Fun with Imaginary Creations

Alien Monster Puppets

What you need:

- Paper bags
- Crayons
- Scissors
- Glue
- Construction or colored paper

Cut out and design fangs, tongues, arms, tails, eyes and any other accessories you need for your monster and glue to bag.

Castle

Use paper towel to toilet tissue tubes glued together for a neat castle. Cut slits on one end of two tubes. Bend in every other tab to form turrets. Glue on a door and windows cut from paper.

Flower Fairy


Ingredients:

1. Start with one pipe cleaner bent in half for the main body and legs.
2. Then, HALF of a pipe cleaner to be the arms. You can use one color of pipe cleaner or mix and match.
3. You'll need some yarn for the hair (or embroidery floss).
4. Wooden bead for the head.
5. Three more little beads (pony bead or wooden) 2 will be the "shirt" 1 will be the "undies".
6. **Silk flower petals** for the skirt. (from a disassembled flower) or **silk leaves** (just cut a small slit in the center)
7. **Sharpies** to add face details (be careful with the wood grain!)

Bend the big pipe cleaner over the yarn hair and give it one small twist/pinch.

Thread on the bigger **wooden bead as the head** (so the hair is coming out like a big crazy yarn sprout!)
Twist the "half" pipe cleaner around the body to make some arms.

Now, **bend the "arms" in toward the body** and **twist** so the hands are two little hoops.

**Slide on the two "shirt" beads.**

Now, thread on the "**skirt** flower petals, add one more **pony bead as "undies"**
Finally, **bend the two legs back up toward the body**
and twist to create little "hoop" feet (like the hands)
**Draw on a little face with sharpies** and you’re ready to play!

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**Monster Mask**

Cut out the monster mask on the following page and give to kids to color and decorate. Glue a popsicle stick or tongue depressor to the mask as a handle.
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Creature Swap

Color the “Creature Swap” creatures, cut them apart, and have fun creating your own characters.