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Teaching Through Nature



Make a Paper Plate Puffin

Resources

- One 20-25 centimetre paper plate
- Two 15 centimetre paper plates
- Orange Card
- Glue
- Orange, black, white and yellow paint

What to do!

1. Make your own templates for the head, body and feet
2. Paint one 15 centimetre (small paper plate) black. Let it dry. Now fold in half to create the wings.
3. Use the head pattern to make the Puffin's head. Fold a 15 centimetre (small plate) in half. Push the folded centre line in on each end of the plate to make pleats as shown in the diagram. Glue the pleats together. Now use the pattern to paint the Puffin's head.
4. To make the body fold the large paper plate in half and cut out a vertical 1 centimetre slit on one side. Now glue the sides of the paper plate together.
5. Fold the feet in half. Now stick the folded edge of the feet to the folded edge of the large paper plate and glue together.
6. To add the wings -Glue the top of the wing to the body of the Puffin.
7. To complete your puppet now position and glue the head as shown in the diagram.

