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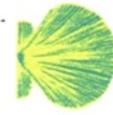
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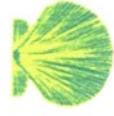
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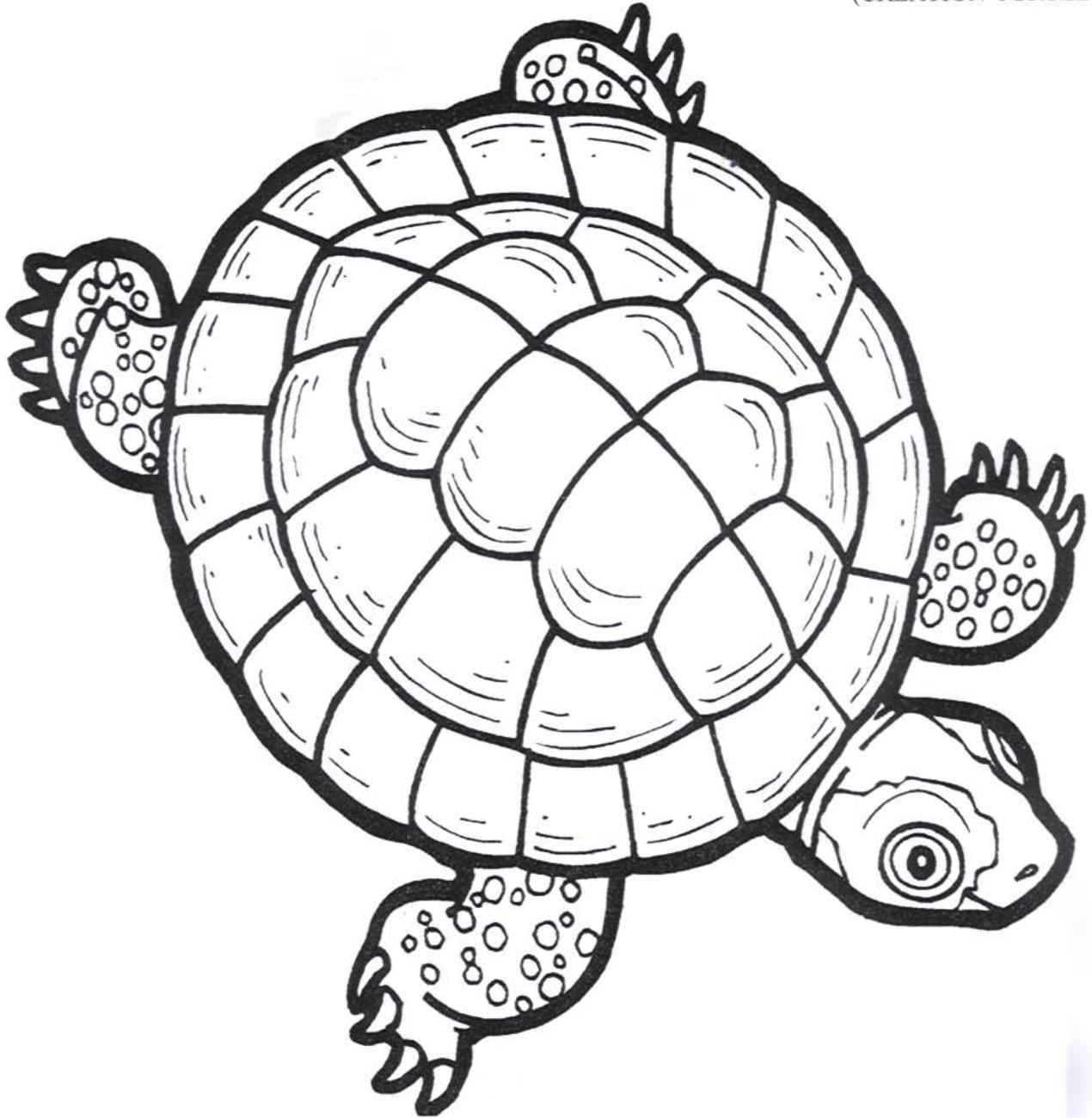


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(CREATION-TURTLE)



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Fun activity

Look for the little pill capsules that contain sea creatures (found in the toy department) (clear capsules that resemble a large clear gel cap used in medicine however, these hold foam shapes that when dropped into water, the capsule dissolves and you are left with a foam sea creature)

If you can find them, gather the following items:

