



HOMEMADE PUPPET IDEAS

SPLIT PIN PUPPETS

Materials

- A selection of different sized split pins
- Cardboard
- Markers or crayons
- Wool or string
- Other craft items
- Googly eyes

Steps

1. Decide what you want your puppet to look like.
2. Draw the design of your puppet.
3. Decide what parts of the puppet will move.
4. The parts that will have to be separate pieces when you cut out your design.
5. Draw the different parts of the puppet on cardboard.
6. You can decorate the puppet and then put it together OR put it together and then decorate it.
7. Experiment with the different ways you can move the puppets.
8. Use it to play with or create a story using more than one puppet.

You can also build or make backgrounds for your puppet play.

