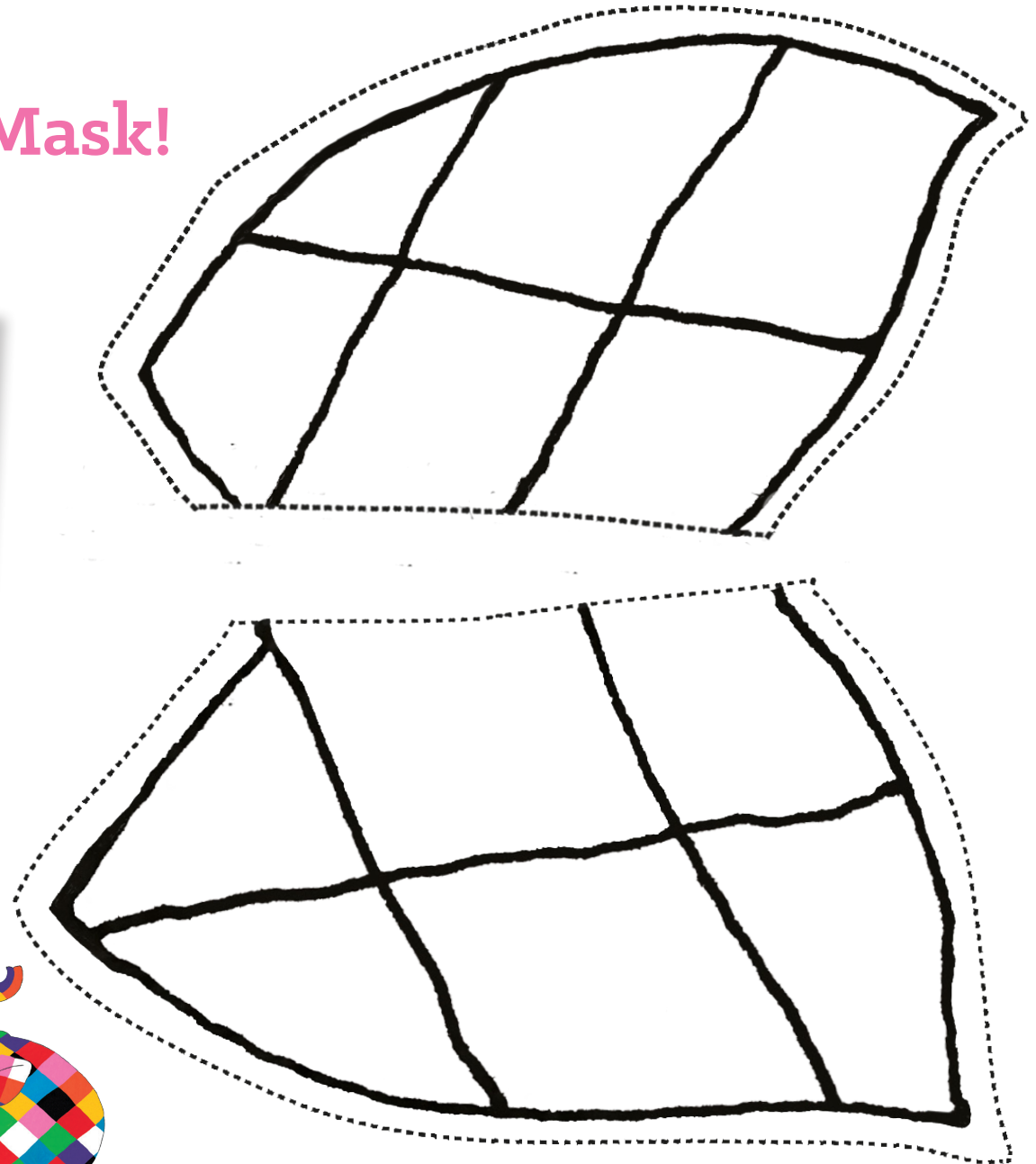
You will need

- Colouring pens, pencils or crayons
- Glue or sticky tape
- Thin card (e.g. an old cereal box)
- Scissors
- Elastic or a large lolly stick/pencil



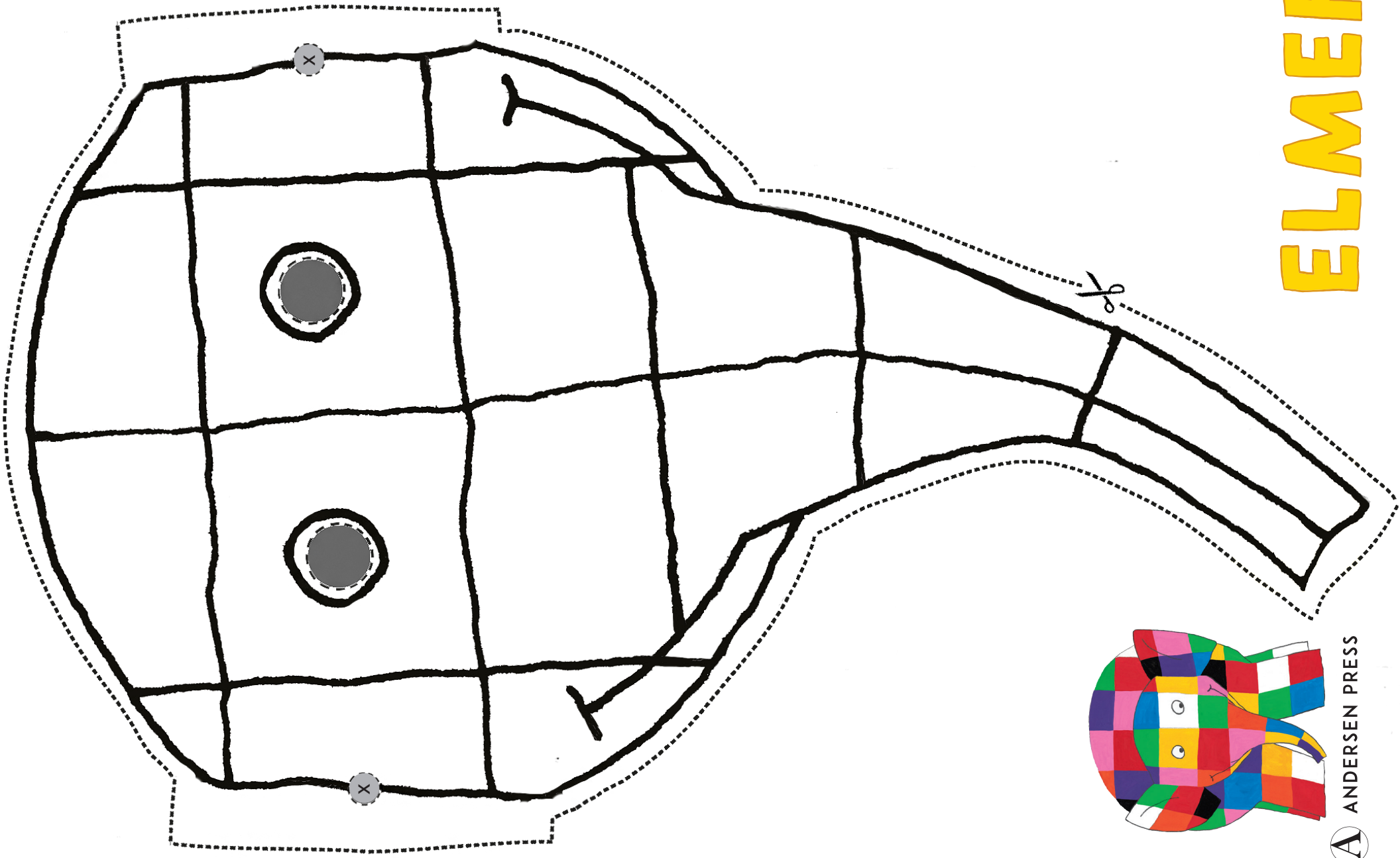
Instructions

- Colour and decorate the mask with bright colours.
- Stick the ears and mask onto card to make it stronger. Cut them out around the dotted lines and then cut out the eye holes.
- With the help of an adult, stick the ears onto the sides of Elmer's face.
- To wear your mask you can pierce the holes in the places marked X and thread elastic or string through the holes to secure round your face. Or to hold up the mask, you can stick a large lolly stick or pencil behind the trunk.
- Now put on your most colourful clothing and wear your mask with pride!

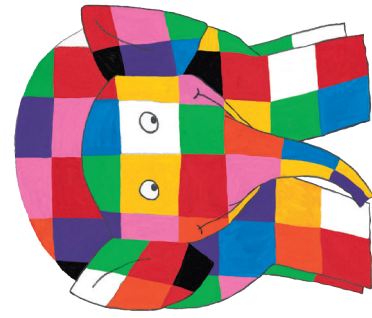


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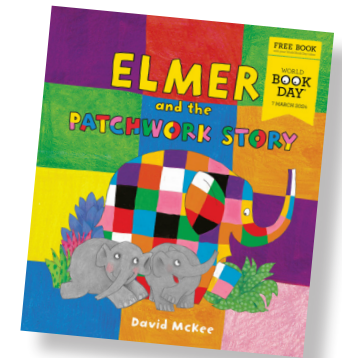


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Make Your Own Colourful Elmer Ears!



