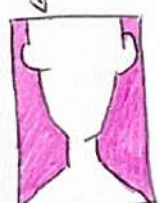


Where's your head at?

Ever fancied a different hairstyle? Here's your chance to 'try before you buy'. You'll need some cardboard and a felt tip pen and some crazy ideas... let's go!

1. On a piece of cardboard, plan out your head and shoulders shape with the top of the head on an edge.  Cut it out.

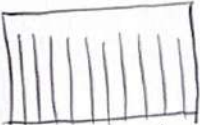
2. Add the facial features and details - if you fancy looking at an artist for inspiration, look at Fiona Wilson online - she has some crazy people with really simple faces to copy (Ilove them!)

3. When you've coloured in, you're ready to take your face anywhere - let's try some hair on.... #SRESatHome



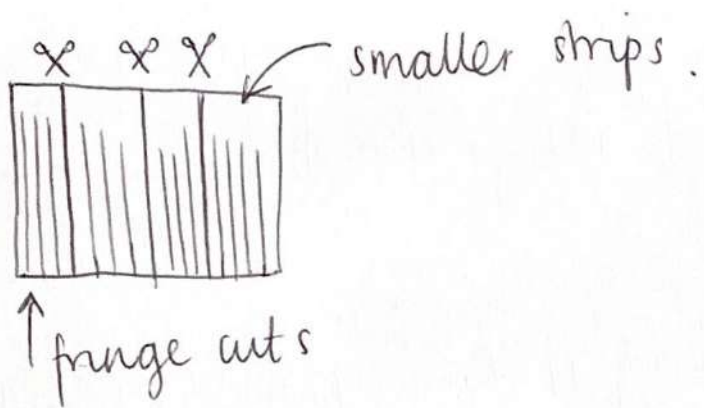
Keep your hair on!

Image transformation alert! This could make you consider a whole new look.

1. Start by gathering your materials - cardboard and newspaper, and some glue, PVA or school glue if you have it. Cut fringes into your newspaper  and make a frame; measure your head circumference around above your ears and build up a dome shaped cage with more strips.

2. Start adding the newspaper, at the bottom at the back first of all, leave the front and top until all of the back is covered.

3. Keep working, adding layers as you go. The further up the head you go, use smaller fringes cutting a whole sheet into smaller strips



4. Cover the front section with short bits of newspaper to make a 'fringe'!
5. Style it out with some scissors, add a flower / headband / bandana - and please, share your new look with #SRESatHome



If started with a ...

Letter! I'm a massive fan of typography and letters, so here's a doodle which could grace a frame in your room or the outside of your door. It's all about the negative space in this one; let's get doodling.

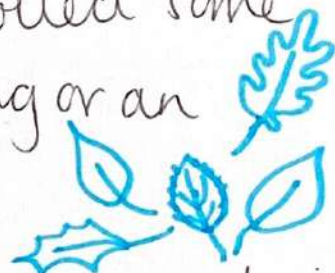
1. Yep, you've guessed it, you need to draw yourself a frame (I'm nothing, if not predictable!)
2. Sketch in lightly the shape of your initial letter (lowercase looks better).
3. Now doodle some patterns in the negative space. Try to make them bold and simple.
4. Rub out your pencil lines, frame it or display it!



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Matchy-Matchy

Get out your pencil crayons and be ready to do some colour-matching. You'll need a trip out to the garden, or the park to collect some leaves - don't forget to take a bag or an envelope to slip them into.



1. Press your leaves overnight under something heavy or between the pages of a big book.
2. Find your leaves and carefully cut them down the centre vein; when you've done that, glue one half down on your page.
3. Imagine that centre line is a mirror and try to complete the other half of the leaf as symmetrically as possible.
4. Look at the colours and using some pencils try to blend your colours to match the leaf.
OR **GO CRAZY** and choose some different ones!
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Mice are Nice!

Except when they're in your loft... I saw something the other day which reminded me of a programme on telly when I was little, called 'Fingerbobs' - he was a mouse finger-puppet made from paper who went on adventures (I'm sure it's on YouTube, go watch it - that was all we had in the 70's...)

1. Grab your magazine trash, something circular to draw round and your glue and let's go!

2. Draw around something and pick out some papers from your magazine to collage over it. - don't worry about going over the edges, we'll cut it out later on. (circular - I used some tape on a roll)

You need to stick some paper down over these shapes -



a large ish circle for the body

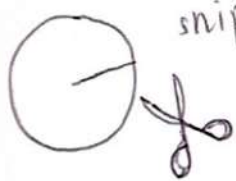
and



two of these ear shapes

3. When your glue has dried, you can start cutting out your snapes.

4. Find the centre of your circle piece and cut a slit from the edge to the centre



snip! Now, roll this circle into a cone shape, overlapping the edges till you have a neat shape. You can staple, paperclip or glue this together, so it stays when you let go.

5. Now add the ears by gluing on the tab section



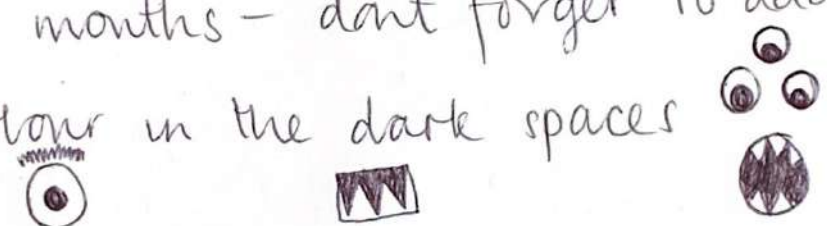
6. If you've got googly eyes, pop some on or else make your own from some paper (that's what I've done, draw on a nose, cut a tail from some string and glue it inside.

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Monster Lollies

Next time you have an ice lolly, save the stick! We seem to have quite a few in my house... whoops!

1. Draw on your eyes (as many as you like!) and mouths - don't forget to add teeth, and colour in the dark spaces 
2. Put some scrap paper down so that you don't colour in on the table, and then colour your lolly stick - go bright, bold or spotty! Be creative!
3. Put them in a plant to give someone a surprise, use them as a book mark or send one in the post to a friend
4. Don't forget to share them with us at #SRESatHome