Bowl

Warm water

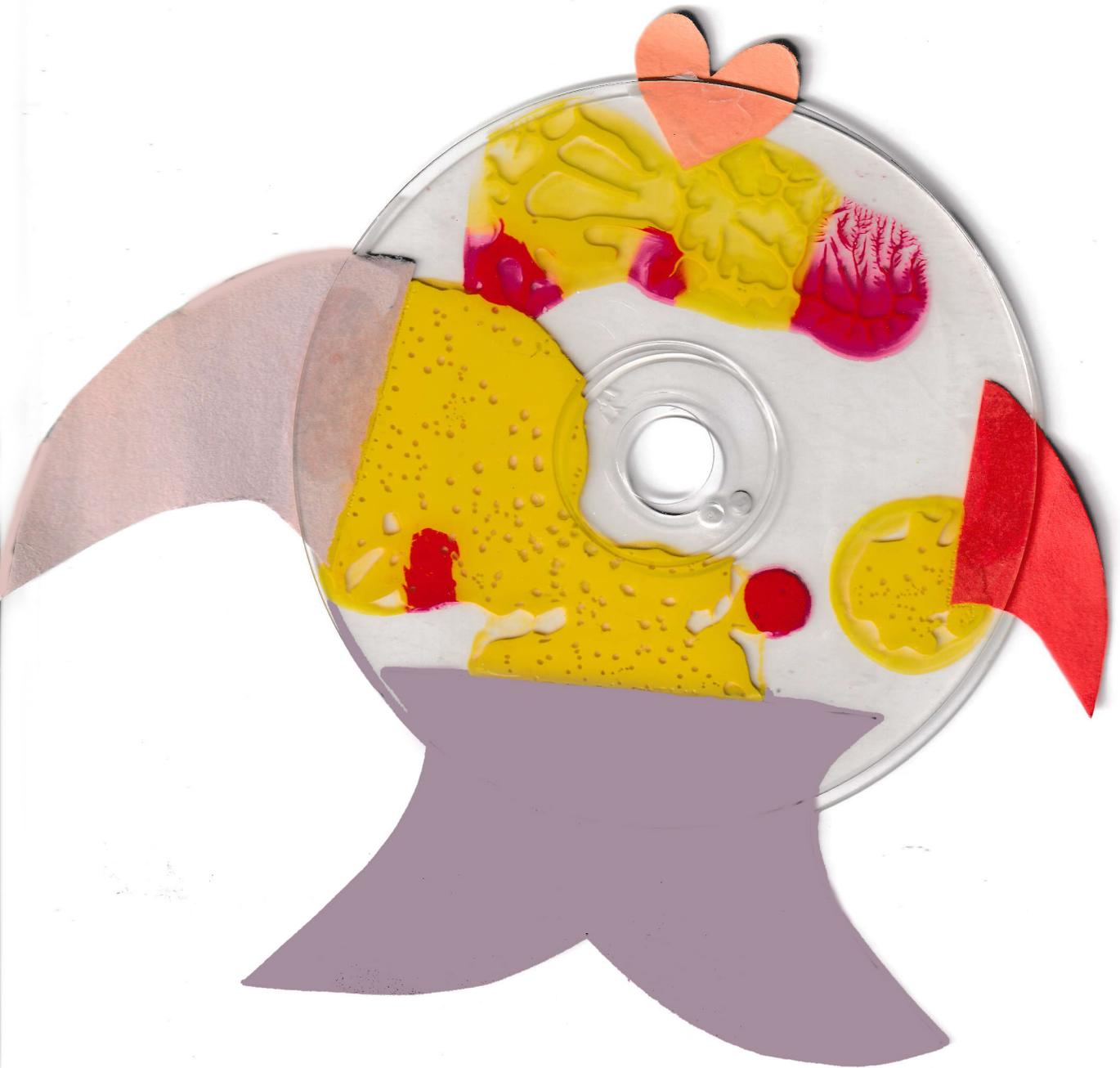
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