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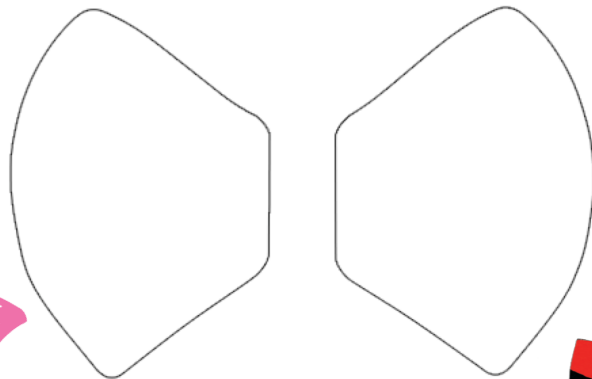
You will need

- Colouring pens, pencils or crayons
- Glue or sticky tape
- Thin card (e.g. an old cereal box)
- Scissors



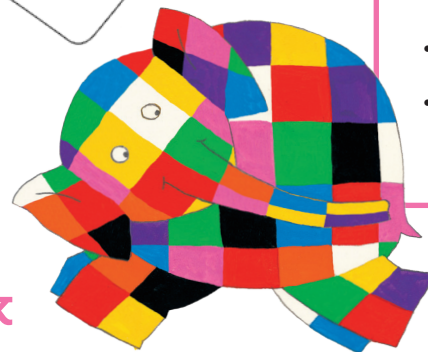
Instructions

- Draw an elephant ear shape onto a piece of card – we suggest drawing around a plate to get the curved edge.
- Cut out the ear shape, then use it as a template to draw around onto another piece of card.
- Cut out the second ear shape.
- Draw patches onto the ears and then get creative! Colour the patches in with bright colours, just like Elmer.
- Cut a strip of card to wrap around your head and sit like a crown. Stick the ends of your headband together.
- Stick the ears to either side of the headband.
- Wear the patchwork ears with bright and colourful clothes, and you will be just like Elmer!



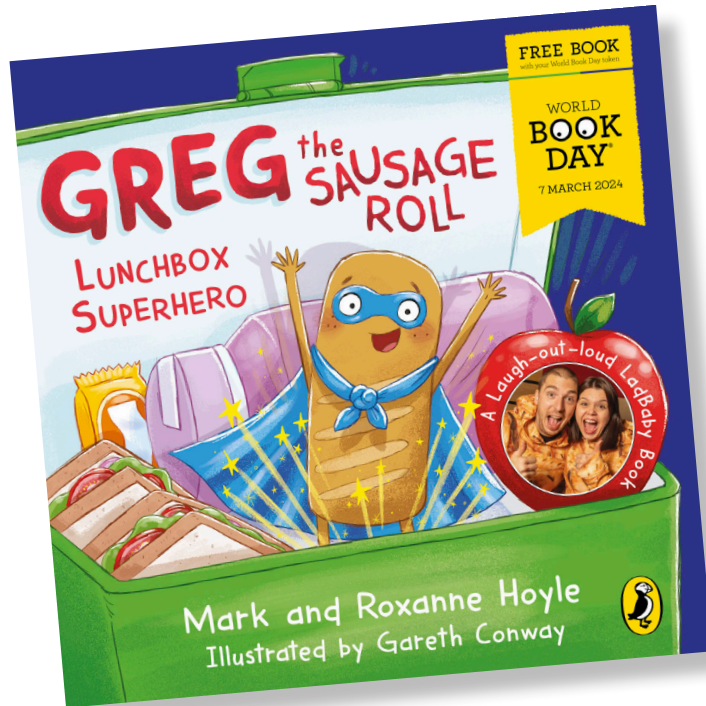
Suggested
elephant
ear shapes!

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Who else might wear these ears?
What other elephant books do you know?

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Choose your sausage roll costume!

Will your costume have a feather boa like Gloria? A Hawaiian shirt and sunglasses like Greg when he went on his summer adventure? Or party hats like the mini sausage rolls? What's your favourite item of clothing and what adventures have you been on wearing it?

Note down some ideas here to help you add items or decorations to make your sausage roll costume extra special! Yes mate!

Make your own **GREG-cellent** costume



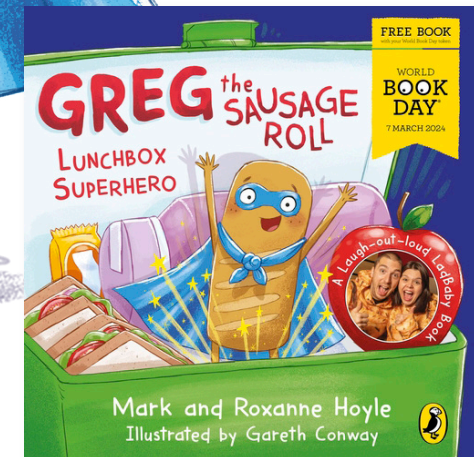
You Will Need:

- An old t-shirt or pillowcase
- A pair of scissors (ask an adult for help using these)
- Pencils/crayons/pens/paint

Instructions

1. If you are using a pillowcase, ask an adult to carefully cut along the closed edge so your head can fit through comfortably and cut some arm holes.
2. Using your pencils/crayons/pens/paint, get creative and decorate your material to look like Greg the Sausage Roll.
3. Once you have finished your design, pop on the t-shirt or pillowcase and have fun joining Greg on his adventures!

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Make your own

CHARLIE McGREW horse

- 1 Colour and decorate this lovely drawing of a horse
- 2 Stick this sheet of paper to some thick cardboard using glue or tape
- 3 Cut the horse out using the blue dotted lines as a guide (be careful with the scissors, and ask an adult for help if you need it)
- 4 Using tape, attach a handle to the back of your horse – a ruler or lolly stick will work!
- 5 Take your pet horse with you everywhere you go



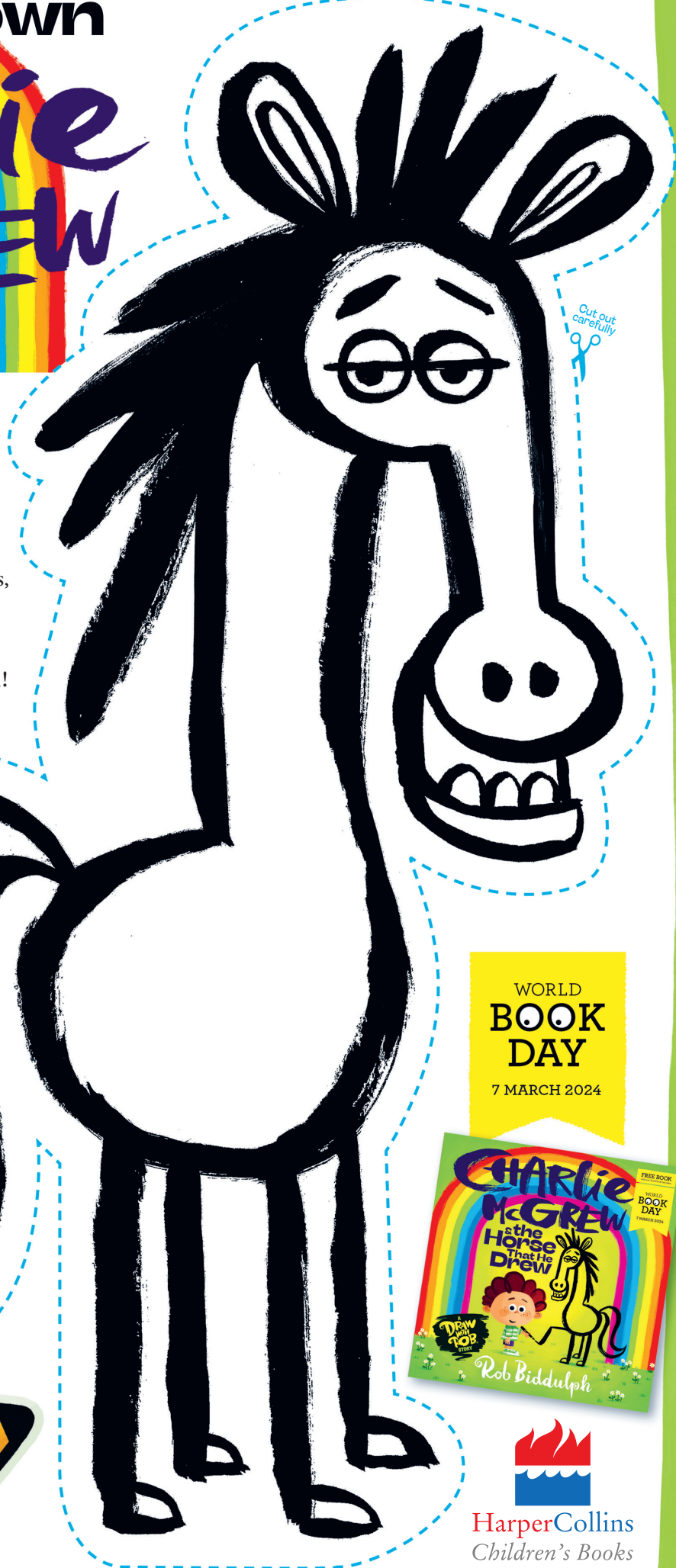
Use scissors
CAREFULLY



Ask a grown-up for help if you need to!

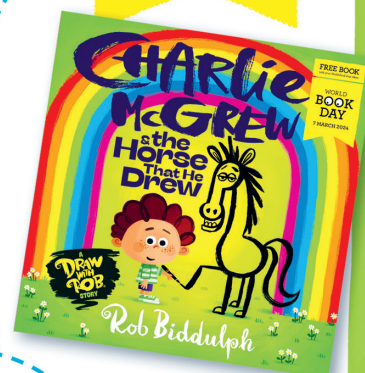
Don't have a printer? Follow the handy step-by-step drawing instructions on the next page!

**GIVE THE HORSE
SOME LOVELY,
BRIGHT COLOURS**



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How to MAKE YOUR OWN...

CHARLIE MCGREW horse

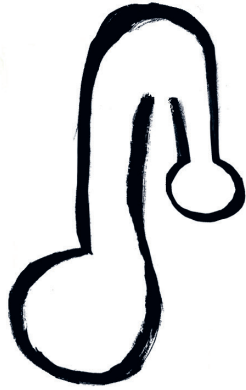
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A piece of cardboard,
such as a cereal
box, is perfect
to draw on!

