

Parent Guide



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What is this resource and how do I use it?

These tissue box creations are a fun craft that you can do with your child at home. You can use recycled tissue boxes to create your craft or upcycle your new tissue boxes to make them more exciting.

What skills does this practise?

Creativity

Arts and Crafts

Following Instructions

Fine Motor Skills

Further Activity Ideas and Suggestions

Why not let your child choose which tissue box creation they would like to make, then encourage them to give it a name and write or tell a story about it? This is a great way to practise writing in a fun and creative way.

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Homework Help



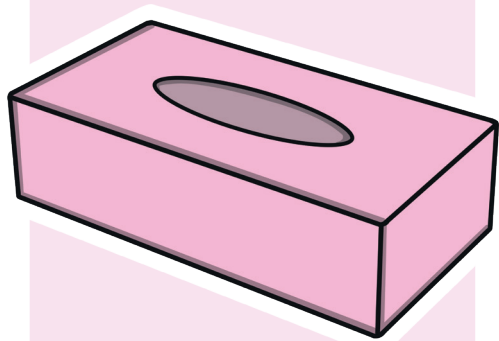
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Tissue Box Pig

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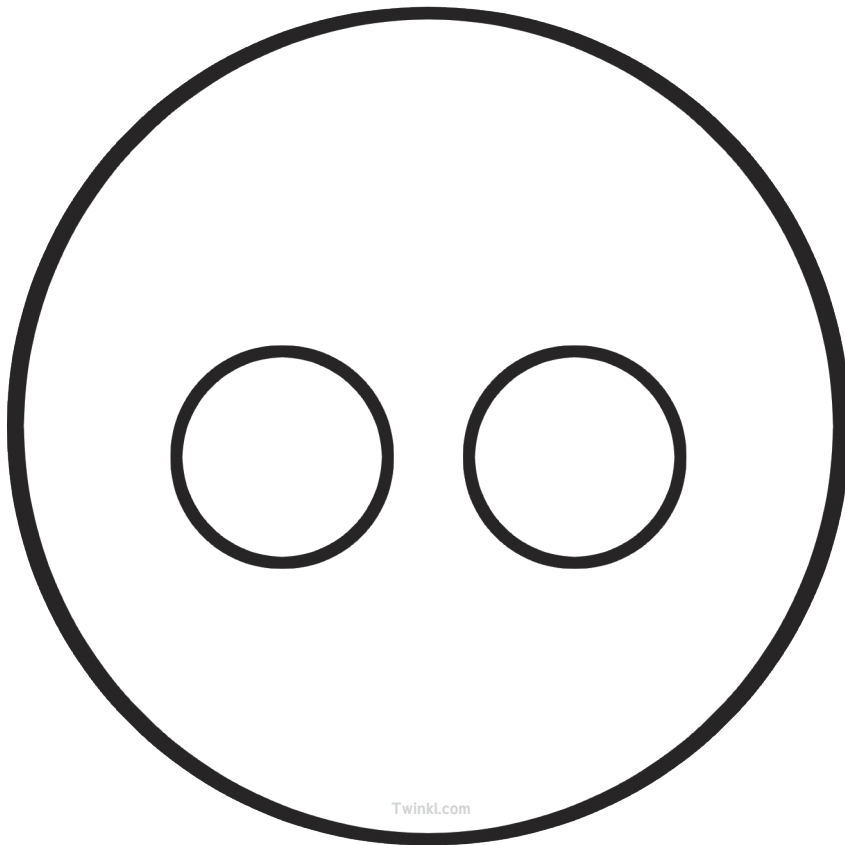
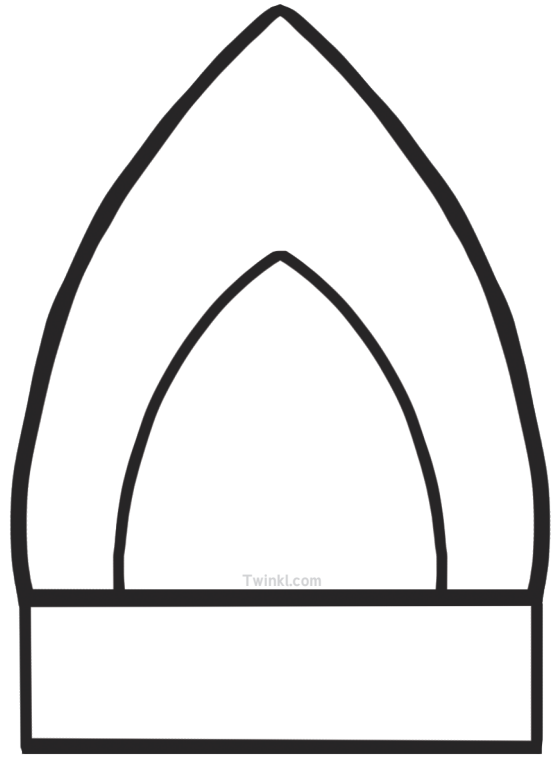
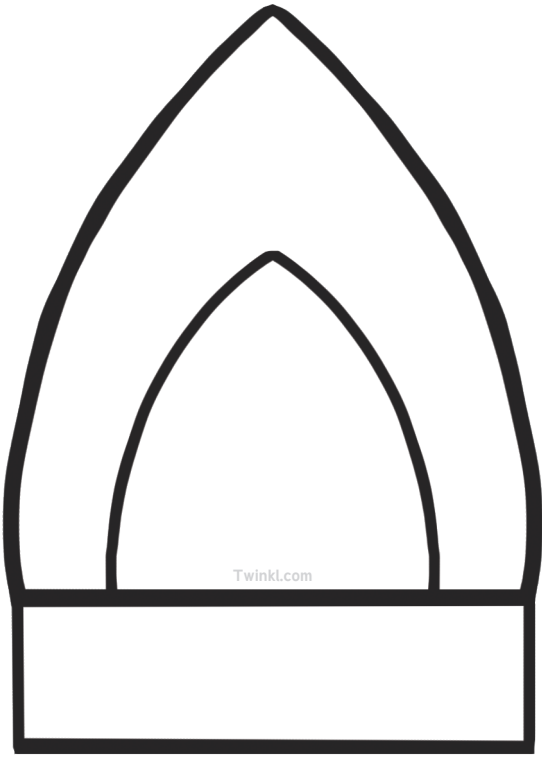
- cube-shaped tissue box
- pink paint
- paintbrush
- Pig Cut-Outs
- googly eyes
- pink craft paper
- pencil
- scissors
- sticky glue
- sticky tape
- pink pipe cleaner
- coloured pens for decoration