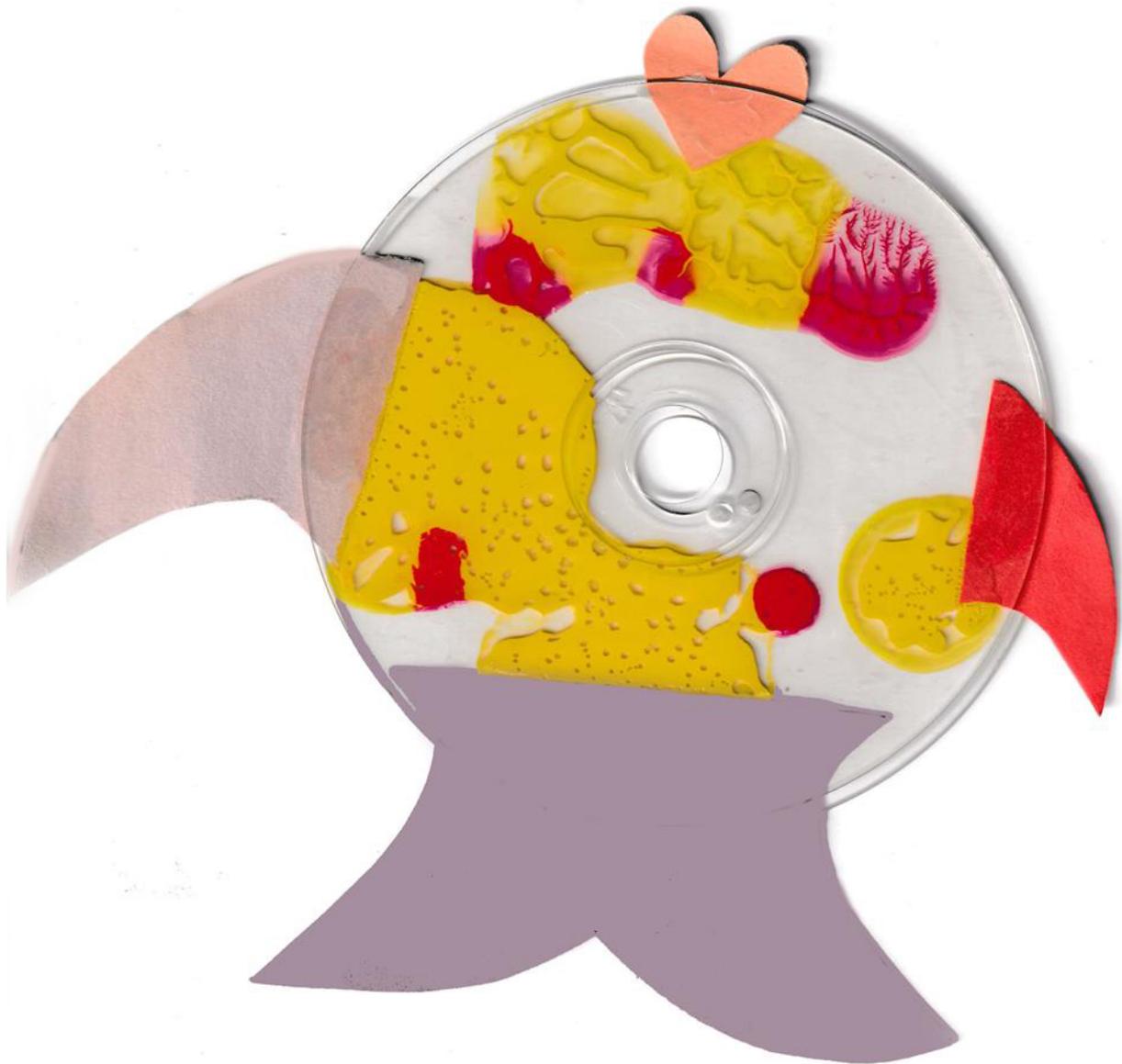
Give each child a capsule.