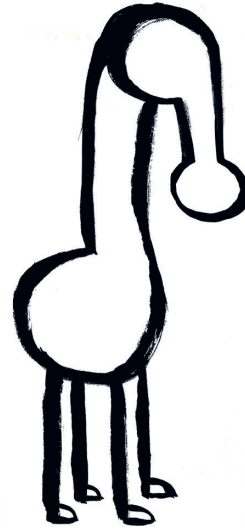
**DRAW
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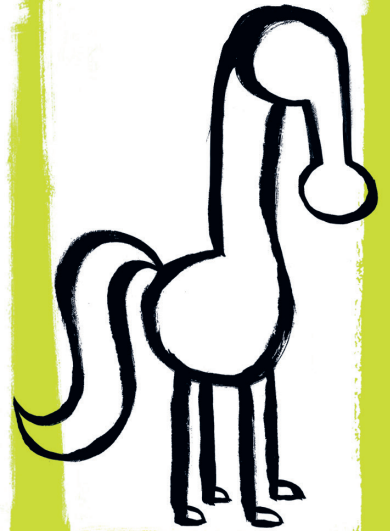
1 Start by drawing a circle, with two lines going up, as I have here. This is going to be your horse's body.



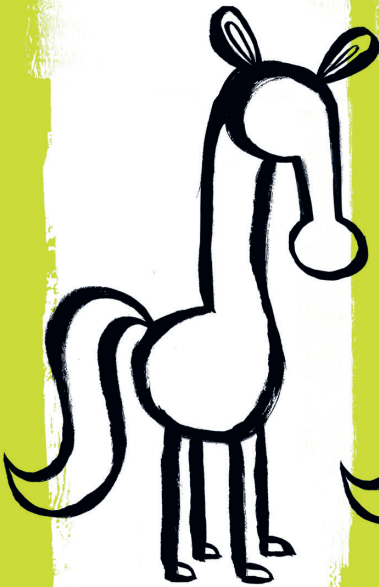
2 Follow the line on the left up and round, then add two lines and a smaller circle for the forehead, nose and muzzle!



3 Finish off the head with another curved line, as shown. Now it's time to add some legs and feet! Draw four straight lines with little quarter-circles at the bottom.



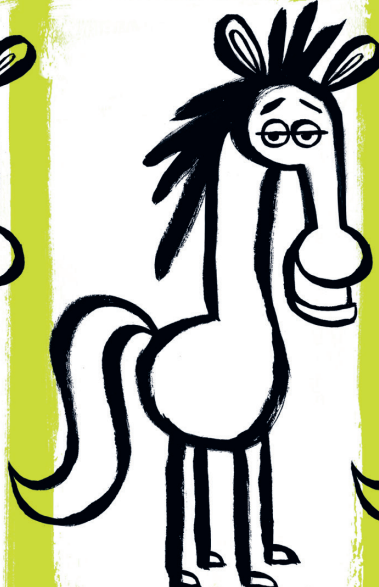
4 Next, add a lovely long, swishy tail. It's actually an S shape with pointy ends.



5 Let's add ears! Draw two upside-down tear shapes on top of the head. Then draw two smaller ones inside the bigger ones.



6 Now, draw four lines on the left side of the horse's neck, for its mane. Then add three more lines between the ears.

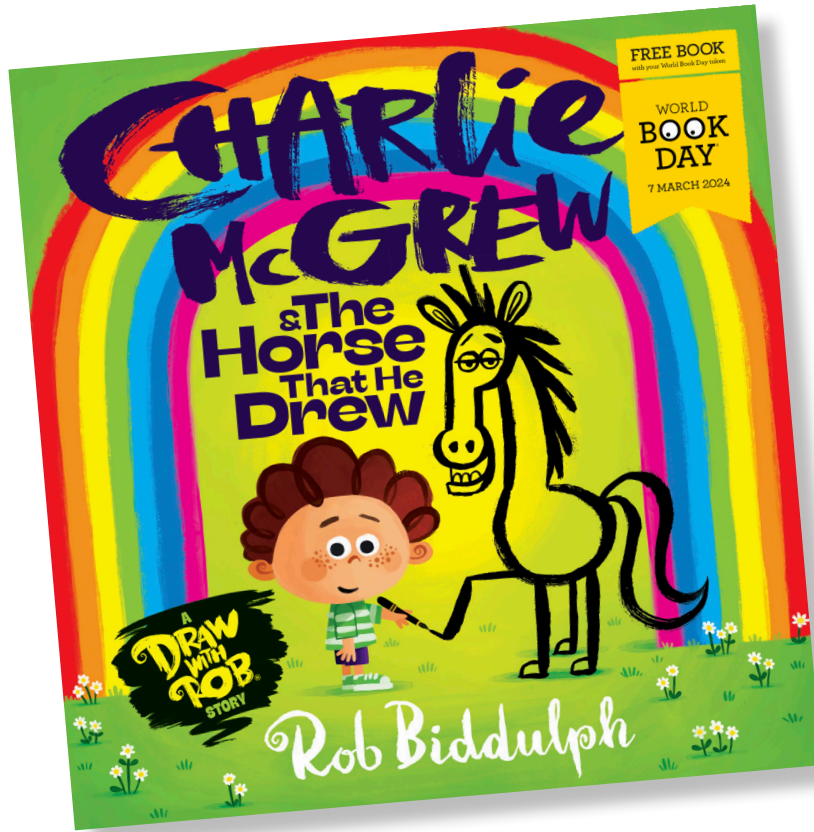


7 Add a pair of eyes by drawing two circles with a horizontal line all the way across, then add two small dots in the middle. Pop two lines above these for the eyebrows! Remember, eyebrows help show emotion.



8 Finally, add the lower jaw, teeth and nostrils, as I have done here. Et voilà! Your pet horse is complete! Ask an adult to help you cut it out and stick it to a ruler, or similar, to take with you!

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What do you think?


- Do you have a favourite pet or animal? See if you can draw and create a friend for Charlie's horse if so!
- Think about your favourite books – do they have any horses, unicorns, or other special animals in them? What colour are they? What are their names? Write down anything exciting about them.



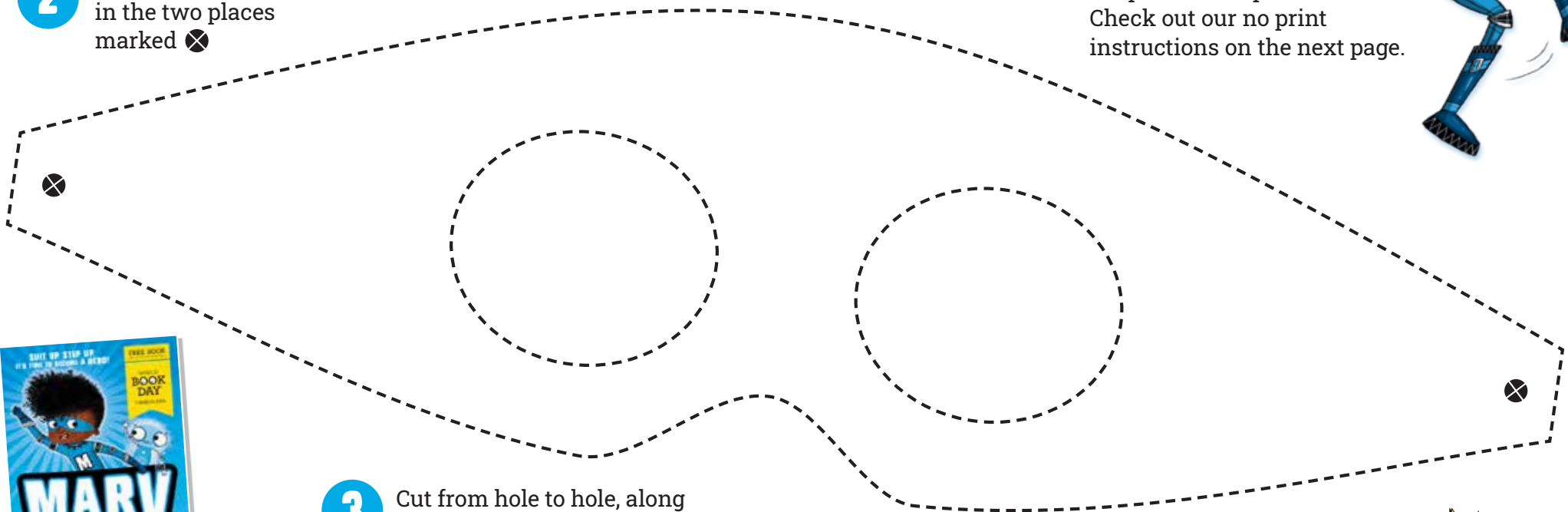
MAKE YOUR OWN MARV-ELLOUS SUPERHERO MASK!



1 Colour and decorate the mask and cut it out around the dotted line

2 With the help of an adult, pierce a hole in the two places marked 

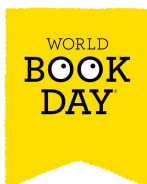
No-printer? No problem!
Check out our no print instructions on the next page.



3 Cut from hole to hole, along the dotted lines around the eyes

4 Thread a piece of elastic or string through the outer two holes and tie in place

5 Slip the mask over your face and become a superhero like Marv!





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Option 1

Follow our handy instructions below:

1. View the **template** on your digital device (tablet, phone etc.) and trace the mask outline with a pencil. *If you're viewing this on a smaller screen, like a mobile phone, fold the paper in half and trace half of the mask from your screen.*
Top tip: Use a thin piece of paper or some leftover baking paper from the kitchen! Make sure your screen brightness is turned up so you can see the outline.
2. **Cut** around the outline you've drawn to create your mask shape. *If you've folded your paper, unfold this after cutting to reveal your mask!*
3. Put the **paper** with the mask outline onto an **empty cereal box/piece of cardboard**, and with adult supervision, carefully **cut** around this.
4. Get creative! Decorate your mask using colourful **pencils, pens or paint**.
5. Ask an adult to pierce a hole on either side of the mask on the X.
6. Find some material that you can thread through the holes and tie in place. Ask an adult for help.
Top tip: You could use any spare material that you can find – old ribbon from a gift bag or piece of elastic from an old piece of clothing
7. Put the mask over your face and become a superhero just like Marv!

YOU WILL NEED:

- A thin piece of A4 paper or baking paper
- A pair of scissors (ask an adult for help using these!)
- An empty cereal box
- Colourful pencils/pens/paint
- Any spare piece of material to tie your mask together – recycled ribbon or an old piece of elastic from some clothing – whatever you have!