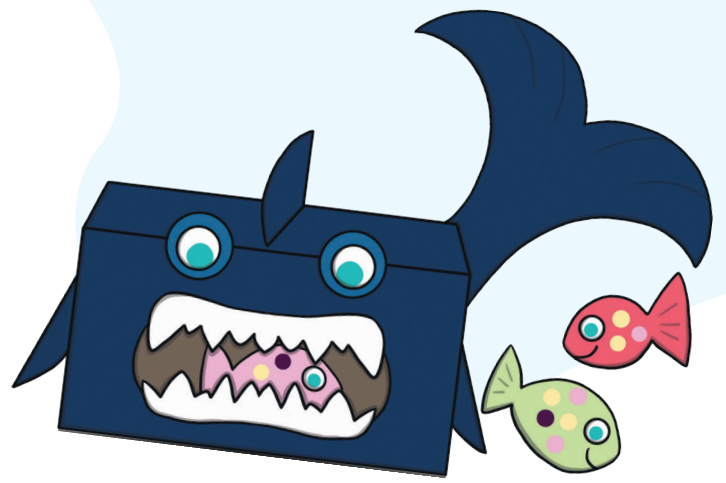
Instructions

1. Print and cut out the Pig Cut-Outs.
2. Remove the plastic from the hole of the tissue box.
3. Position your tissue box so that the hole is on the bottom.
4. Paint your tissue box pink and leave it to dry.
5. Use the pencil to draw some ears and a snout on the pink craft paper and cut them out.
6. Fold the flap on each ear and stick the flap to the top of the tissue box so that they stick up.
7. Stick the snout on the front of the box.
8. Glue your googly eyes above the snout.
9. Wrap the pipe cleaner around your finger and then remove it to create a curly tail.
10. Secure the tail onto the back of the tissue box with sticky tape.
11. Use the pens to add any final details to your tissue box pig, such as the ears and snout.





