



GET CREATIVE



30 MINUTES



PREPARATION
NEEDED

SHARPIE MUGS



GETTING INTO THE ACTIVITY

Take a plain white mug and transform it with your own personalised design.

This activity works best with cheap mugs. Simple white mugs found in a pound shop would be ideal. Start by decorating your mug.

This might be with a pattern, logo, drawing, design or so on. For inspiration search online for 'Sharpie Mugs'.

Once you have finished, allow it to dry. When dry, the mug can be baked in the oven to help set the colours so they don't wash off. This process can take a while, so it will need to be done at home. Place the mug in the oven and set it to 180°C, allowing the mug to heat up with the oven to ensure it doesn't crack. Once the oven hits 180°C set the timer for 30 minutes. After 30 minutes turn the oven off and leave the mug inside to cool with the oven. This can take up to an hour. At which point you can remove the mug and the colours should now have set.

The baked colours may be slightly different to their original colours, so consider this in your design. The mugs will need to be handwashed after each use.



WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Cheap White Mug
- Sharpie Pens



KEEPING EVERYONE SAFE

If pens are shared between a small group, then hand hygiene breaks should form part of this activity. Remember to maintain social distancing as required.