Let the children drop their capsules into the water (one at a time) and watch them open up to reveal a sea animal.

Discuss each animal and be sure to ask the children who made that particular animal.

Some capsules contain land animals. This game could be played again next week when doing the lesson “God created the animals”





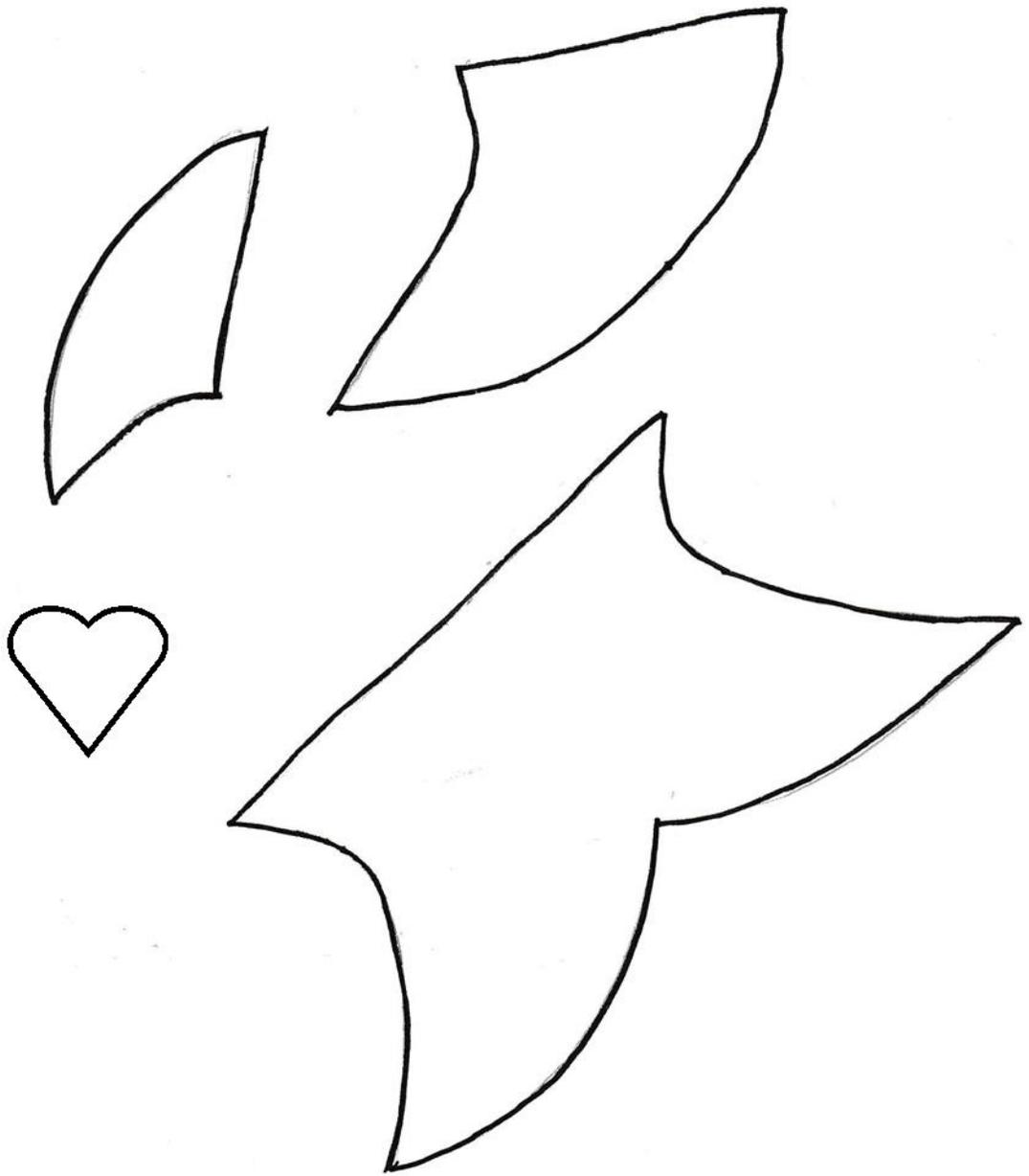
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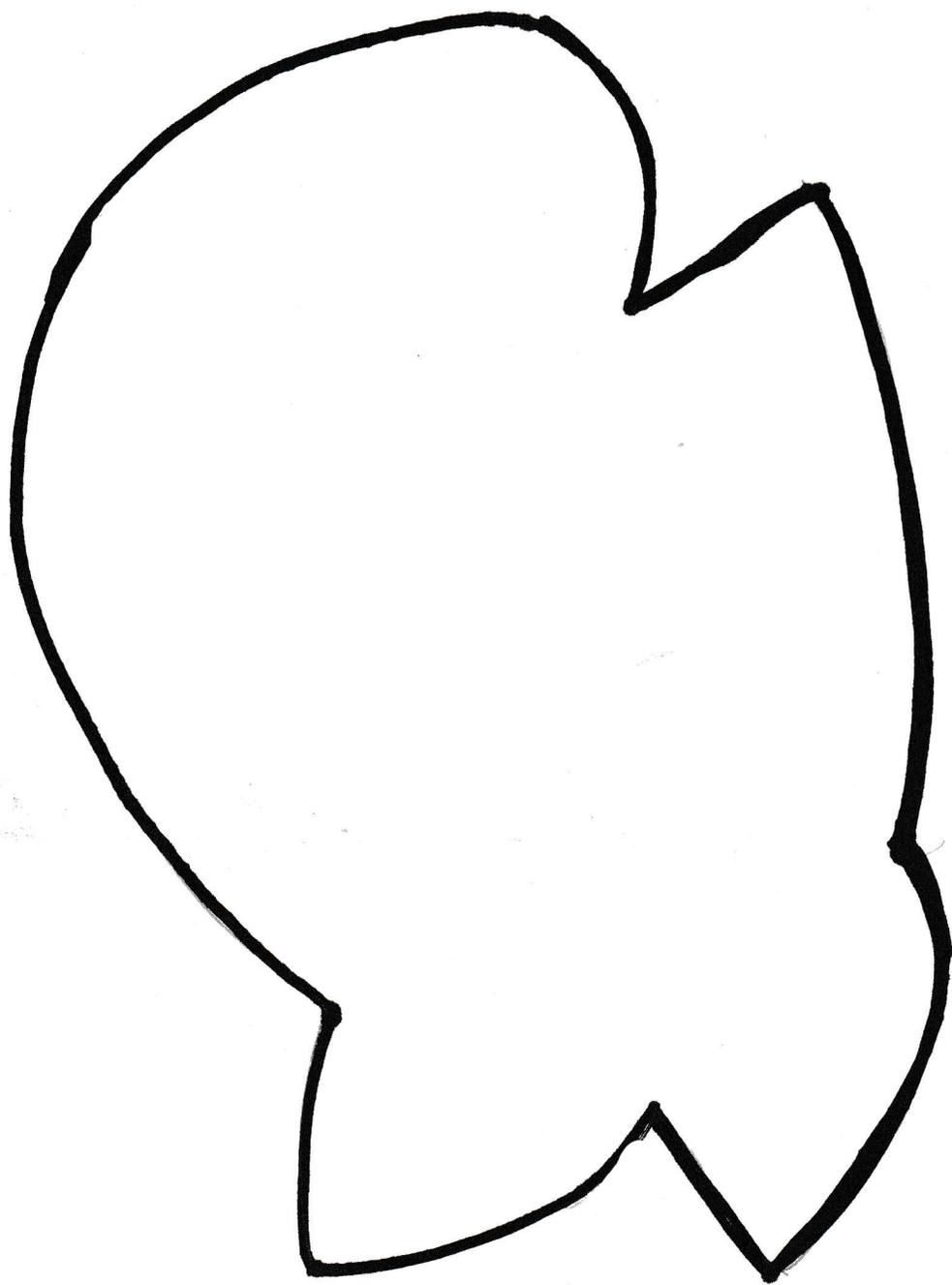
Glue the fish pieces to one of the clear disk.