Tissue Box Shark

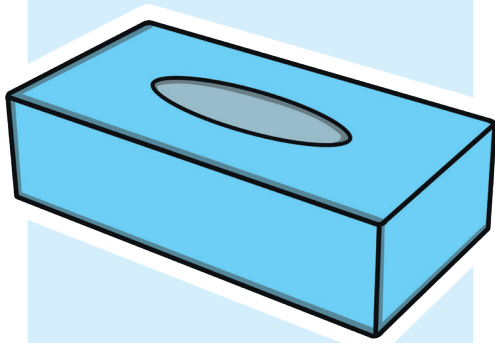


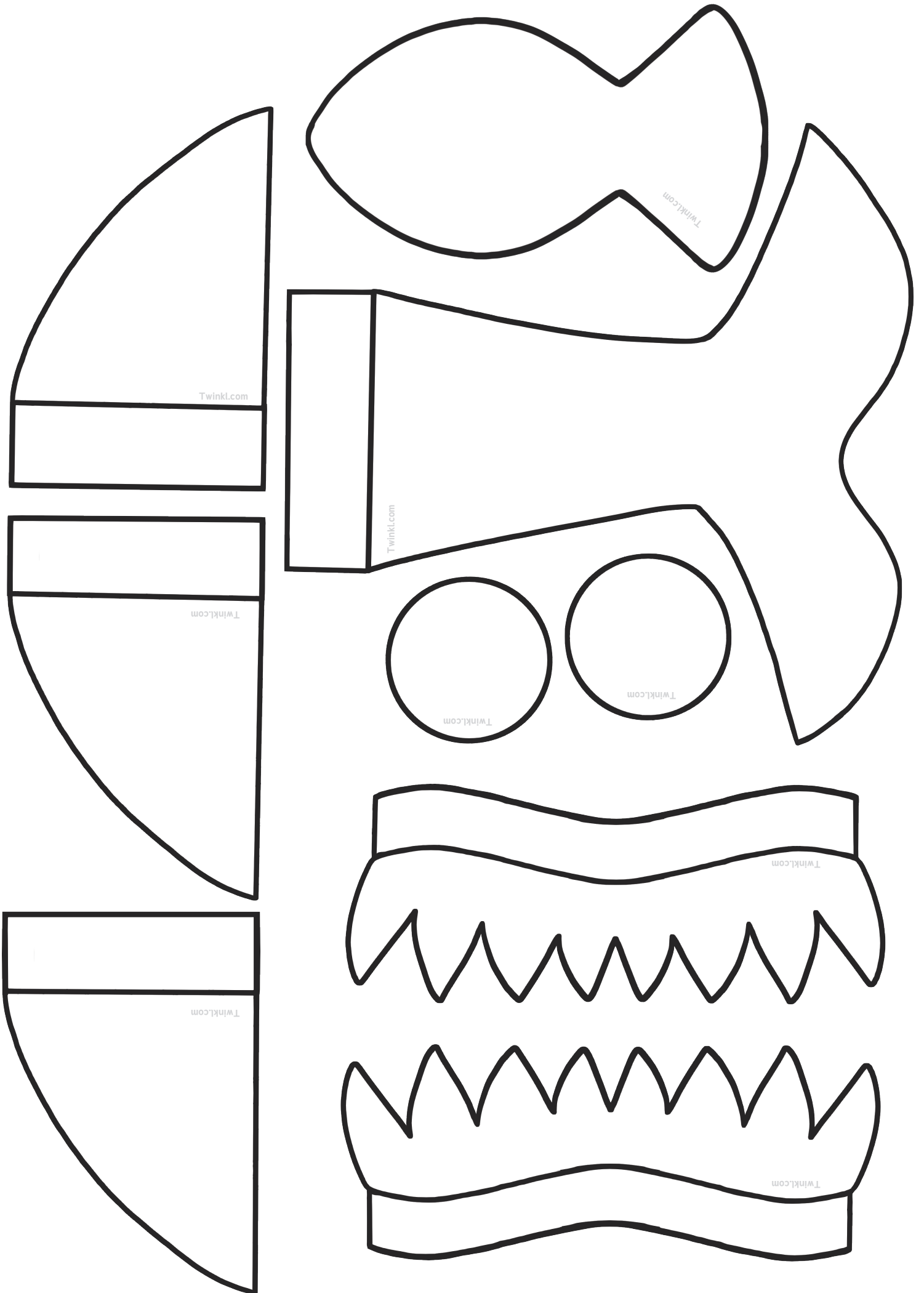
You will need:

- tissue box
- black paint
- paintbrush
- Shark Cut-Outs
- googly eyes
- black paper
- coloured paper
- coloured pens
- pencil
- scissors
- sticky glue

Instructions

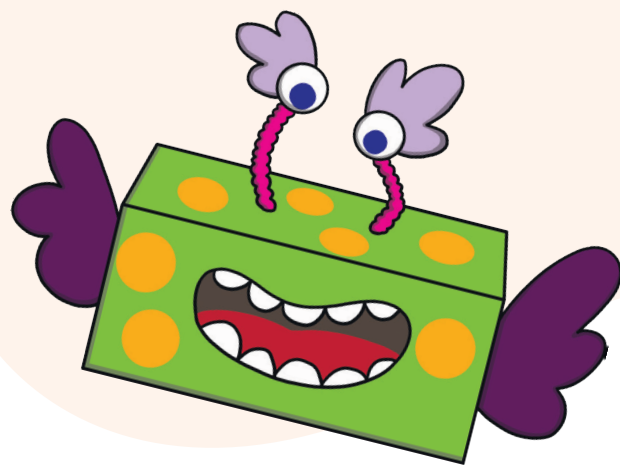
1. Print and cut out the Shark Cut-Outs.
2. Remove the plastic from the hole of the tissue box.
3. Position your tissue box so that the hole is on one side.
4. Paint your tissue box black and leave it to dry.
5. Draw around the Shark Tail Cut-Out on the black card and cut it out.
6. Stick the tail on the back so that it sticks up and can be seen from the front.
7. Stick the googly eyes onto the front of the tissue box above the hole.
8. Using a pencil, draw around the Fish Cut-Out onto some coloured craft paper and then cut it out.
9. Use the coloured pens to add details, such as eyes and mouth.
10. Carefully place your hand into the hole and stick the fish inside the box so that it can be seen through the hole and looks like the shark has eaten it.
11. Cut out the Shark Teeth Cut-Outs and glue the teeth onto the box at the top and bottom of the hole.





