

Shall we make a penguin?

You will need:

Paper penguin instructions, picture of a penguin if possible, black paper, white paper, orange card, tissue paper or shredded newspaper, white chalk or crayon, scissors, stapler and glue.

What to do:

- Let's make a penguin. What does a penguin look like? Where do penguins live?
- Look at the sheet about how to make a penguin.
- Collect together all the items you will need to make your penguin.
- With a helper, carefully follow the instructions to make your own penguin pet! Maybe they could make one too!
- Carefully bring your penguin into school to join the Happy Feet class penguin colony



This activity helps your child to explore colour, shape and form to make a 3-D penguin. Take some time to talk to your child about penguins, particularly about their features. If possible, look at books or the internet for penguin pictures. Help your child when using scissors and support them as they make their model.

Foundation Curriculum areas covered:

Personal, Social and Emotional Development; Knowledge and Understanding of the World; and Creative Development.



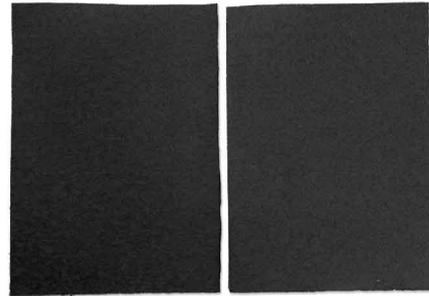
How to make a penguin

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- Black paper
- Orange card
- White paper
- Scissors
- Tissue paper or newspaper
- White chalk
- Stapler
- Glue

What to do:

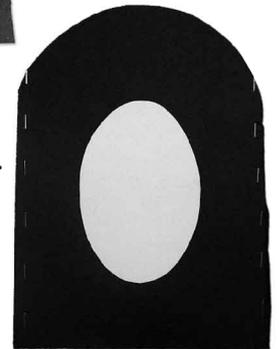
1. Cut out two pieces of black paper the same size.



2. Cut a curve around the top.

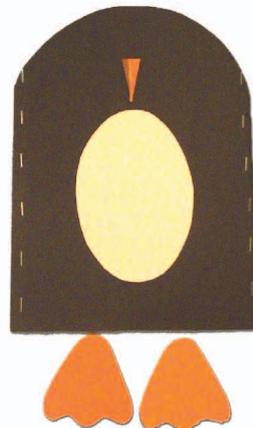
3. Staple the sides and top of the black paper together.

4. Cut out an oval shape for the penguins bib from the white paper.



5. Use the orange card to cut out 2 feet shapes and a triangle for its beak.

6. Stick on the white bib, beak and some eyes.



7. Make some wings for your penguin from the black paper. Use white chalk to colour the inside of the penguins' wings. Stick (or staple) these to the sides of your penguin.

8. Carefully stuff the pocket of the penguin with tissue paper (or newspaper). Remember there should still be an opening at the bottom!

9. Finally stick on the penguin's feet. Making small creases on the webbed feet give it a 3D effect.