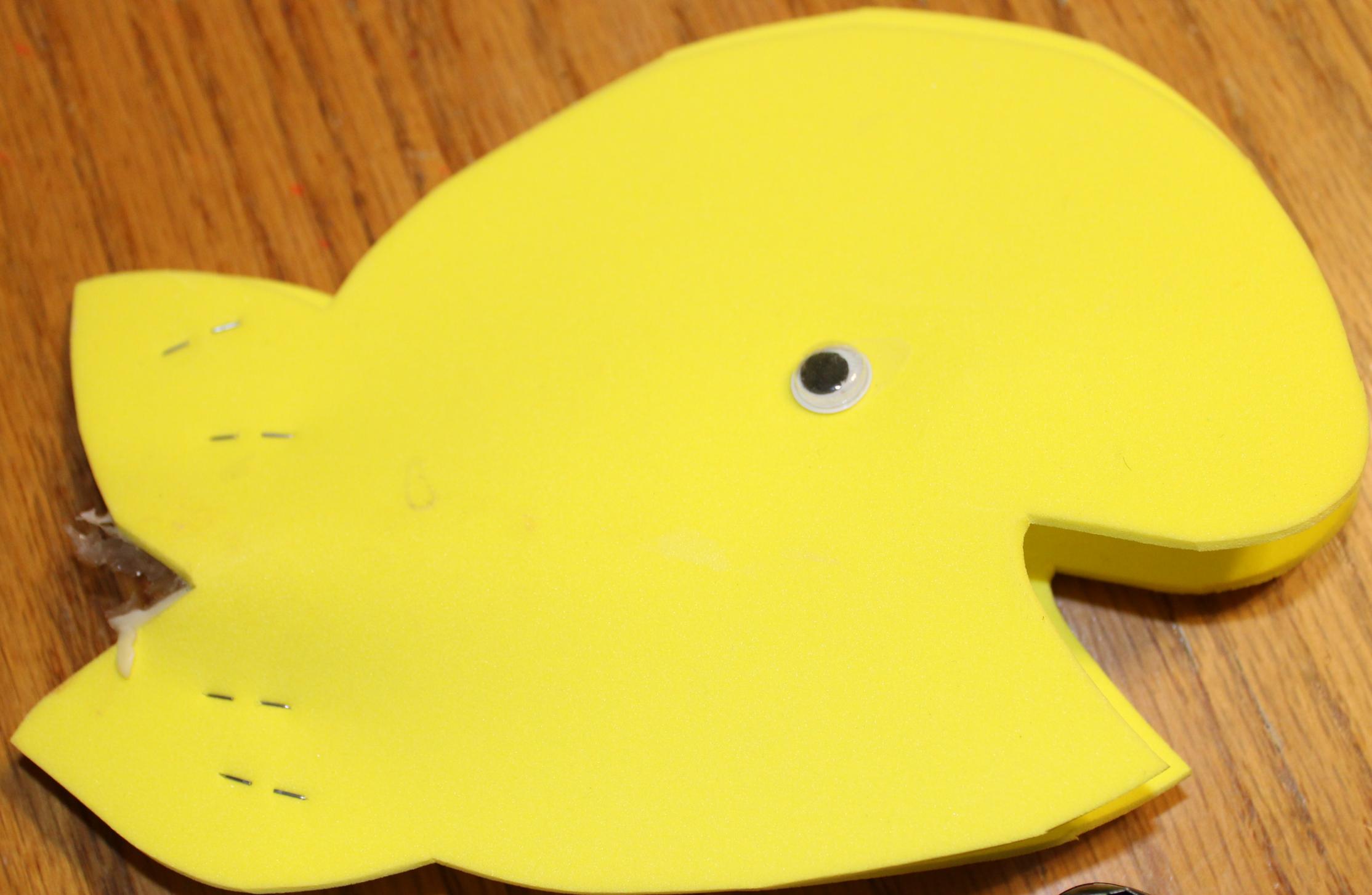
Drop small drops of paint onto the disk.