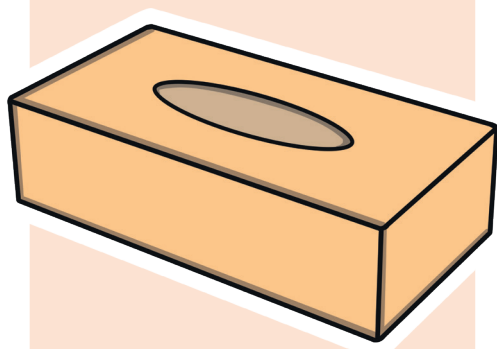
Tissue Box

Monster



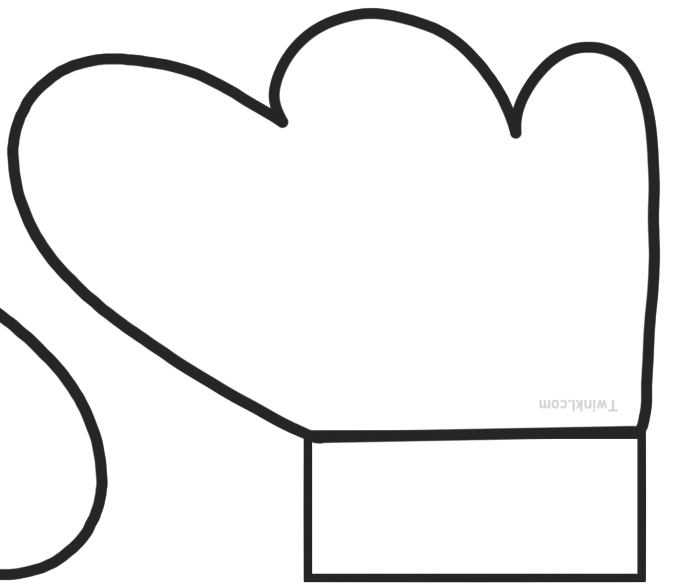
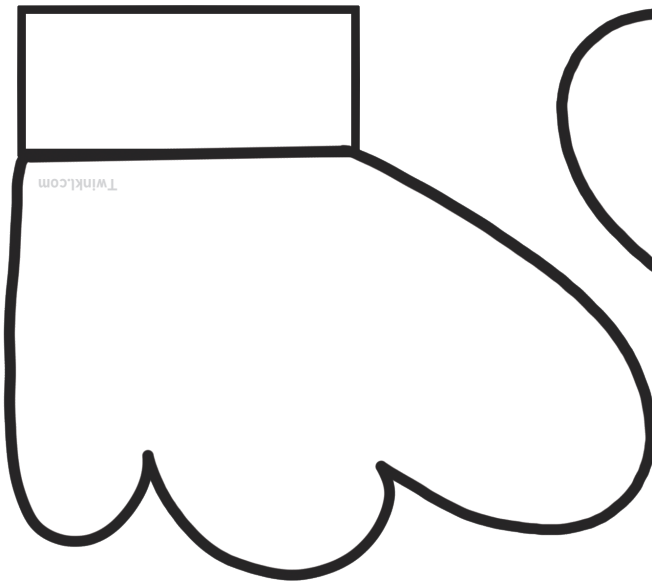
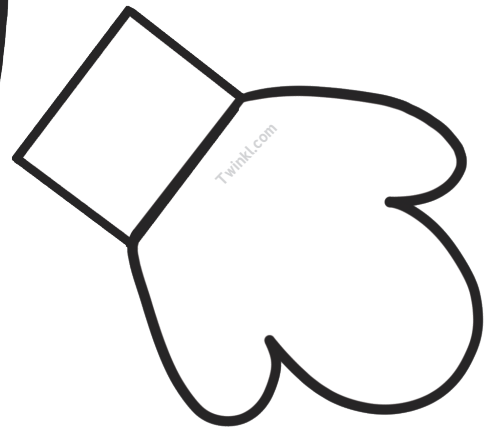
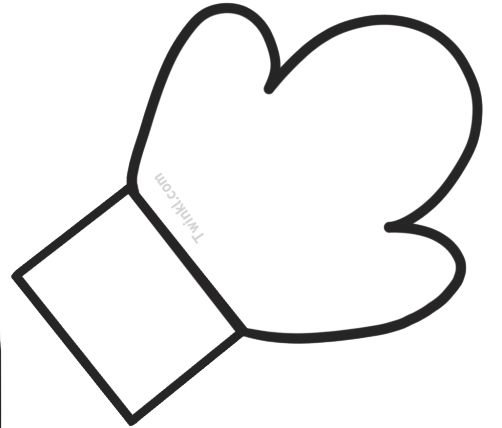
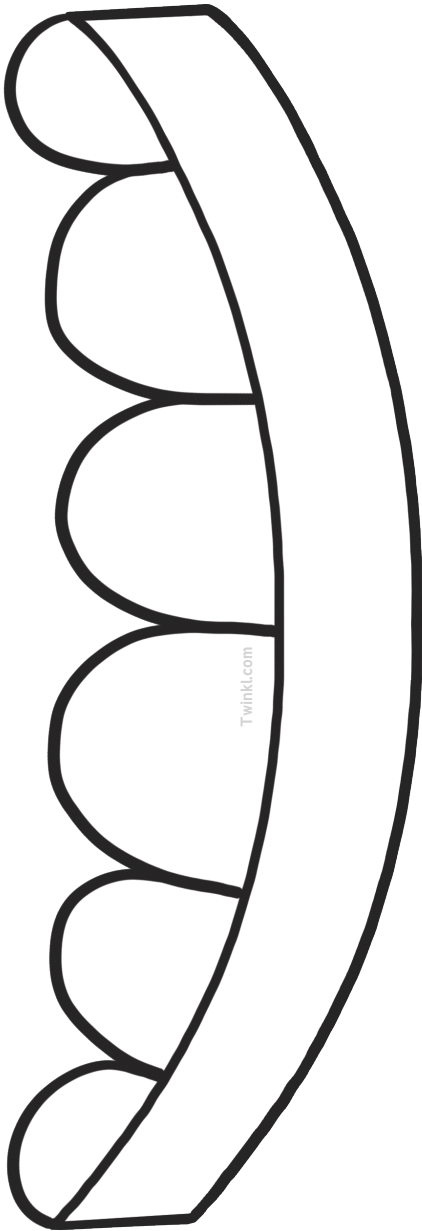
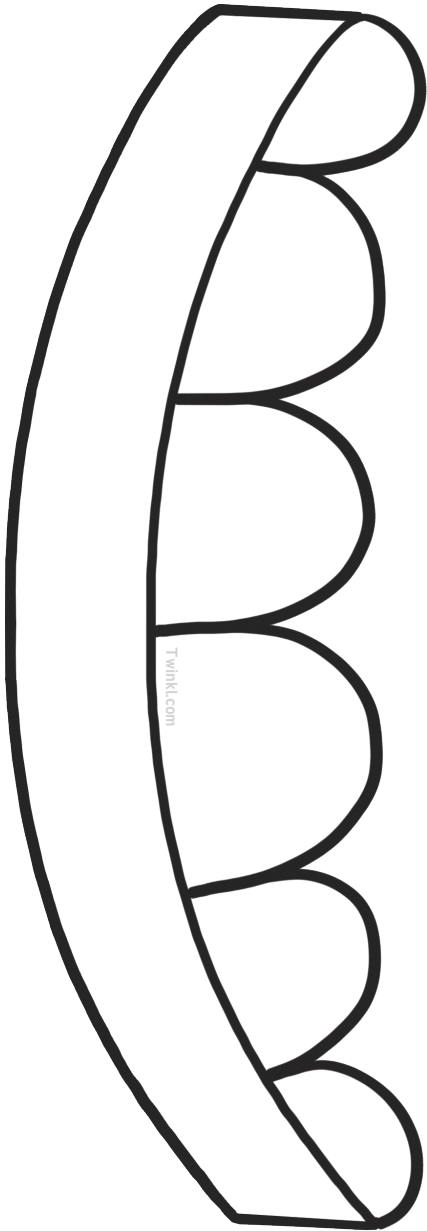
You will need:

- tissue box
- paint (in colours of your choice)
- paintbrush
- Monster Cut-Outs
- googly eyes
- coloured craft paper
- black paper or card
- pencil
- scissors
- sticky glue
- sticky tape
- 2 pipe cleaners



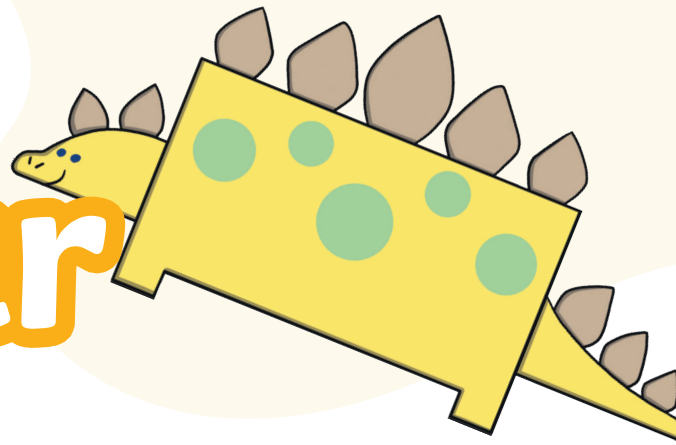
Instructions

1. Print and cut out the Monster Teeth Cut-Outs.
2. Remove the plastic from the hole of the tissue box.
3. Position your tissue box so that the hole is on one side.
4. Paint your tissue box in the colour of your choice and leave it to dry.
5. Using the black paper or card, measure and draw a square or rectangle which is slightly larger than the hole on the tissue box.
6. Cut out the Monster Teeth Cut-Outs and stick them onto the front of the black card or paper at the top and bottom.
7. Place some sticky glue around the edge of the paper and carefully insert it into the box. Then glue it to the side so that it covers the hole and the teeth can be seen from the outside.
8. Use some sticky tape to secure the two pipe cleaners to the top of the tissue box and then stick the googly eyes to the top of them.
9. Use the coloured paper to draw and cut out some details to add onto your monster, such as spots or shapes.



