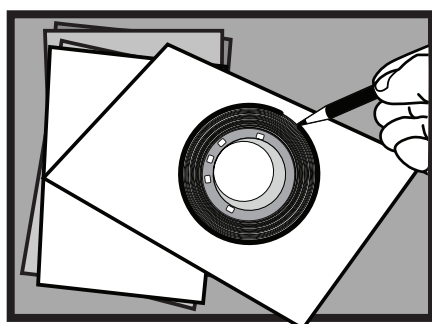


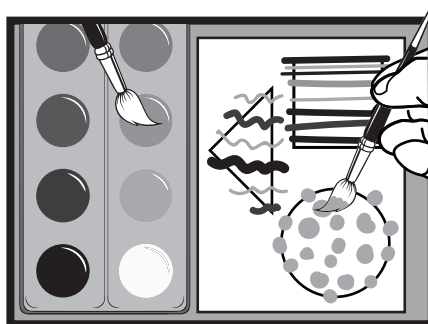
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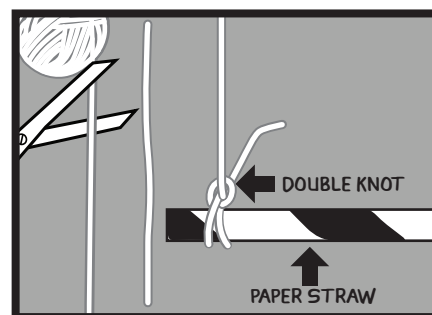
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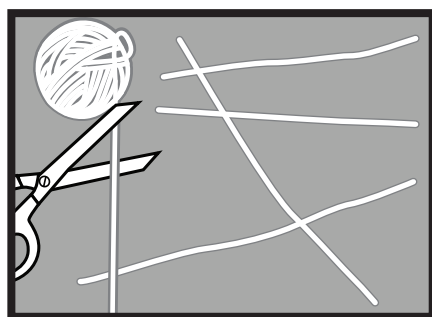
Choose which cardboard you want to use. Draw your shapes onto the cardboard. You can use things around the house for your shape, like a cello tape roll.



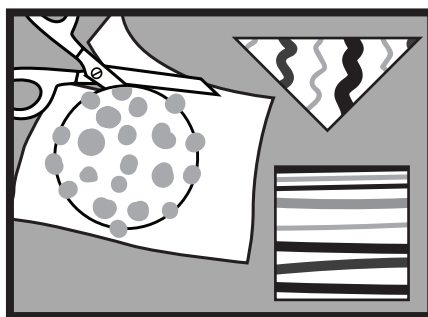
Paint some patterns onto your shapes. It doesn't matter if you go over the edges. (You can try small dots, wavy lines or a selection of thin and thick lines).



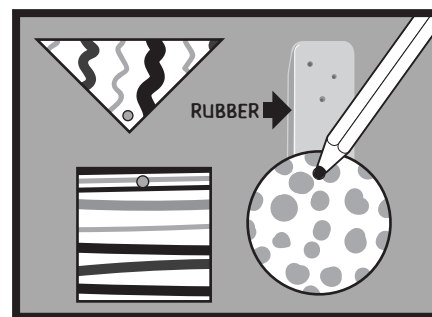
Cut two pieces of string the same length and tie one to each end of a paper straw. Double knot it. This is how you will hang your mobile.



Cut a piece of string for each of the shapes you want to hang on your mobile. Make them different lengths.



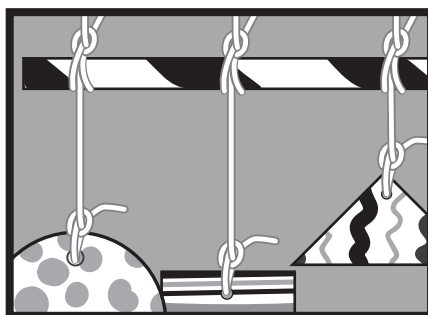
Carefully cut out your shapes out with scissors.



