PUP THE PUPPET!

Because it is so easy, once you have made this cute little canine you will want to make a whole kennel full. We hope that it will inspire you to create other puppet creatures as well. It’s a great way to upcycle used copier paper and any colorful scraps that are left over from other craft projects!

Supplies in kit

• 1 tri-folded piece of construction paper
• pup’s ears, nose, tongue, and spot
• black and white self-sticking dots for the eyes

What you’ll need from home

• glue stick or liquid school glue

Directions

1. Open the top fold and apply glue to the area pictured. Press the top fold in place on the glued area. Fold the paper in half, as pictured.

2. Fold back each end, as pictured.
3. Now you have the finger pockets. Here is Miss Stephanie showing us how to use these pockets to hold the puppet!

4. Now it’s time to add the happy face to your Pup-Puppet! Be sure to apply the pup’s face to the top side of the finger pocket as you can see in the back view in (A). The ears are on top of the part of the puppet where your fingers will go. (B) is what it looks like on the front. Now simply add the rest of Pup’s face. Woof!

**BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS**

*The Pigeon Wants a Puppy* by Mo Willems  
*My New Puppy* by Harriet Haines  
*Doggy Whys?* by Lila Praf  
*The Lonesome Puppy* by Yoshimoto Yara  
*Puppy* by Jane Burton

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