Tissue Box

Dinosaur



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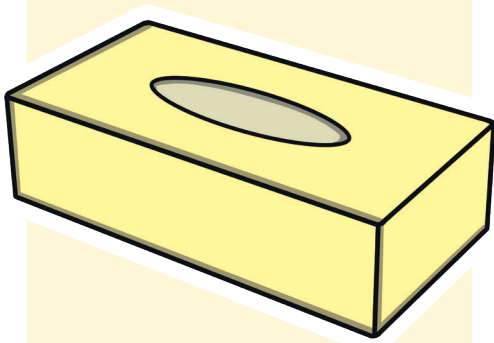
- cuboid-shaped tissue box
- paint (in a colour of your choice)
- paintbrush
- card (in a colour of your choice)
- Dinosaur Cut-Outs
- pencil
- scissors
- sticky glue
- sticky tape
- black felt-tip pen

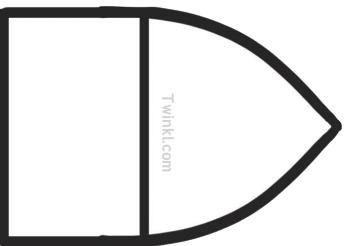
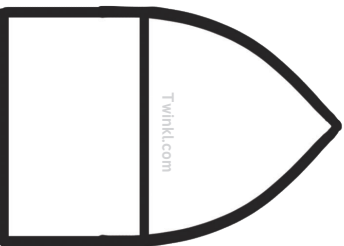
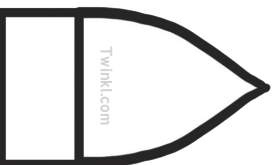
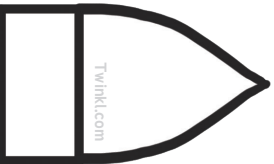
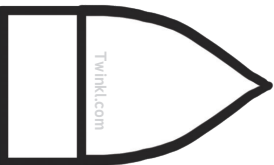
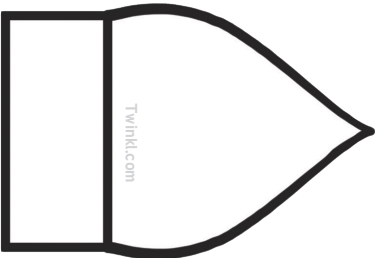
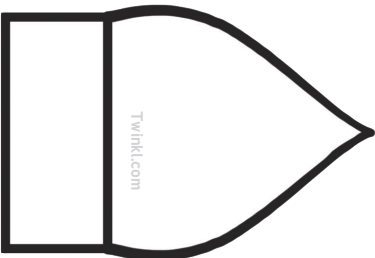
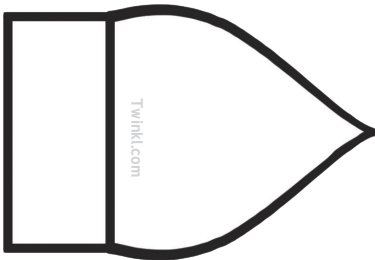
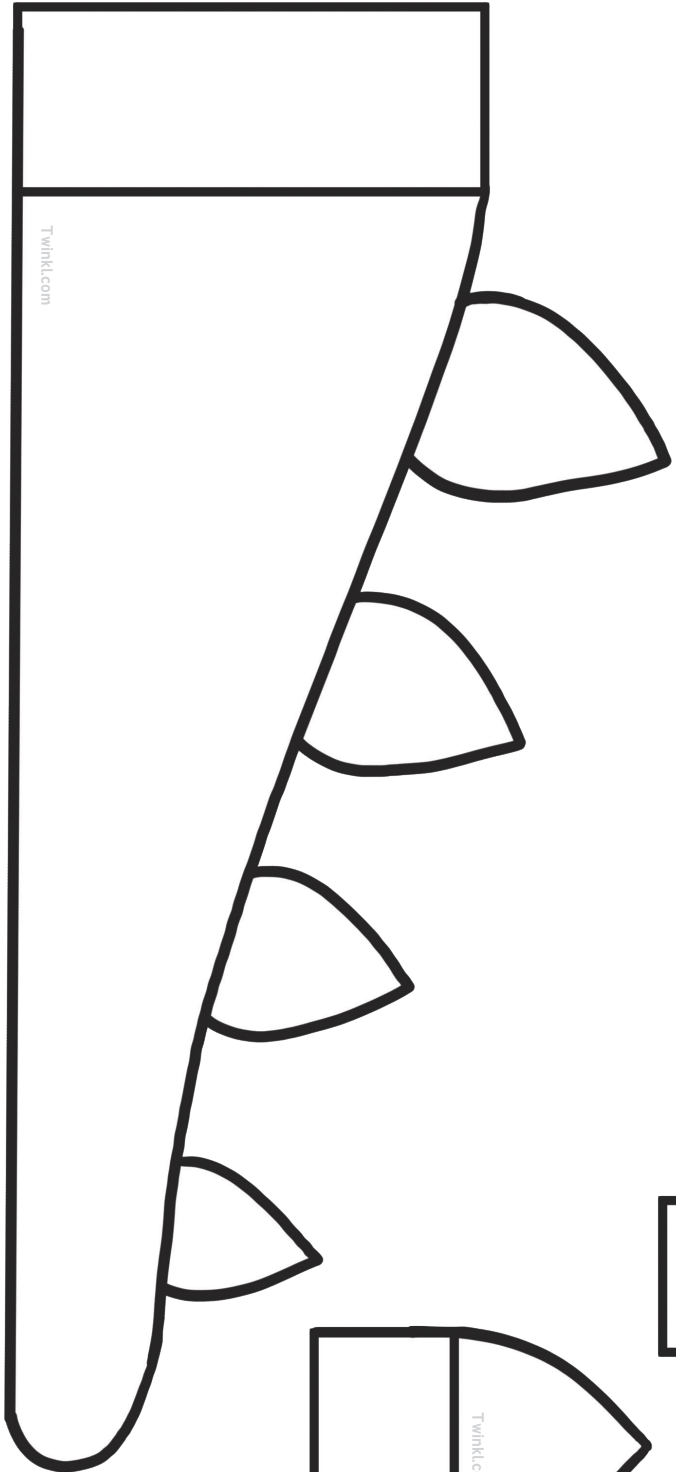
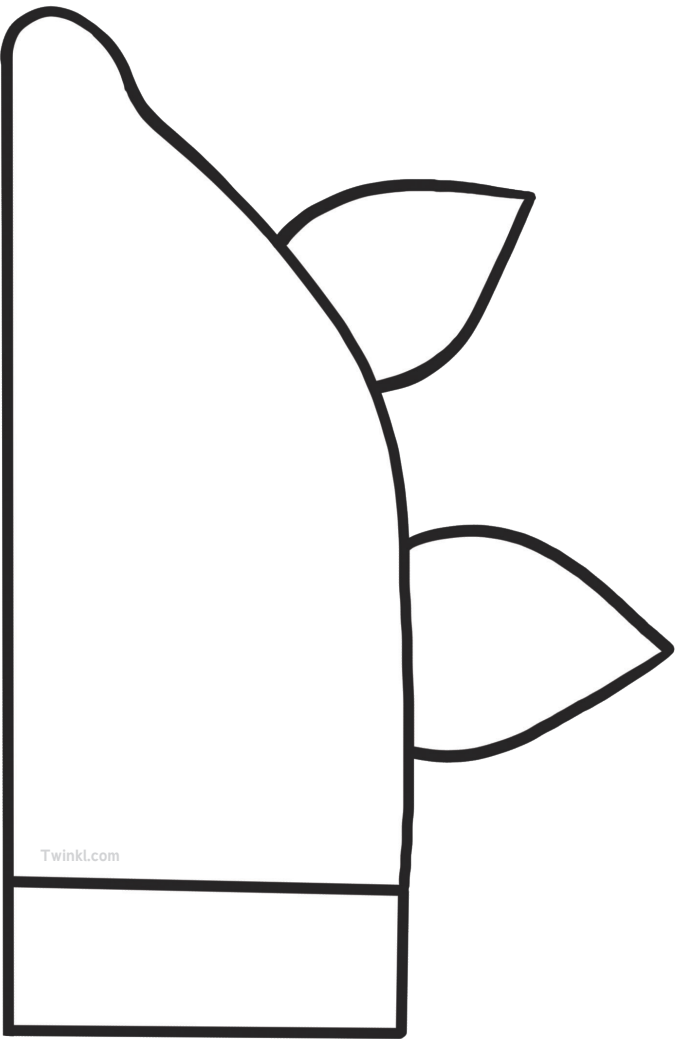
Instructions