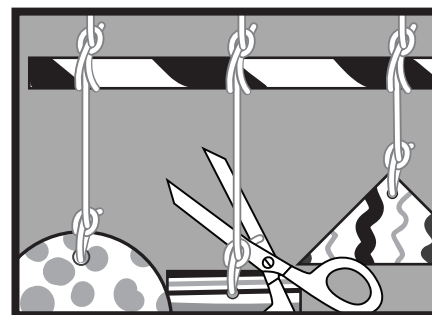
Make a hole at the top of each shape by placing it on top of a rubber and then push your pencil through the card into the rubber underneath.



Take a piece of string and tie one end through the hole in your shape. Make sure to double knot it.

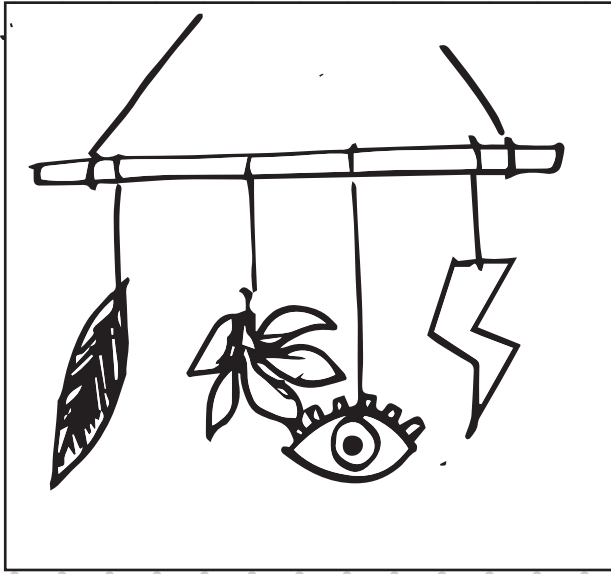


Tie the other end to the straw where you want it to hang. Double knot it. Do this for all your shapes.



Trim off any untidy ends of the string and enjoy your mobile!

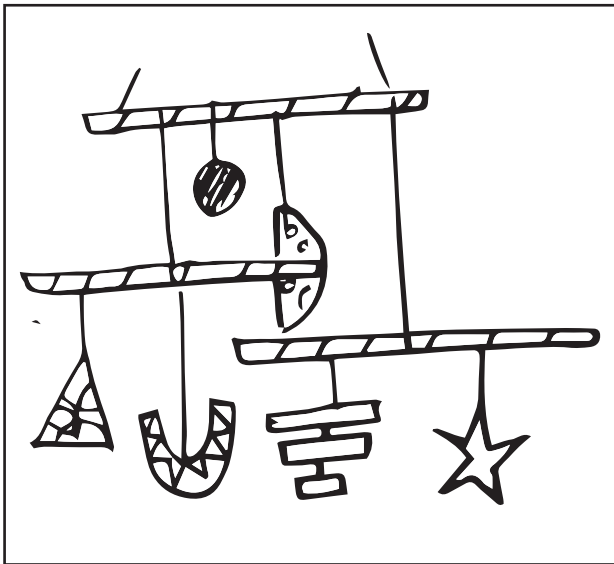
WHY NOT TRY...?!



1.

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Adding things you have found on a walk, like twigs or leaves? You could play with other shapes like lightning bolts or eyes?!



2.

YOUR LEFT OVER MATERIALS...?

Can you add more levels and make your mobile bigger?!



3.

How many lovely shapes can you make out of your bag to add to your mobile?!

ART KIT

TEACHER'S COMMENT:

Cutting skills and tying knots, learning fine motor skills

Using their imagination to cut out a range of shapes.

Exploring mark making to create different patterns, using the paint and marker pen.

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Can you look out for some
lovely natural materials
to include on your
mobile? Good twigs
pretty seed heads?

PLAY!

Have fun shining a phone
light or torch on the
shapes in the dark to create
different shadows and make up
stories.

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