



EGG-CELLENT NATURE ART



▶▶ GETTING INTO THE ACTIVITY

Combine the celebration of Easter with the start of Spring, by creating some egg-cellent nature art.

Before the virtual session, children will need to collect items of nature from their garden or local area. This might include leaves, petals, daisies, blossom, grass etc. Make sure to ask children to do this well before your virtual session, so they have everything ready to go.

Print out the egg template, cut around the outline and stick this onto card (this could be prepared and sent out to children in packs beforehand). Alternatively draw an egg shape directly on card and cut this out. Using the nature items collected, start decorating the egg by sticking them on with glue or tape. You could do this by filling the whole egg, creating patterns, or you could draw a picture onto the egg (bunny, cross etc) and then fill the shape in with the nature items.

Once everyone is finished, encourage the group to hold up their egg-cellent nature art to the camera so the rest of the group can see. Make sure to give plenty of praise and encouragement throughout.

Face-to-Face: Leaders could collect the nature items beforehand, or you could ask children to come to the meeting with items they have collected themselves during the week.

✓✓ WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Egg Template
- Card
- Scissors
- Glue / Sellotape
- Nature Items (Leaves, petals, blossom etc)
- Colouring Pens

! KEEPING EVERYONE SAFE

If going beyond the garden to collect items, children should be accompanied by an adult and follow the local social distancing requirements. Please take care with scissors.

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