Victoria Park Crafts

Conker Snakes





Preparation

For this make you'll need: some conkers, a pipecleaner or shoelace, some tools to decorate (we used a paint pan and some wobbly eyes), and a sharp object for piercing (such as a skewer).



Ask an adult to make holes in all of your conkers

Decoration

Snakes come in all sorts of wonderful colours and patterns and it's fun to reflect this in our conker snake. Take inspiration from whatever captures your imagination and decorate you conkers with whatever you have to hand. You could use paint, tissue paper, felt, glitter or pom poms!



Decorate all of the conkers except the one you've selected to be the head.









Construction

To begin constructing your snake you need to thread your head onto your pipe-cleaner (or string/ shoelace) and fold over the end or create a knot to stop your snake coming apart.

When you have done that you can add your final decoration to give your snake a character!

Construction Continued

Now thread the rest of your conkers on behind the head. When you get the end, fold over or tie a knot to secure the back end of your snake.



You've finished! Have fun playing with your conker snake and don't forget to take pictures and share them with us. Any images that you share with us may be used on our social media or website.

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