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# **SUNNY DAY!**

Sometimes cold weather can make us feel down in the dumps. Chase away winter doldrums with your very own portable sun!

### Supplies in kit

- 6 each yellow and orange circles
- 4 orange triangles
- 6 yellow triangles
- a length of string

#### What you'll need from home

- · liquid school glue or glue stick
- tape

#### Directions

 Select three each of the orange and yellow circles and fold them in half. Glue the sides together, alternating the colors as pictured. Repeat with the remaining circles to make two separate 3D sun circles







2. Gently open one of the sun circles so that you have a flat circle and glue four of the triangles as pictured. Then add the four orange triangles.







3. Run a line of glue down from the top of one yellow triangle through the opposite one. Place the string onto the glue and add tape to secure it. Then line up two remaining yellow triangles on top of the ones with the string and glue them to cover the string.





4. Glue the remaining 3D sun circle on top of the two yellow triangles you just glued down. Hold up your shining sun and gently separate the colorful wedges on each side. Hang up your sunshine and you will have sunny days all winter long!



## **BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS**

The Sun Shines Everywhere by Mary Ann Hoberman

An Island in the Sun by Stella Blackwell

Sun Bread by Elisa Kleven

Musicians of the Sun by Gerald McDermott

Star of the Party: the Solar System Celebrates by Jan Carr



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