CHOOSE YOUR SUPERHERO!

Who is your favourite superhero? Think about your favourite books which feature superhero characters. What superhero mask would they wear? What are their favourite colours? Note down some ideas here to help you decorate your mask:





SUPERHERO MASK!



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Option 2

Follow our handy instructions below:

1. Find some cardboard, this could be an old cereal box or leftover cardboard from a delivery parcel.
2. Use something round to trace onto the cardboard. This could be a plate, a bowl, or cup – anything round works! Carefully cut around the outline, with adult supervision.
3. Hold the cardboard against your face and get an adult to mark where your eyes are with a pencil onto the cardboard. Carefully, with adult supervision, cut two holes where the eye markings are.
4. Get creative! Decorate your mask using colourful pencils, pens, or paint.
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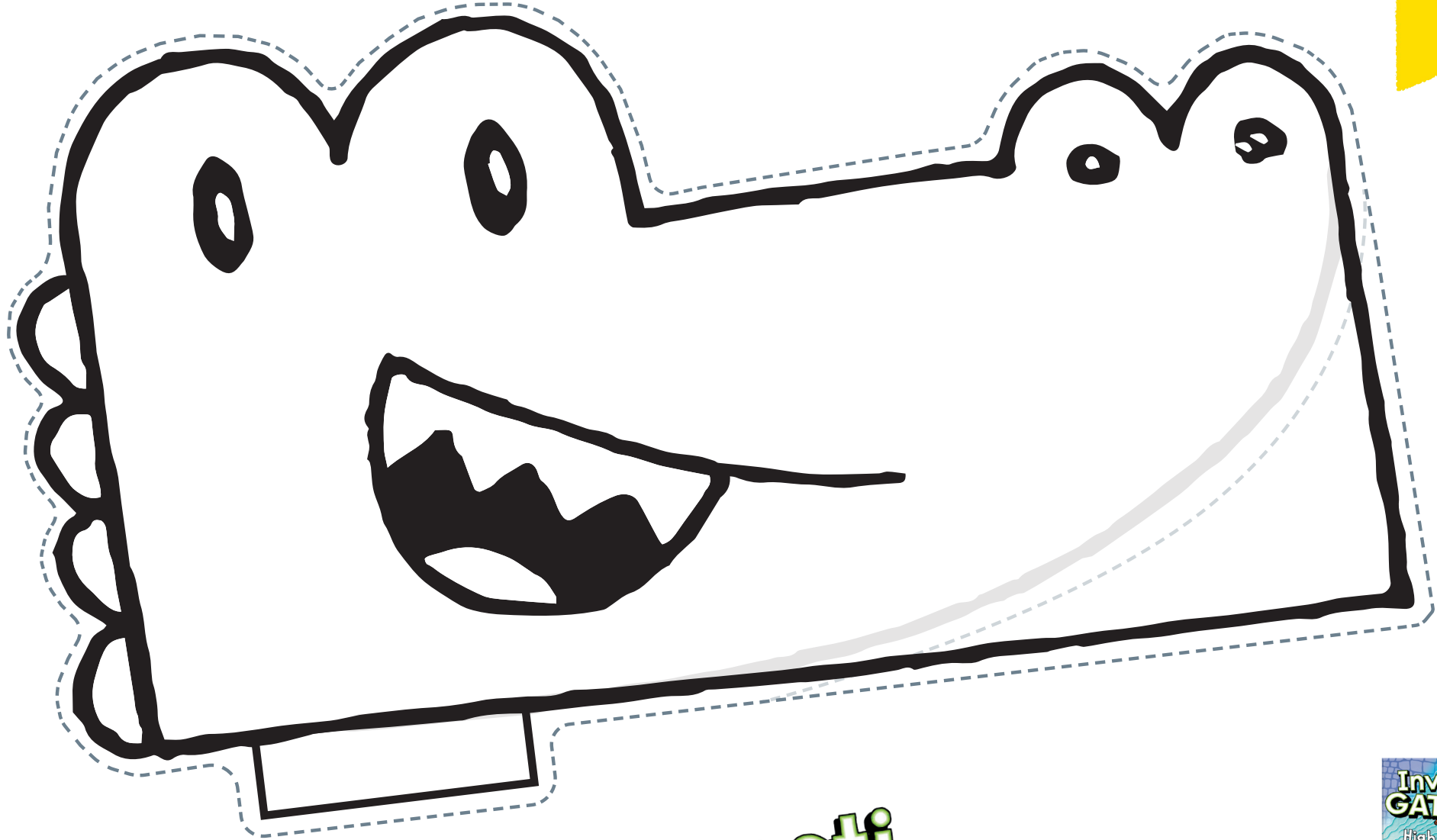
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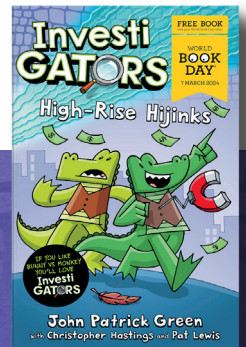
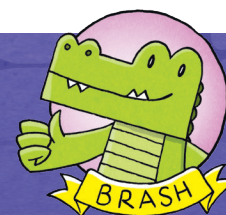


Are you ready to become an InvestiGator?!

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Are you ready to become an InvestiGator?!

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YOU WILL NEED:

- An empty cardboard cereal box
- A pair of scissors
- Paints and a paintbrush, colouring pencils or crayons
- Cellotape
- A glue stick
- A plastic hairband
- Aluminium foil
- A black marker pen
- A safety pin

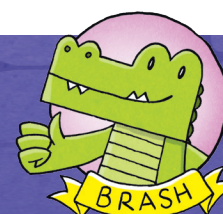
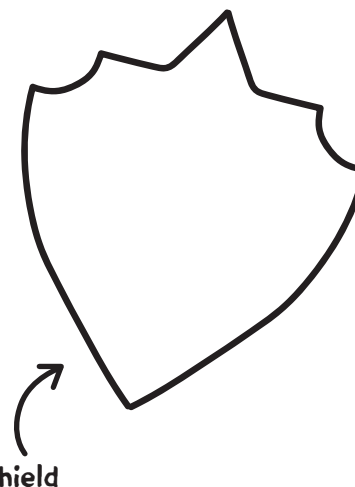
INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Decide whether you are going to be Mango or Brash (Mango has the curved jawline while Brash has a rectangular one!), and ask an adult to help you carefully cut around the template, following the dotted lines.
2. Glue your template to the cardboard and, with the help of an adult, carefully cut around it again.
3. Colour and decorate your InvestiGators mask.
4. To attach your mask to the hairband, fold the rectangle piece back so it acts like a foot underneath the mask. Then cellotape it onto the hairband, making sure it is secure.

NOW IT'S TIME TO MAKE YOUR VERY OWN AGENT OF S.U.I.T BADGE:

1. Draw a shield shape on a piece of cardboard, just like this one! The shield should be about the size of the palm of your hand.
2. With help from an adult, cut your shield out with a pair of scissors.
3. Cover the front of the badge with aluminum foil, carefully wrapping it around the edges to the back, and then secure it in place with some cellotape or a glue stick.
4. Use the black marker to write 'Agent of S.U.I.T' on the badge.
5. Attach a safety pin at the back of the badge using tape.

Now you're officially an Agent of S.U.I.T, just like the InvestiGators! What will your first mission be?



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Are you ready to become an InvestiGator?!

You can be a super-spy just like Mango and Brash!

You will need

- An empty cereal box
- Paints and a paintbrush, colouring pencils or crayons
- Scissors
- Aluminium foil
- A black marker pen
- Sellotape
- A safety pin



Instructions

1. With the help of an adult, cut up your cereal box so you are left with one large blank side. Now, with a pencil, we are going to draw your InvestiGator mask!

2. Starting in the top left corner, draw two arches that look like a bird with long, droopy wings. This is where the eyes will go.



3. Add a short line for the top of the snout and then draw two smaller arches at the end for the nose.



4. Draw a straight line from the back of the large arches to create the back of the head.



5. For Mango, draw a curved snout connecting his neck to his nose. If you're drawing Brash, give him a rectangular snout. Add details like eyes, nostrils and neck ridges and you can give them expressions with their mouths and eyebrows!



6. Colour and decorate your InvestiGators mask.

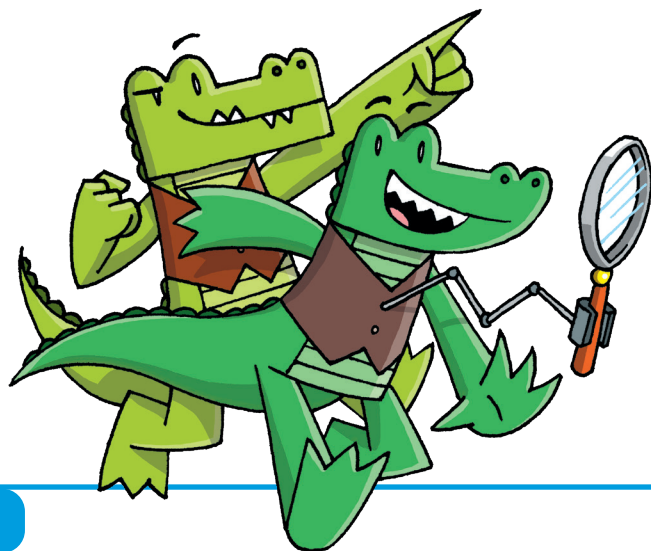
7. With the help of an adult, cut around your InvestiGators mask.

8. To make your headband cut a long strip out from the remainder of your cereal box, long enough so it wraps around your head. Sellotape both ends together to create a circle – now you have a headband!

[Top tip: If your piece of cardboard isn't long enough you can sellotape two pieces together!]

9. Sellotape the back of the mask to your headband so your InvestiGator mask sits on top of your head.

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Instructions continued

10. Draw a shield shape on another blank side of your cereal box, just like this one!

The shield should be about the size of the palm of your hand.

11. With help from an adult, cut your shield out with a pair of scissors.



12. Cover the front of the badge with aluminium foil, carefully wrapping it around the edges to the back, and then secure it with sellotape.

