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Stick People

Unlike most stick figures, these stick people are too adventurous to stay stuck to the page. Use scavenged sticks and common craft supplies to create a family of stick friends to join you on all your outdoor expeditions.

Supplies

- Sticks, one for each figure you'd like to make
- Markers
- Knife or vegetable peeler
- Yarn
- Glue or clay (optional)

Be careful when using the knife or vegetable peeler. Always peel away from yourself, and consider asking an adult for help.



Instructions

- Decide which end of your stick will be the head. Using the knife or vegetable peeler, carefully peel away the bark to create a face.
- Draw in facial features using a marker.
- Wrap the yarn around the body of your stick person to give it clothes. Tie the yarn tightly to keep it in place, or glue it down. If you don't have yarn, you can make paper clothes to glue onto your stick person.
- Add details to your stick person to showcase its personality. Try using clay to sculpt accessories or use glue to attach other materials like leaves, flowers, pipe cleaners, or paper.

What details will you add to your stick person? Hair, hands, hats...the only limit is your imagination! Check out the next page to see some stick people from start to finish.

