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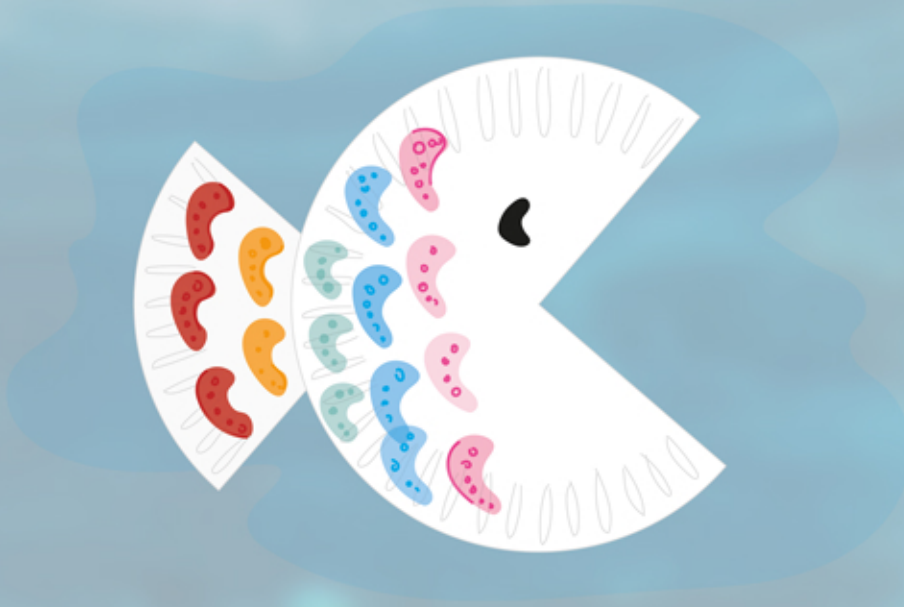


20 MINUTES



PREPARATION  
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# CELERY FISH PAINTING



## ▶▶ GETTING INTO THE ACTIVITY

Explore a new way of painting, by using a stick of celery to create a colourful fish.

- 1) Draw a large triangle on the paper plate (This will become the fish's mouth). Cut this out and then stick it on the other side of the plate to become the tail. The pointy end of the triangle should be the end which attaches to the plate. This part of the craft could be prepared by a leader to save time.
- 2) On another paper plate, have dabs of different coloured paints for each child. Each child will also need a few small chunks of celery (ideally one for each colour of paint they have).
- 3) Children can dip the end of the celery stick into the paint and then onto their fish. This will leave prints behind of the celery which look like fish scales. Continue doing this, using different colours to make a colourful fish. Finish by adding an eye.

## ✓✓ WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Paper Plates
- Scissors
- Glue / Tape
- Paint
- Celery
- Pen / Pencil

## ! KEEPING EVERYONE SAFE

Where possible children should have their own equipment (scissors, pens, celery stick etc) and the use of shared equipment should be kept to a minimum. Please take care when using scissors.