13. Use the black marker pen to write '**Agent of S.U.I.T.**' on the badge.

14. Attach a safety pin at the back of the badge using sellotape.

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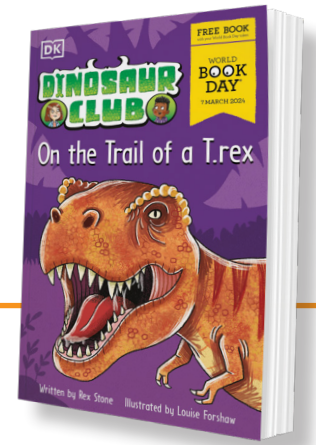
What gadgets would you need to be a secret agent?

The InvestiGators always have their V.E.S.T.s (Very Important Spy Technology) when they go on missions. What do you think you'd need to help you on your spy mission? A key that opens any locked door. Or maybe earphones that can translate any language?! Note down some ideas of what else you might take with you.

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Make your own Tyrannosaurus T-shirt

Content taken from Dinosaur Activity Lab.



You will need

- A plain t-shirt
- Masking tape
- Stencil card
- Scissors
- Stiff card
- Stencil brush / sponge
- Pencil
- Clothes pegs
- Fabric paints

What do you think?

- **How many dinosaurs can you name?**
- **What other dinosaur books do you know?**
- **What clothes and accessories would you take with you on a prehistoric Dinosaur Club adventure?**

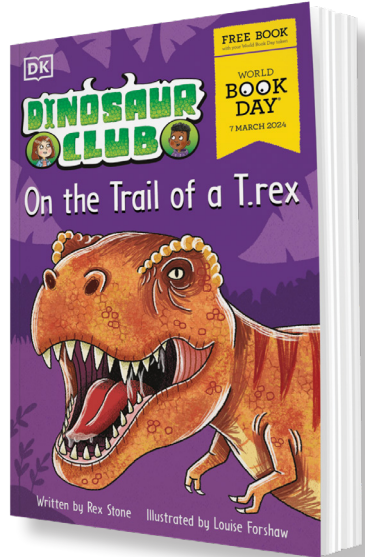
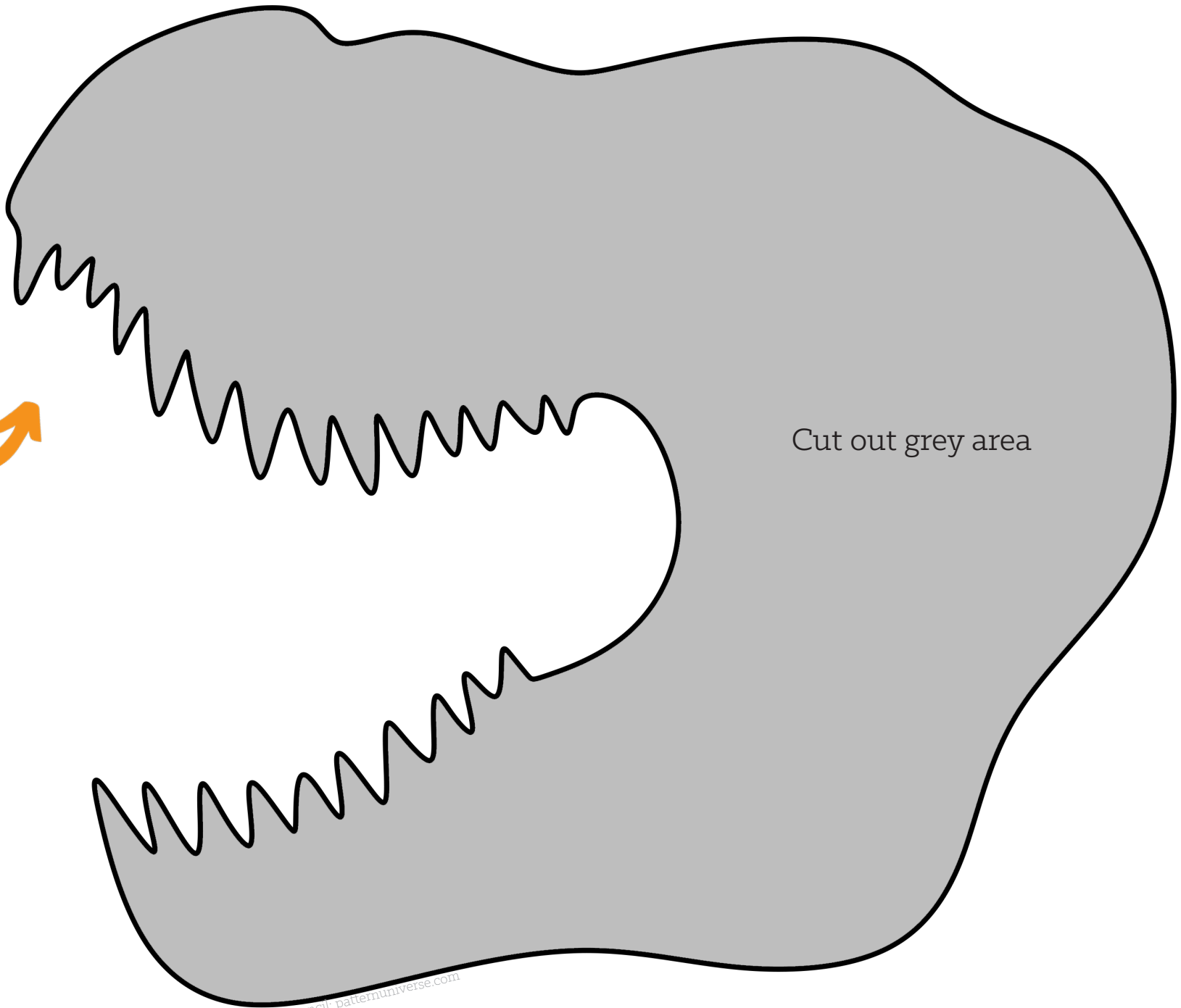
To Do

- Draw or trace the skull template onto the stencil card.
- With the help of an adult make a hole in the grey area of the template and cut out all the grey area.
- Mark the width of your t-shirt on a piece of stiff card and cut the card so that it is as wide as your t-shirt.
- Pull the t-shirt down over the card, sliding the card between the front and back to act as a barrier against the paint.
- Smooth the t-shirt flat, and then place clothes pegs down the sides to hold it securely in position against the card.
- Position your stencil where you would like it on your t-shirt
- Secure the stencil across the top with a strip of masking tape and press along it to make sure it's firmly stuck down. Add another strip of masking tape along the bottom of the stencil to fix it securely in position on the t-shirt.
- Dip your brush/sponge into the fabric paint and dab it carefully onto the t-shirt. Hold the stencil flat with the other hand and cover all the areas of t-shirt behind it. Leave to dry for around 15 minutes.
- Mix a darker paint colour and dab it around the edges of the stencil holes to give the skull some texture. Leave to dry.
- Gently remove the masking tape and carefully lift off the stencil to reveal your fossil skull.
- Ask an adult to iron the t-shirt for 5 minutes, to "fix" the fabric paint so that it won't run in the wash.
- Remove the stiff card and put your t-shirt on. You could reuse the stencil to make a whole herd of fossil t-shirts for your friends too!

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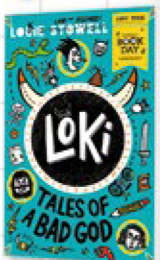
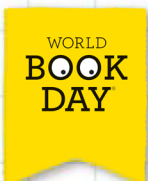
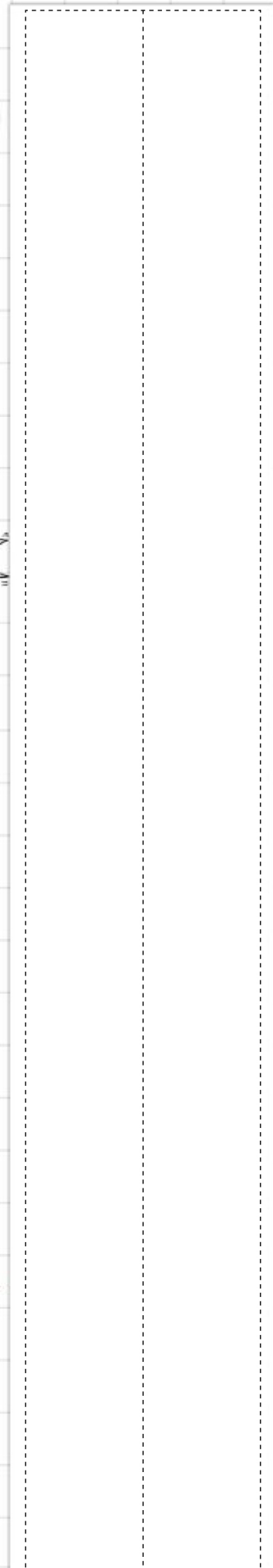
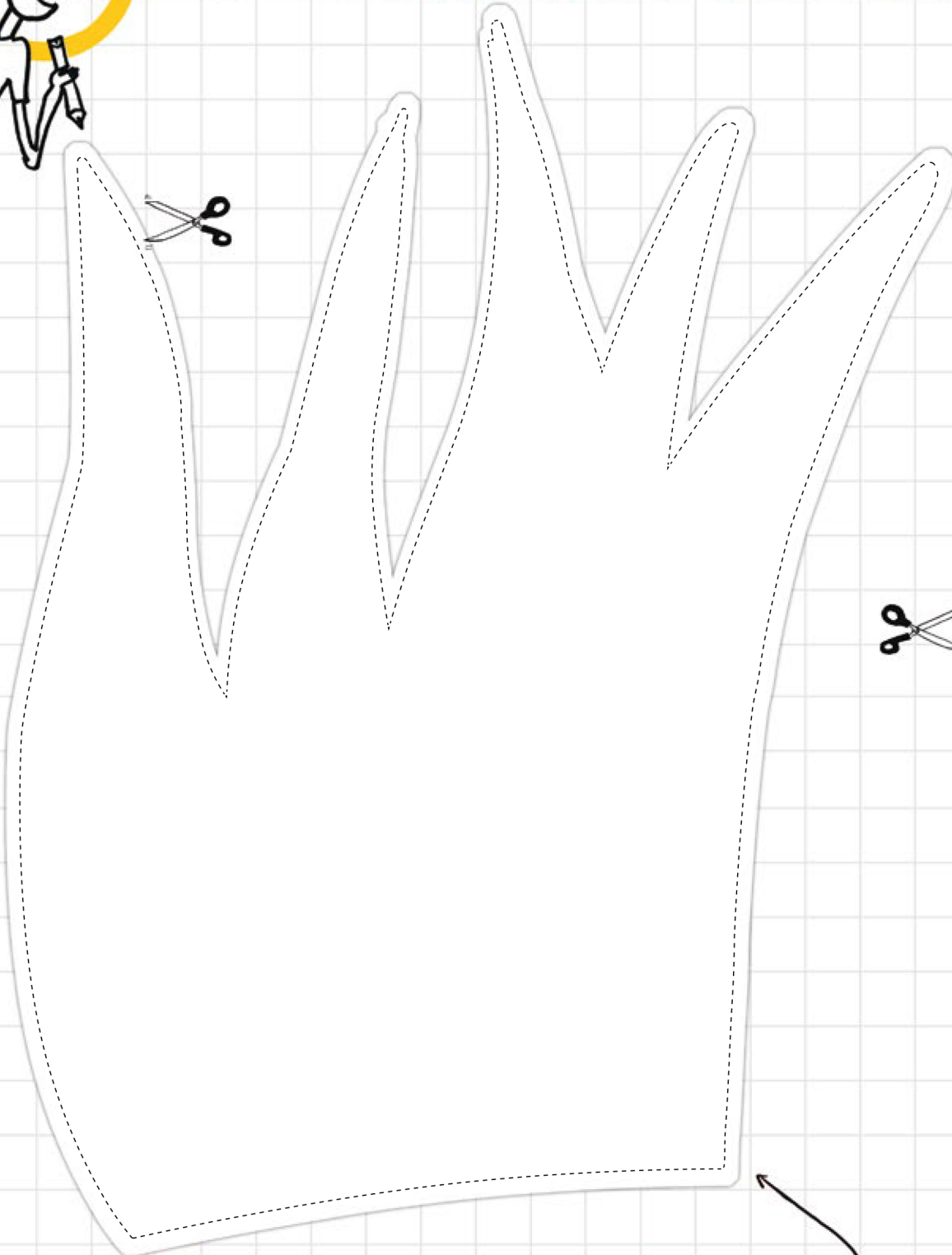
Draw your own
dinosaur template
or copy this one!