1. Print and cut out the Dinosaur Cut-Outs.
2. Remove the plastic from the hole of the tissue box.
3. Paint your tissue box in the colour of your choice and leave it to dry.
4. Using the head and tail from the Dinosaur Cut-Outs as a stencil, draw around them on some card (the same colour as your paint) and then cut them out. Use sticky tape to secure them to the front and back of your tissue box.
5. Choose some of the dinosaur spikes or plates to use as a stencil and draw around them on some card in the colour of your choice.
6. Cut them out and use the flap to secure them to the top of the tissue box.

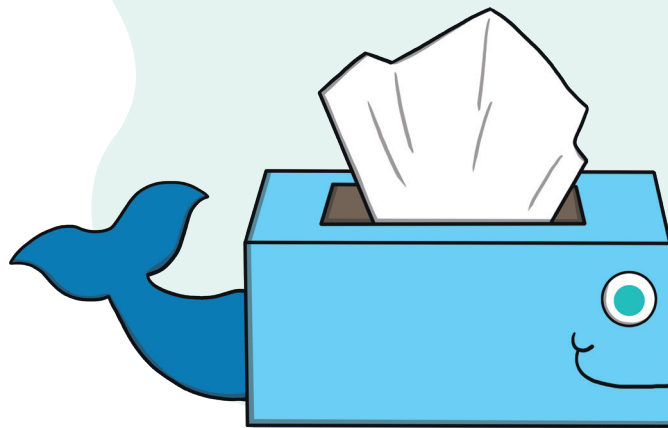
Twinkl Tip: To get them to stay standing, cut a slit down the centre of the flap and fold the flaps so that half is to the left and half is to the right.