Place the second disk on top of the paint and press down to create a stained glass fish.

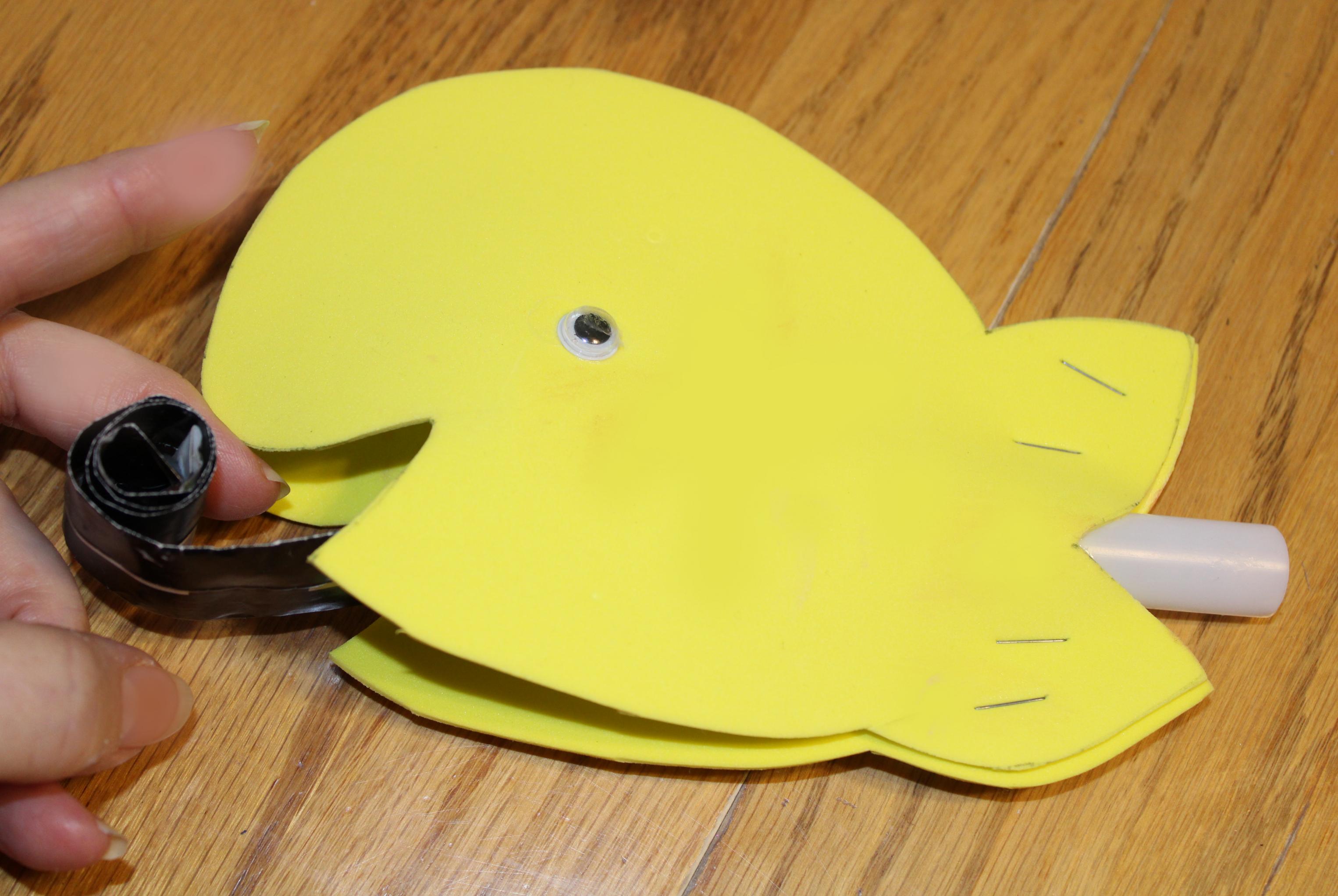
If you choose, you can drill a small hole through both disks and run a piece of fishing line through the hole in order to hang the fish in a window...suncatcher.

