



ARTS & CRAFTS PLAN

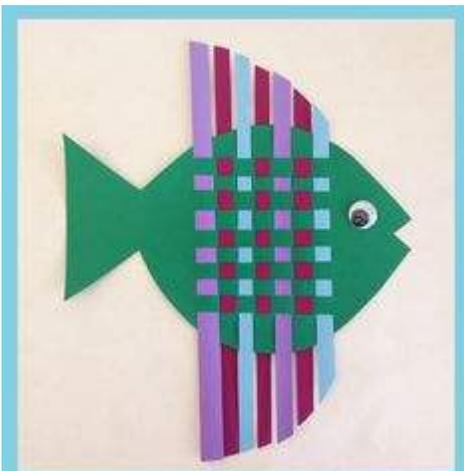
WEAVE A FISH

EQUIPMENT

Coloured card
Coloured paper
Googly eyes
Scissors
Fish template (optional)

METHOD

1. Get children to draw an outline of a fish onto coloured card (or use template if needed)
2. Cut the fish out
3. Carefully fold the body of the fish in half from top to bottom
4. Cut 2-3cm slits from the fold to the other end but don't go all the way! Continue this all across the body of your fish
5. Open your fish back up again and it should have several slits in its body (see picture)
6. Cut lots of strips of different coloured paper, about 1cm (finger width) thick.
7. Weave one of the strips of paper through the slits in the fish from top to bottom, going under and over. Repeat with another colour strip and then another, trying to alternate starting over or under.



Weave a fish



8. Keep going until you have filled your fish. Cut the ends of the strips at the top and the bottom into fin shapes.