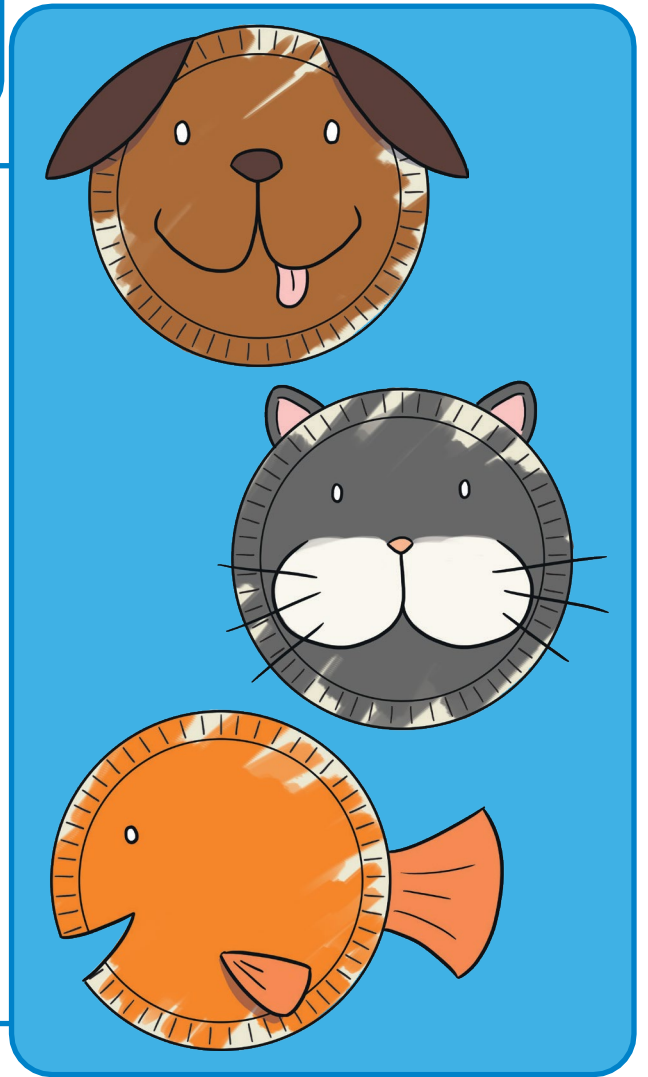


Paper Plate Pets

You will need:

- Paper plates (one per child)
- Paint
- Paintbrushes
- Different coloured sugar paper
- Scissors
- Glue sticks
- Glue spreaders
- Marker pens (optional)
- Decorative items, such as wool and googly eyes (optional)



Instructions

1. Choose which pet you would like to make. The paper plate is going to be the animal's head (unless you choose a goldfish!). Think about what colour your pet needs to be.
2. Paint the paper plate completely in your chosen colour. Wait for it to dry. If you haven't got any paints you could colour it in with felt tips/ crayons or glue on your chosen colour of paper.
3. Once the paint is dry, you can add the smaller details. Choose some paper that is the same colour as your painted plate and cut out shapes for the ears and nose. Triangles, semicircles and ovals work really well! Use white glue to attach them. Hold them in place for a few seconds.
4. Use a small paintbrush (or marker pens) to add any more details, such as eyes. Alternatively, you could use googly eyes.
5. Leave the decorations to completely dry.
6. Take a photo of your paper plate pets for your child's online journal (on EEXAT)!