7. Use the black pen to add details, including eyes and mouth on the dinosaur's face.





Tissue Box Whale

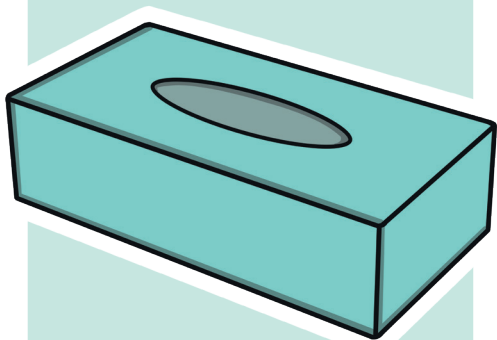


You will need:

- cuboid-shaped tissue box
- blue paint
- paintbrush
- blue card
- Whale Tail Cut-Out
- pencil
- scissors
- sticky glue
- sticky tape
- black felt-tip pen

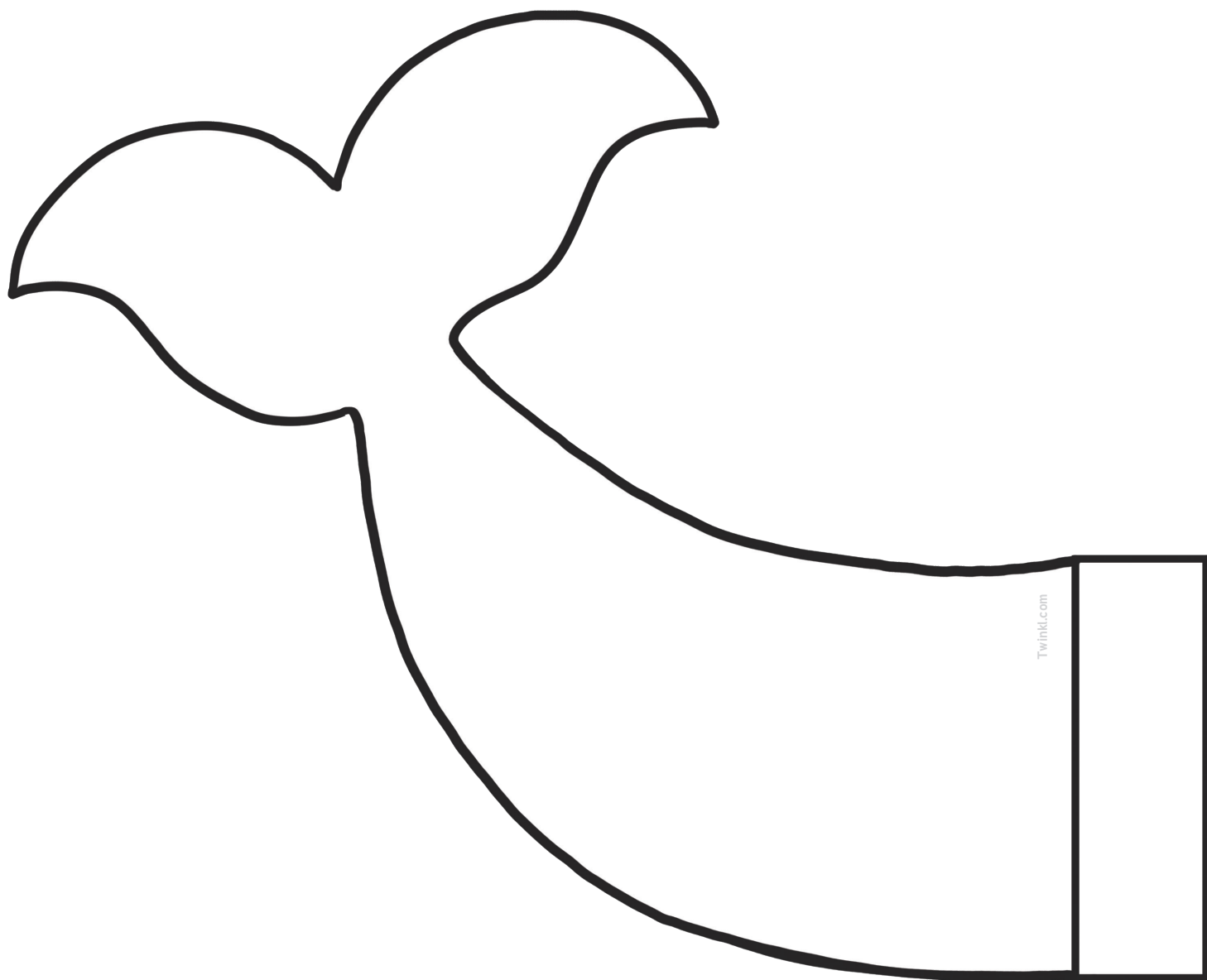
Instructions

1. Print and cut out the Whale Tail Cut-Out.
2. Remove the plastic from the hole of the tissue box.
3. Paint your tissue box blue and leave it to dry.
4. Draw around the Whale Tail Cut-Out on some blue card and cut it out.
5. Use the flap to secure the tail to the back end of the box.
6. Use the black pen to add an eye on each side of the box and a smile for the whale.



Disclaimer

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