

**CURBSIDE CRAFTS FROM THE
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MINI TURTLE PALS

Summer is a great time to explore for turtles, and you won't have far to look to find the two little turtles in this craft kit! Smaller hands may need help getting started.



Supplies in kit

- 2 turtle pal forms
- cotton yarn for weaving

What you'll need from home

- scissors
- colored markers or watercolor paints
- a black marker

Directions

1. Color the body of the turtle with markers. Use the black marker to add the face and any details that you want to see when the "shell" is complete.



2. Tie the length of yarn to the underside of the body of the turtle, leaving about 3 inches extra for tying off the two ends of the yarn when the "shell" is complete.



3. Criss-cross the yarn a few times to create the top of the shell.



4. Wrap the yarn around a leg and across the top to the next leg. Wrap the yarn under and back up, across to the next leg. Repeat all the way around and around the turtle until the yarn is almost used up. Tie the two ends of the yarn under the turtle and say hello to your little turtle pal! You can also experiment with different weaving and wrapping techniques!



BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

Hurry Up and Slow Down by Layn Marlow (ages 3-6)

Interrupted Journey by Kathryn Lasky (ages 5-9)

Red, Red, Red by Valeri Gorbachev (ages 3-6)

Old Turtle's 90 Knock Knocks, Jokes, and Riddles by Leonard Kessler (ages 4-8)

Scoot by Cathryn Falwell (ages 3-6)



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