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FLUFFY THE PUFFY FLYING FISH!

Upcycle newspaper and fluff to make this bobbing puffy fish! Use your imagination to make your puffy fish super snazzy.

Supplies in kit

- 2 fish and fin templates printed on newspaper
- 2 white circles and 2 black sticky dots
- upcycled poly fluff
- 1 piece of colored yarn

What you'll need from home

- watercolor paints and brush
- glue stick or liquid school glue
- scissors
- marker
- hole punch

Directions

1. Using watercolors, paint all over each of the fish templates and set aside to dry. Then, cut out each fish and the fins.





2. Add the eyes to each of the templates and draw a smile. Attach the fins to the fish's body. Add fun details with markers, or use your imagination with other art supplies!







3. Glue the sides of the fish together at the top edge and tail fins, leaving an opening to stuff the fluff as pictured. Pinch all around and allow the glue to set for a bit.





4. Carefully stuff in the fluff, then glue the bottom together. Punch a hole in the top and add the yarn. Hang your snazzy fish up and say hello to Fluffy the Puffy Flying Fish!







BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

Fish is Fish by Leo Lionni

The Only Fish in the Sea by Philip Stead

Where's the Fish? by Tarō Gomi

Ocean Parade: a counting book by Patricia MacCarthy

The Fish Who Cried Wolf by Julia Donaldson



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