

COLLAGE TIGER MASK

This colourful collaged mask is made from lots of different textured papers and materials. It's a great way to use up all those crafting scraps and is an ideal make for little hands.

ENCOURAGES: Exploration of Materials ★ Construction ★ Role-Play



STORE CUPBOARD

- Paper plate
- PVA glue & brush
- Pencil
- Scraps of materials in yellow/orange/brown/beige
- Length of thin elastic
- Bottle top
- Black pipe cleaner
- Small pieces of orange & black card
- Scissors

1 Hold the plate up against the child's face to measure where the eye holes need to be and mark with a pencil. Draw around a bottle top to make two eyes where your pencil marks are and cut them out carefully.

2 Use a sharp pencil to make a small hole either side of the plate about eye height. Thread the thin elastic through and knot each side at the front of the plate.

3 Cut up all the different materials into various sized pieces. Brush glue all over the paper plate and allow children to stick them on to cover the whole plate.

4 Cut out two ear shapes from orange card and with a little glue, stick behind the top of the plate. Cut a nose from black card and attach on top of the collage face.

5 Cut two short lengths of black pipe cleaner and bend one into a smile. Stick them into place, under the nose, with glue.

HINTS & TIPS

Create a jungle scene and encourage the children to pretend to be a pack of tiger cubs. Tiger cubs like to lie in the sun or shade, play tag and roly poly with one another and roar at other animals to defend their territory.