

## Half-term holiday at home- ideas for the whole family....

MAKE A MUSICAL INSTRUMENT! You can use any items you have in your recycling- try plastic bottles, cereal boxes and cardboard tubes. Decorate your family instruments and play in your own band each Thursday when we clap for carers at 8pm! More ideas at: <a href="https://www.activityvillage.co.uk/musical-instruments">https://www.activityvillage.co.uk/musical-instruments</a>

MAKE A MARBLE RUN! How far can you make your marble travel? Decide on your start and your finish. How will you get your marble there? Remember your marble can't touch the floor and you can't help it along! This is your chance to get competitive- who can make the longest marble run?



## **GET CREATIVE WITH 3D RAINBOW MODELS...**









HAVE A BOAT RACE! You could get the paddling pool out to test your boats or use the bath!

Make sure your boat floats, give it a sail, decorate it and off you go!

PUT ON A PLAY! You could base your script on a story you know well, a true event or invent one of your own! You can use simple props like coats, hats and sunglasses to change your characters or why not try making your play with puppets? There are lots of ideas on this website for you to try: <a href="https://littleangeltheatre.com/schools-and-community/at-home-resources/">https://littleangeltheatre.com/schools-and-community/at-home-resources/</a>



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MAKE A SMILE TREE- you can use a large drawing or a picture of a tree; or you could use a 3d model or even a real tree! Make some special leaves for your tree that you will hang from the tree at the end. On each leaf you make, put the name of someone who makes you happy, someone who makes you smile, an activity you like to do or something that makes you feel happy. Talk about each leaf you have made and share your smiles with your family.

TRY A SCAVENGER HUNT- you can have any theme you like. Try finding objects that begin with every letter in your name or objects that match all the colours in the rainbow.



GET JUNK MODELLING! Collect those cereal boxes, big cardboard boxes, cardboard tubes, plastic bottles etc and turn them into an amazing creation! Let your imagination go wild. You could make a recycling superhero, a robot, a fish tank full of brightly coloured fish – anything you like!



LEARN THE ANCIENT ART OF ORIGAMI- you can make all kinds of amazing creations with a little practice. Try this website for ideas and step by step guides to get you started. All you need is some paper! Https://www.activityvillage.co.uk/origami



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