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(FAMILIES)

It takes a Whole Community to Educate a Child



Easter Family Learning Activities

A selection of Easter themed activities.

Fun to enjoy together as a family.



Easter Chocolate Nests

Chocolate nests are a delicious treat, they are super easy to make and a happy reminder that spring is on its way!

Ingredients:

- 200g milk chocolate
- 85g Shredded wheat
- Chocolate mini eggs or alternative treats

You will also need:

- Cupcake cases
- Spoon
- 2 x bowls
- Saucepan of water

**Important -If you have a food allergy/
intolerance please select appropriate ingredients.
Please remember that mini eggs are a choking
hazard and not advised for young children.**



Method

1. Crush the shredded wheat into a bowl and put it to aside.
2. Unwrap the chocolate and break it up into pieces and place it in another small bowl.
3. Melt the chocolate by placing the small bowl over a saucepan of barely simmering water.
4. Pour the melted chocolate over the crushed shredded wheat and stir well to combine.
5. Spoon the chocolate wheat into 12 cupcake cases and press the back of the teaspoon in the centre to create a nest shape.
6. Place a couple of chocolate mini eggs on the top of each nest.
7. Chill the nests in the fridge for 2 hours until set.
8. Tidy up and enjoy!



Easter Egg Bunting

Create a string of beautiful Easter egg bunting to brighten up your home. Once you have made an egg shaped template and cut out a multitude of eggs this simple art activity has so many creative possibilities.



You will need:

- Paper plain or coloured
- Paint, brushes/washable marker pens
- Glue
- Scissors
- String
- Optional - decorative materials such as doilies, vegetables for printing.

Instructions:

- First, make an egg shaped template. To make a symmetrical egg fold a piece of paper in half and draw half an egg, cut it out, unfold the paper. This is your template.
- Using the template trace an egg shape on to another sheet of paper and cut it out with a pair of scissors.
- Draw a pattern on the egg shaped paper with a pencil and then paint or colour it in as brightly as possible.
- Repeat to make lots of pretty eggs.
- Make a hole at the top of each egg and thread a piece of string or use pegs to hang them up for display.

Options:

- Experiment using different materials such as vegetables or cotton buds instead of paintbrushes.
- Or, colour a doily with markers, being careful not to rip the doily. Brush water on the doily with a paint brush so that the marker runs like water colours and set it aside to dry. Trace the paper egg onto the doily and cut out the doily. Glue the doily to the paper.

