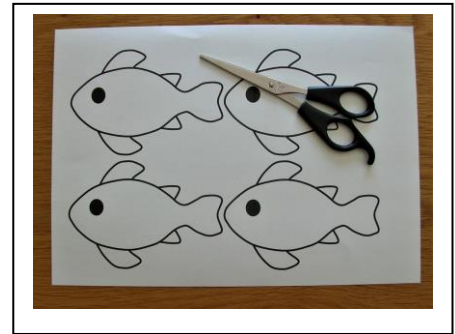


Jesus and the Big Catch - fishing game craft activity

In this activity you will need:

- An A4 piece of thin card
- Pair of scissors
- Sellotape
- A 15 - 20cm pencil (or thin dowel or drinking straw)
- Two small paper clips
- 40cms of cotton thread or twine
- A clever mum or dad to help you with the cutting, bending and adapting the instructions if you need help.☺

1) Firstly, print out your fish template onto the thin card and cut out one of the shapes.



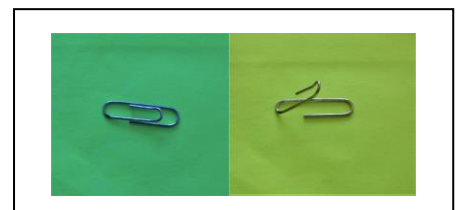
2) Now, turn over your fish shape and write a number on the back, between 1 and 10.



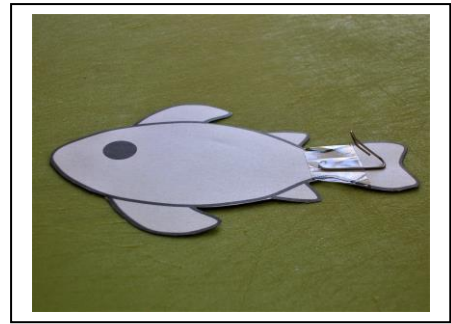
3) Now we are going to bend the paper clip.

PAPER CLIPS CAN BE SHARP - tell mum or dad what you are doing.

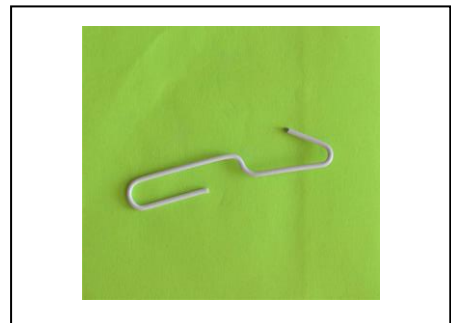
Take one of your paper clips and carefully bend the small end upwards to about a 45° angle.



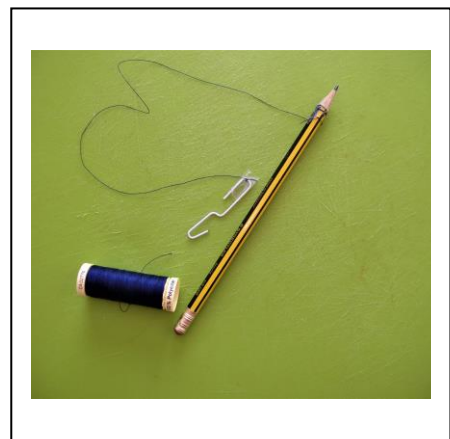
4) Stick you paper clip onto the tail of the fish with a small piece of sellotape.



5) Now, take the other paper clip and carefully fold the small bend over. Open up, the bend to make a small hook.

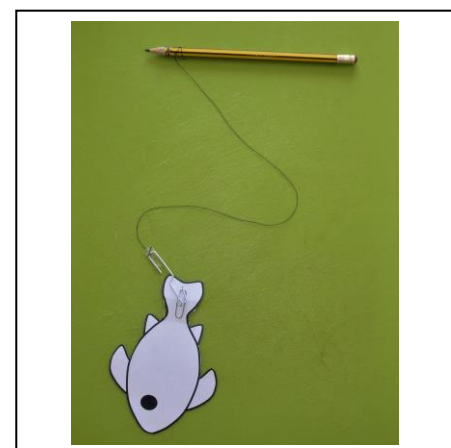


6) Next, tie one end of the thread to the large end of the paper clip. (I stuck mine in place with a small piece of sellotape)



7) Now, tie the other end of the thread to the end of the pencil. (I stuck mine in place with a small piece of sellotape)

Now you are ready to catch the fish



Games you can play with your Fishing Game

You have made one fish. Why not make some more (give them different numbers) and challenge your friend to see who can catch the most or the highest numbers. You will need to make a rod for your friend. You could even have a family challenge if you have enough rods and fish!

Why not colour your fish to make it very special, before you stick the paper clip on the tail.

You could make some more fish by using small bits of old card by drawing around your fish shape, instead of printing some more.

Why not design your own fish shape to catch. Send a picture of it to bryan.hancock@hillcliffe.info to show us your design.

