

SATURDAY ACTIVITIES

Foil and paper birds

162 Make a bird



1. Tear off a large piece of kitchen foil. Scrunch it into a bird shape with a head and a fat body, tapering into a tail.



2. Rip lots of pieces of paper for feathers. Spread glue on the foil, then press one end of each feather onto the body to cover it.



3. Fold a piece of thin cardboard in half. Cut it out and fold the end over. Glue the end onto the bird.

Fold these ends over.



4. Cut two wide feet from cardboard and glue them to the bottom of the bird. Finally, draw or paint the eyes.

You could copy the ideas from the birds shown here, or design one of your own.

164 Fluffy feathers

Paint kitchen paper towels with different shades of paint. When the paper is dry, rip lots of feathers from it and glue them all over the foil.

165 Sleeping bird

Draw 'u' shapes for the eyes with a felt-tip pen.

166 Red breast

Glue on feathers ripped from kitchen paper towels that have been painted red. Add some red magazine paper, too.

You could use similar shades for all the feathers.

Feet cut from orange packaging

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Blackbird

Cover the foil completely with black tissue paper. Add feathers ripped from black magazine paper. Make an orange beak and glue on eyes.

163 Insect eater

Cut out a long pointed triangle for the beak. Glue it onto the body, quite near to the top of the head.

