



Here are 8 fun art and craft things for you to try at home.

Year 4

Remember – if you don't have paints at home, you could have a go at making your own. Flour and food colouring works, so does shaving

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| <p>Recycled Flowers</p> | <p>Can you use scraps of paper (newspaper, magazines, coloured paper) to create one or more flowers. You could even try and collage the petals using the skills we have already learnt with smaller pieces of paper. Use your imagination, this could be your dream flower!</p> |  |
| <p>Loo Roll Art Challenge!</p> | <p>We will all have toilet roll tubes in our houses, instead of putting them straight in the bin, why don't you create a piece of artwork on them? Remember, it's a 3D canvas, so your artwork should spread around the whole toilet roll. There is now an entire gallery online for this "loo roll art" – take a look once you've created yours!</p> |  |
| <p>The Great British "Pizza Off"</p> | <p>Why don't you make pizza dough with your family (or buy pizza bases) and have a competition to see who can make the best looking or the best tasting pizza? You will need to decide your toppings and how you will arrange them to make it look the best! This could be changed to be any recipe - biscuits, sandwiches or even toast!</p> |  |
| <p>Bubble Painting</p> | <p>Mix together your choice of paint and some washing up liquid in a tray or on a plate. Add some water until it is runny enough to blow bubbles. Use the drinking straw to blow into the paint mixture to make bubbles. Gently place a piece of paper on top of the bubbles. When the bubbles pop, remove the paper and leave to dry.</p> |  |
| <p>Make a Rainbow!</p> | <p>In support of our key workers and brilliant NHS staff, choose a creative way to make a rainbow – this might be using colouring pencils, paint, lego, coloured paper or even materials. You might want to put it in your window for everyone to see.</p> |  |
| <p>Sourdough Masterpiece</p> | <p>Mix 500g plain flour with 250g salt and then add 250ml of water. Mix into a dough and roll out onto a flat surface (sprinkle some flour to stop it from sticking to the surface) until its about 1.5cm thick. Place on a baking tray. Make your hand imprints and then place in the oven at the lowest possible temperature for about 3 hours or until completely solid. Once solid and cooled, paint in your choice of colours and then you can seal with a PVA/water mix to keep it shiny.</p> |  |
| <p>DIY Bug Hotel</p> | <p>You need to cut the top and the bottom of a large plastic bottle (with an adult's help) so that you have a plastic tube. Then you can collect twigs, leaves, moss, pine cones, bark and any other natural items that you think the bugs will love! You can either lay this down in the grass in your garden or hang it up on a fence.</p> |  |

**Fingerprint
animal
alphabet**

Start by creating a fingerprint in a colour of your choice, wait for it to dry and then add details using a pencil. Can you create a range of animals – you could try and make an animal alphabet. For example, alligator, butterfly, cat, dog etc.