Stencil: patternuniverse.com



MAKE YOUR OWN LOKI-HAIR HEADBAND



- 1 Print out this piece of paper. (If you don't have a printer, you can follow the steps on the next page.)
- 2 Using a black colouring pencil or pen, fill in Loki's hair.
- 3 Cut out the hair and the two strips of paper.
- 4 Glue or tape one end of each paper strip to the back of the hair, near the bottom.
- 5 With the hair at the front, wrap the strips around the back of your head and tape the ends together. (You may need someone to help you.)

NO-PRINT LOKI-HAIR HEADBAND

You don't need a printer to look as awesome and cool as Loki, but you will need:

EITHER a plain piece of paper and a black colouring pencil (or pen)
OR a black piece of paper (or thin card)

A pencil

Scissors

Glue or sticky tape

1. Cut two strips from the long side of your piece of paper. Each strip should be about as wide as two of your fingers. Keep the strips for step 5!
2. On the remaining piece of paper, draw a shape for the hair. To look like Loki, your hair should have **FIVE** spikes.
3. If you used plain paper, then you need to fill in the hair. (If you used black paper or card, you can skip this step.)
4. Cut out the hair.
5. Glue or tape one end of each strip onto the back of the hair, near the bottom.
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Ooh, drawing?
I'm very good at that. (As I am at most things.)



Loki is the Norse god of mischief, famous for his tricks. He is also a shapeshifter. If YOU were a god like Loki, or perhaps one of the more impressive ones, like Thor, or Heimdall, or Odin or...

Ahem!

If YOU were a god, what would you be the god of, and what would be your special power? Can you think of any other famous gods from stories or legends?

None of them are as handsome and clever as me...

Aren't they? Maybe you could draw them with hair that's even more "awesome" and "cool" than Loki's?

Impossible!



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INSTRUCTIONS

- 1 Colour in your badge – the Academy of the Sun colours are green and gold, but you can use any colours you like
- 2 With the help of an adult, cut out the badge around the dotted lines
- 3 Get some double sided sticky tape and stick it to the back of your badge
- 4 When you are ready, peel off the back of the tape and stick it to your shirt. You are now a student of the Academy of the Sun!



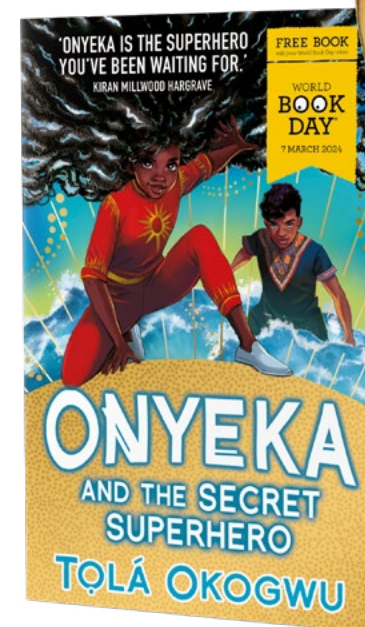
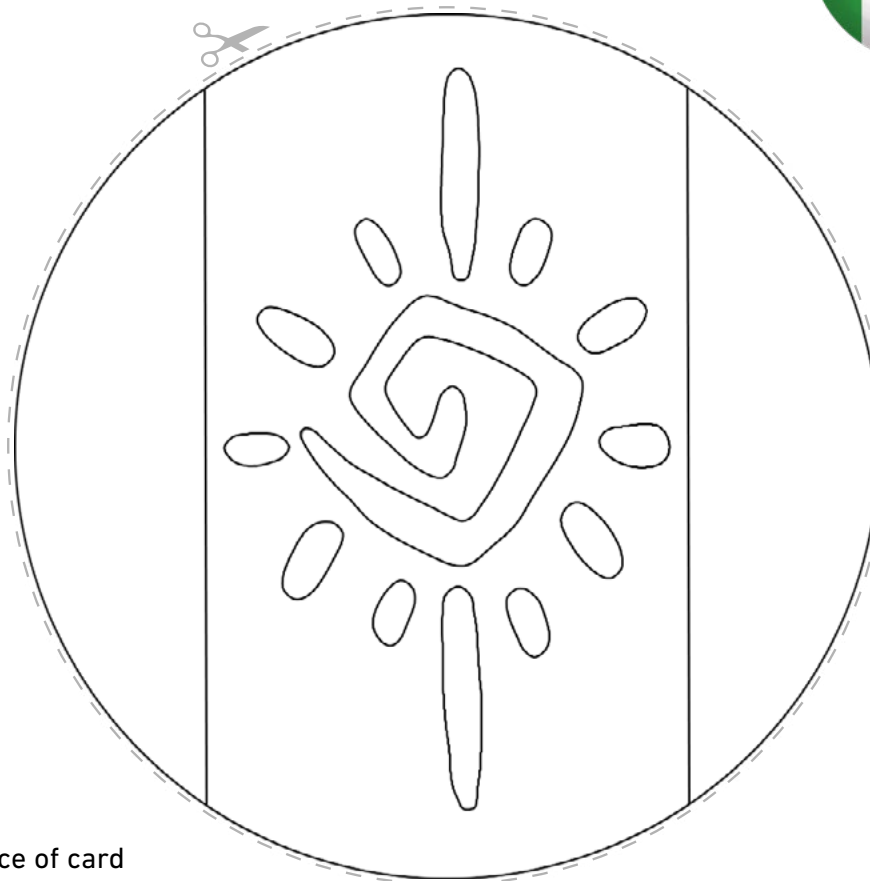
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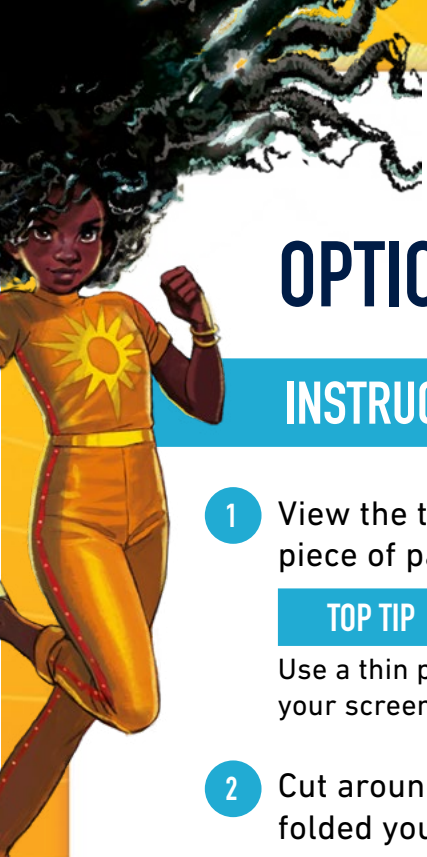
TOP TIP

To make it extra sturdy glue it to a piece of card

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JOIN THE SOLARI AND MAKE YOUR OWN
ACADEMY OF THE SUN BADGE!





ONYEKA

NO PRINTER, NO PROBLEM!

OPTION 1

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1 View the template on your digital device (tablet, phone, etc.), place your piece of paper over the screen and trace the badge outline with a pencil.

TOP TIP

Use a thin piece of paper or some leftover baking paper from the kitchen! Make sure your screen brightness is turned up so you can see the outline.

