

What should I already know?

- What a finger puppet looks like and how we can use finger puppets.
- What a template is used for.
- How to cut out a shape by carefully cutting **on** a line.
- How to curve paper to create a ring (cylinder).
- How to use tools safely - tape dispenser and scissors.
- How to join paper.
- How to add colour and texture
- How to evaluate my ideas alongside my design idea and my finished product.

Key Vocabulary and definitions

<b>Finger puppet</b>	A puppet on your finger of a character or an object to help you retell a story.
<b>Design idea</b>	The idea of what you would like your product to look like.
<b>Make</b>	To select a range of tools and equipment to perform a practical task in creating the product.
<b>Finished product</b>	The completed design of what you have made- A finger puppet.
<b>Evaluation</b>	The ideas you might think of to help you to make your product better.

Key Knowledge

- A designer is a person who plans what is going to be made and how it will be made.
- When creating a product you can use these three steps **design, make and evaluate**.
- You hold a template still, draw all the way around the edge of it, keeping your pencil touching the edge of the template at all times.
- Puppets can be made in different ways. You can have finger puppets and hand puppets.
- Puppets need to be the correct size for your hand or finger.
- Puppets can be made with different materials.

Instructions to make a finger puppet

1. Carefully draw around the template.
2. Cut out your template of your finger puppet by carefully cutting **ON** the lines.
3. Look at your design create your character by adding different colours, pieces and/or materials
4. Cut a small strip of paper that will go around your finger
5. Curve both ends of the paper and stick them together to make a paper ring – make sure it is the right size for your finger!
6. Stick the paper ring to the back of your character.
7. Place your puppet on your finger and tell a story!



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Template shape for finger puppet