- 2 Cut around the outline you've drawn to create your badge shape. If you've folded your paper, unfold this after cutting to reveal your badge!
- 3 Glue the paper with the badge outline onto an empty cereal box or piece of cardboard, and with adult supervision, carefully cut around this.
- 4 Get creative! Decorate your badge using colourful pencils, pens or paint. The Academy of the Sun colours are green and gold, but you can use any colours you want!
- 5 Ask an adult to help stick some double sided sticky tape to the back.
- 6 Stick the badge on your T-shirt or jumper and become a student of the Academy of the Sun just like Onyeka!

TOP TIP

Use a blue T-shirt or jumper to match the official uniform of the Academy of the Sun

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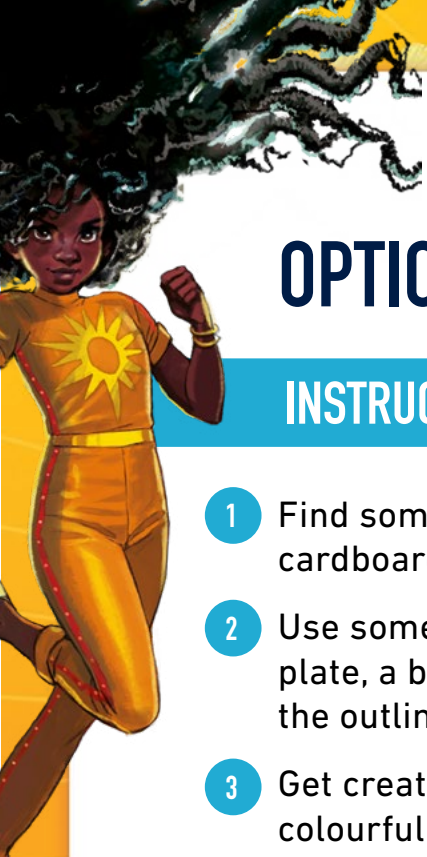
YOU WILL NEED:

- A digital device (tablet, phone, etc)
- A thin piece of A4 paper or baking paper
- An empty cereal box or piece of cardboard
- Glue
- Colourful pencils, pens or paint
- Double-sided sticky tape or normal sticky tape rolled up in a loop. This is for sticking to your clothes

CHOOSE YOUR SUPERHERO!

- Who is your favourite superhero? Think about your favourite books which feature superhero characters.
- What superhero powers do they have? Are they goodies or baddies? Note down some ideas to help you create your own superhero character.

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OPTION 2

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1 Find some cardboard, this could be an old cereal box or leftover cardboard from a delivery parcel.
- 2 Use something round to trace onto the cardboard. This could be a plate, a bowl, or cup – anything round works! Carefully cut around the outline, with adult supervision.
- 3 Get creative! Copy the design of the badge and decorate it with colourful pencils, pens, or paint. The Academy of the Sun colours are green and gold, but you can use any colours you want!
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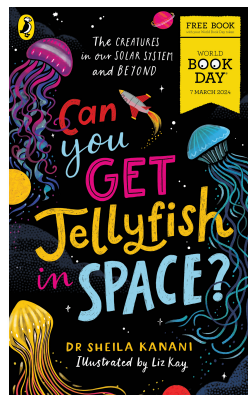
YOU WILL NEED:

- Something round (plate, bowl or cup)
- Scissors
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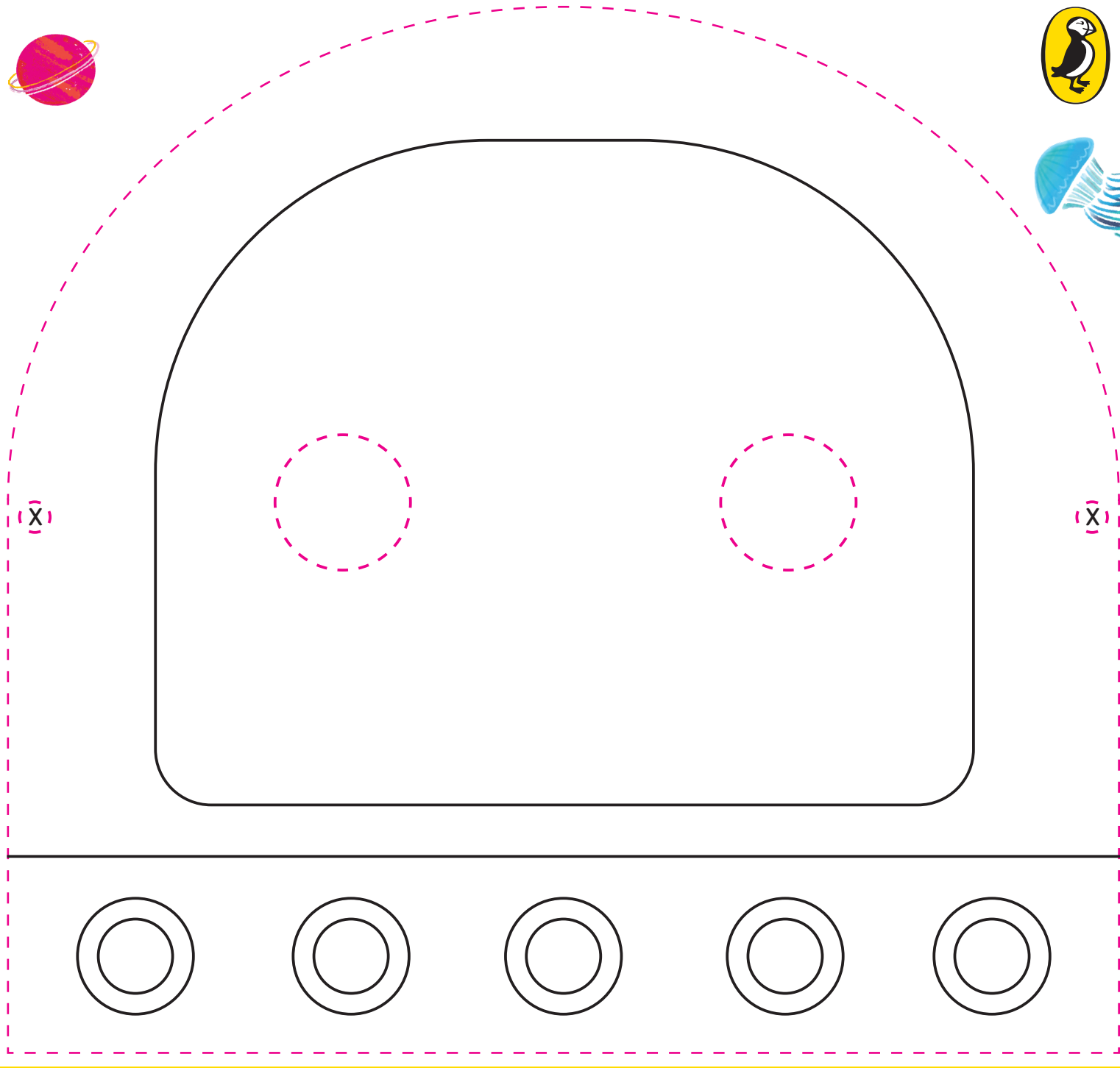


GO INTO SPACE

WITH
DR SHEILA

Instructions

1. Decorate and colour the helmet
2. With the help of an adult, pierce a hole in the two places marked X
3. Cut along the dotted lines
4. Thread a piece of string through the holes and tie in place
5. Put the helmet on and you are ready to join Dr Sheila and the jellyfish in space



No Printer? No Problem!

Can you get a jellyfish into space?

You will need

- A pair of scissors (ask an adult for help using these!)
- An empty cereal box/thin card
- Colourful pencils/pens/paint
- Things to decorate your helmet – tin foil, paper, material
- A hat

To Do

- Draw round your hat onto the cereal box or other thin card and cut out
- Sketch in the visor or space for your eyes- you could ask an adult to hold the helmet against your face and carefully mark the top, bottom and sides of your eyes to get the position right.
- With the help of an adult make a hole in the middle of your visor and carefully cut out
- Decorate to create the helmet you require

What do you think?

- Who else might wear this helmet?
- What other space or astronaut books do you know?
- What other types of characters wear a helmet?
- Plan your own design on a piece of paper.



WELCOME TO DREAD WOOD HIGH. IT'S A SCREAM...

No printer? No problem!
Design your own badge.

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Ask an adult to help
cut out the badge



1 Add your name to the
Dread Wood High badge.

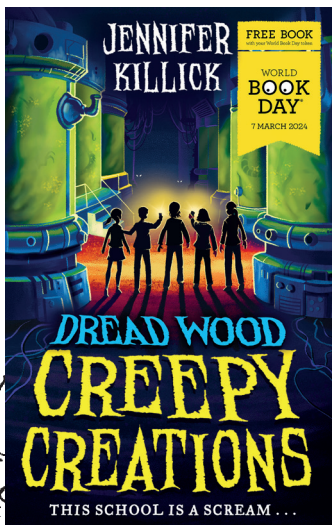
2 Cutout around
the dashed line
and using a hole
punch make a
hole at the top.



3 Thread a length
of ribbon or string
through the hole,
knot together, and
wear your lanyard
with pride.

*Don't fancy a lanyard
Tape a safety pin to
the back and wear it
as a badge instead*

.....
Name



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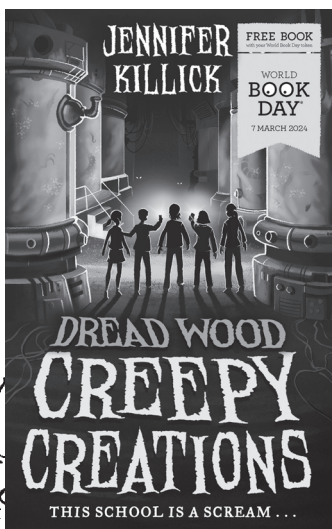
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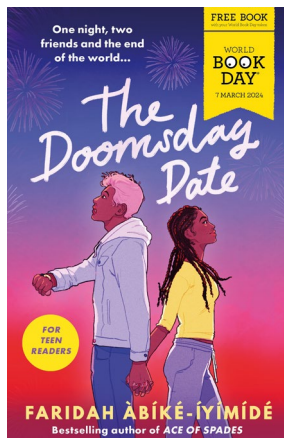
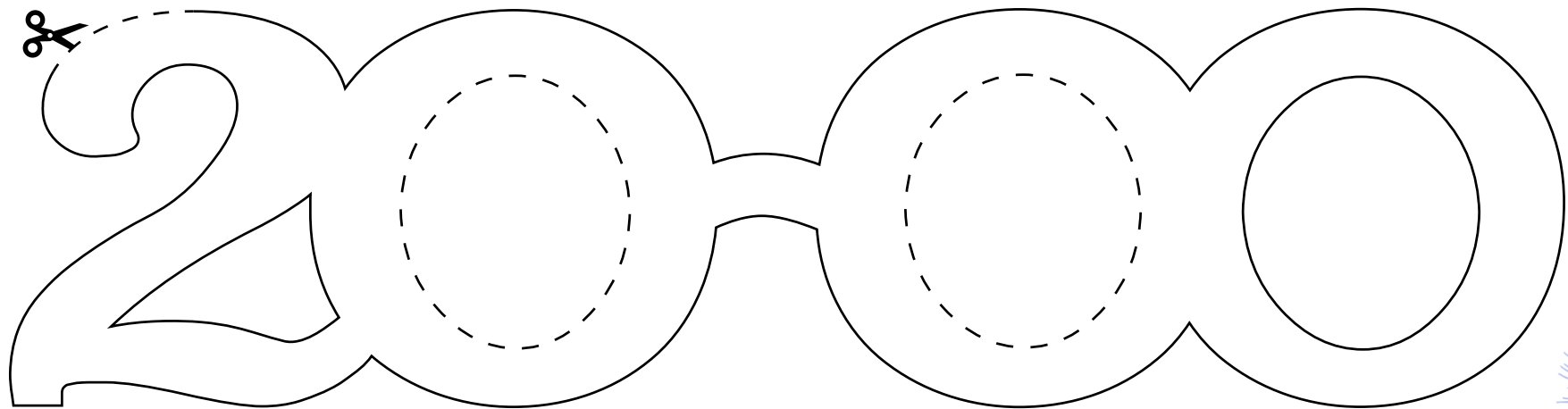


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Design and cut out to create your own

The Doomsday Date

New Year's Eve glasses

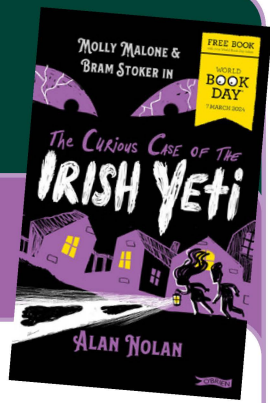


No printer? Trace this template onto thin paper using a mobile phone or other digital device. Then put the paper onto card and cut it out. Add your own sparkle to the glasses by colouring them in, adding glitter and more!

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THE CURIOUS CASE OF THE IRISH YETI

MAKE AN IRISH YETI MASK!



- 1** COLOUR AND DECORATE THE MASK AND CUT IT OUT AROUND THE DOTTED LINE
- 2** WITH THE HELP OF AN ADULT, PIERCE A HOLE IN THE TWO PLACES MARKED 
- 3** CUT FROM HOLE TO HOLE, ALONG THE DOTTED LINES AROUND THE EYES
- 4** THREAD A PIECE OF ELASTIC OR STRING THROUGH THE OUTER TWO HOLES AND TIE IN PLACE
- 5** SLIP THE MASK OVER YOUR FACE AND YOU CAN BECOME AN IRISH YETI FOR WORLD BOOK DAY!

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O'BRIEN MOLLY MALONE & BRAM STOKER IN O'BRIEN
THE CURIOUS CASE OF THE IRISH YETI

MAKE AN IRISH YETI MASK!



NO-PRINTER? NO PROBLEM!

OPTION 1: FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS BELOW

- 1 FIND SOME CARDBOARD, THIS COULD BE AN OLD CEREAL BOX OR LEFTOVER CARDBOARD FROM A DELIVERY PARCEL.
- 2 USE SOMETHING ROUND TO TRACE ONTO THE CARDBOARD. THIS COULD BE A PLATE, A BOWL, OR CUP - ANYTHING ROUND WORKS! CAREFULLY CUT AROUND THE OUTLINE, WITH ADULT SUPERVISION.
- 3 HOLD THE CARDBOARD AGAINST YOUR FACE AND GET AN ADULT TO MARK WHERE YOUR EYES ARE WITH A PENCIL ONTO THE CARDBOARD. CAREFULLY, WITH ADULT SUPERVISION, CUT TWO HOLES WHERE THE EYE MARKINGS ARE.
- 4 GET CREATIVE! DECORATE YOUR MASK USING COLOURFUL PENCILS, PENS, OR PAINT.
- 5 ASK AN ADULT TO PIERCE A HOLE ON EITHER SIDE OF THE MASK ON THE X.
- 6 FIND SOME MATERIAL THAT YOU CAN THREAD THROUGH THE HOLES AND TIE IN PLACE. ASK AN ADULT FOR HELP.

TOP TIP: YOU COULD USE ANY SPARE MATERIAL THAT YOU CAN FIND: OLD RIBBON FROM A GIFT BAG OR A PIECE OF ELASTIC FROM AN OLD PIECE OF CLOTHING.

YOU WILL NEED

- A THIN PIECE OF A4 PAPER OR BAKING PAPER
- A PAIR OF SCISSORS (ASK AN ADULT FOR HELP USING THESE!)
- AN EMPTY CEREAL BOX
COLOURFUL PENCILS/
PENS/PAINT
- ANY SPARE PIECE OF MATERIAL TO TIE YOUR MASK TOGETHER:
RECYCLED RIBBON OR AN OLD PIECE OF ELASTIC FROM SOME CLOTHING, WHATEVER YOU HAVE!



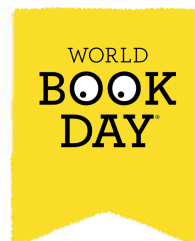
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O'BRIEN **MOLLY MALONE & BRAM STOKER IN** O'BRIEN
THE CURIOUS CASE OF THE IRISH YETI

MAKE AN IRISH YETI COSTUME!

NO-PRINTER? NO PROBLEM!

OPTION 2: FIND YOUR COSTUME AT HOME!



YOU WILL NEED

- A WHITE WOOLY HAT
- COTTON WOOL
- SWIMMING GOGGLES
- A WHITE COAT OR TOP
- WHITE JOGGING BOTTOMS
- WHITE GLOVES
- WHITE SOCKS

**BOB'S YOUR AUNTIE,
YOU'RE AN IRISH YETI!**

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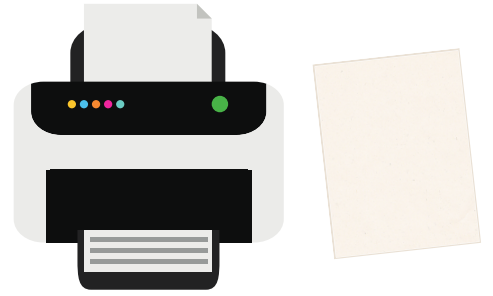
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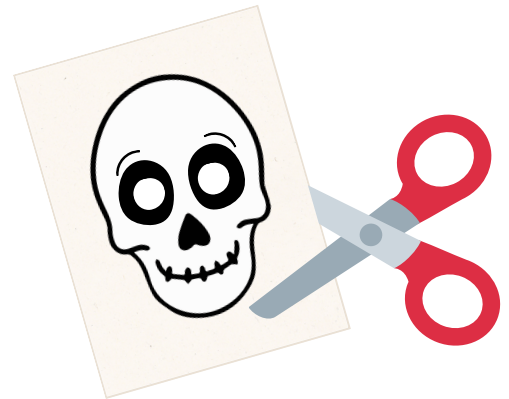


CAM 2

Gludwch y papur at ddarn o gardbord. (Bydd darn arall o bapur trwchus yn gweithio hefyd!)

CAM 3

Gyda chymorth oedolyn, defnyddiwch siswrn i dorri allan siâp y penglog yn ofalus. Cofiwch greu tyllau ar gyfer y llygaid hefyd.



CAM 4

Defnyddiwch bensiliau lliw i addurno'ch mwgwd gyda phatrymau a siapiau hardd.

CAM 5

Gwnewch dyllau bach ar ochrau'r mwgwd a chlymwch llyn trwyddynt.



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MAKE A SKULL MASK

You will need: Paper, glue, cardboard, scissors, coloured pencils, string

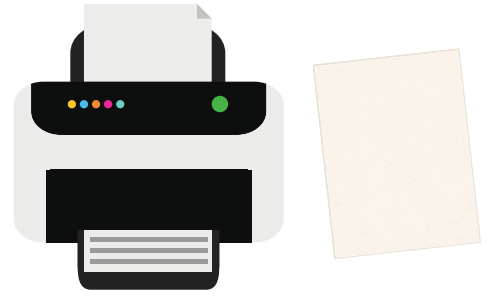


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STEP 1

Print the first page on a piece of A4 paper, or draw your own mask.



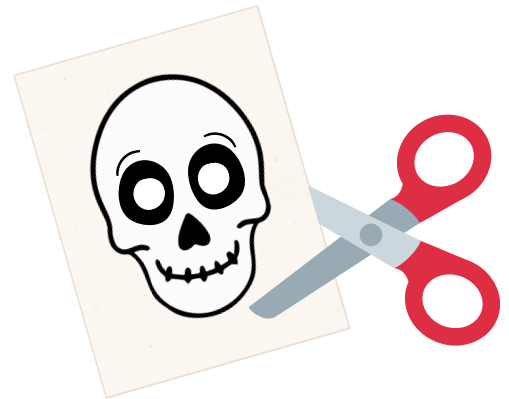
STEP 2

Glue the paper to a piece of cardboard. (Another piece of thick paper will also work!)



STEP 3

With an adult's help, carefully cut out the mask with a pair of scissors. Remember to cut out some holes for the eyes too.



STEP 4

Use coloured pencils to decorate your mask with lovely patterns and shapes.



STEP 5

Make little holes either side of the mask and loop a piece of string through them.