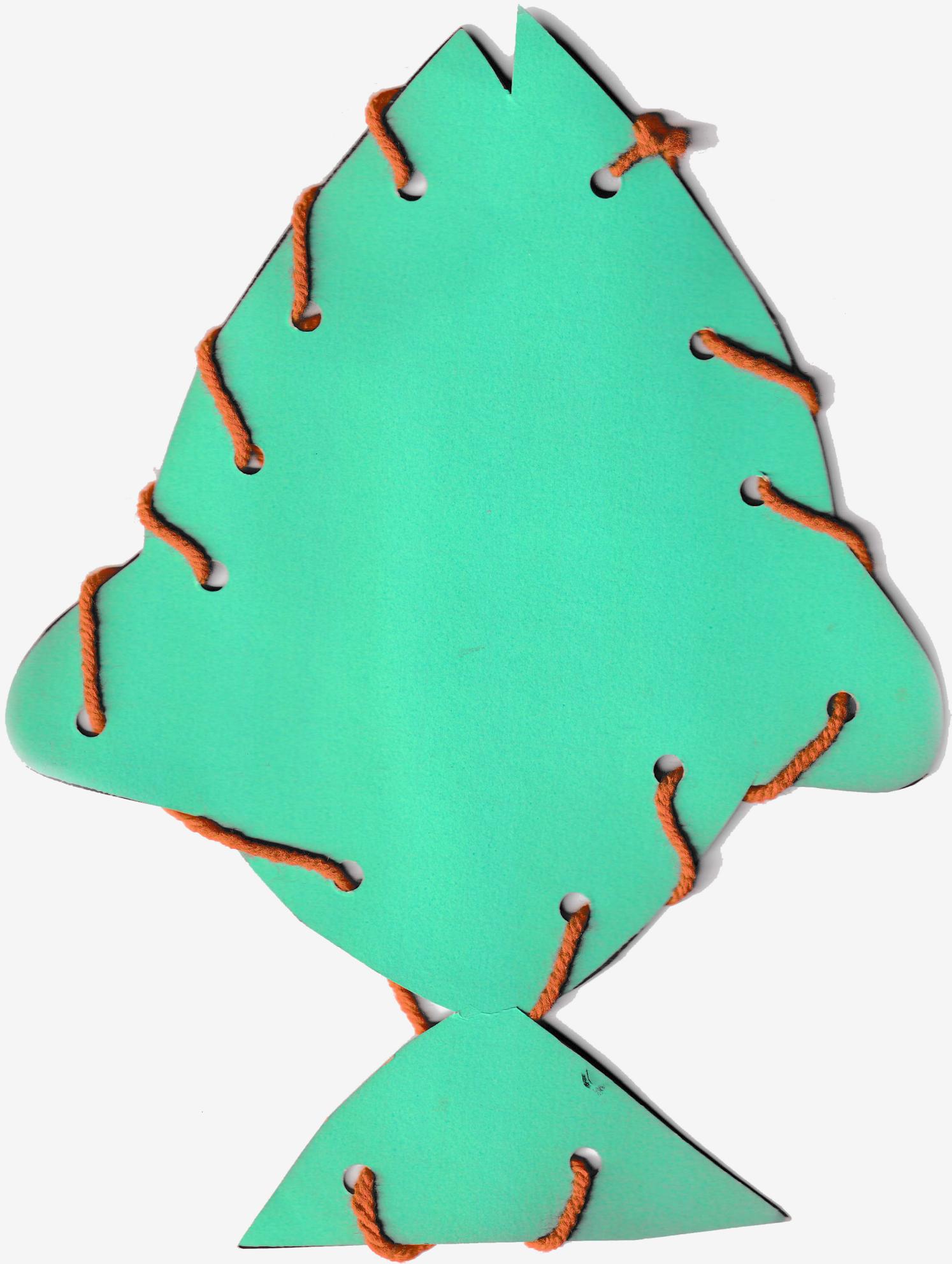


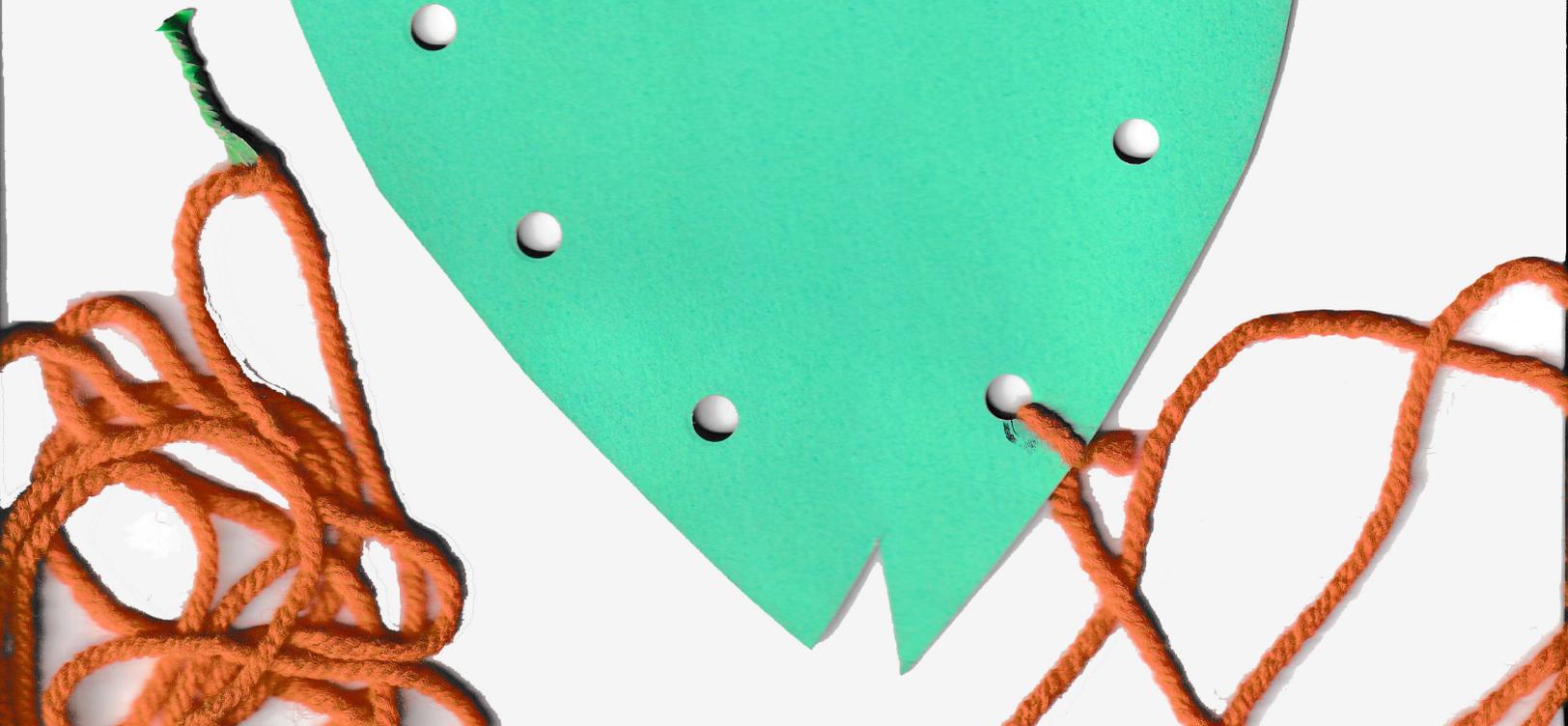
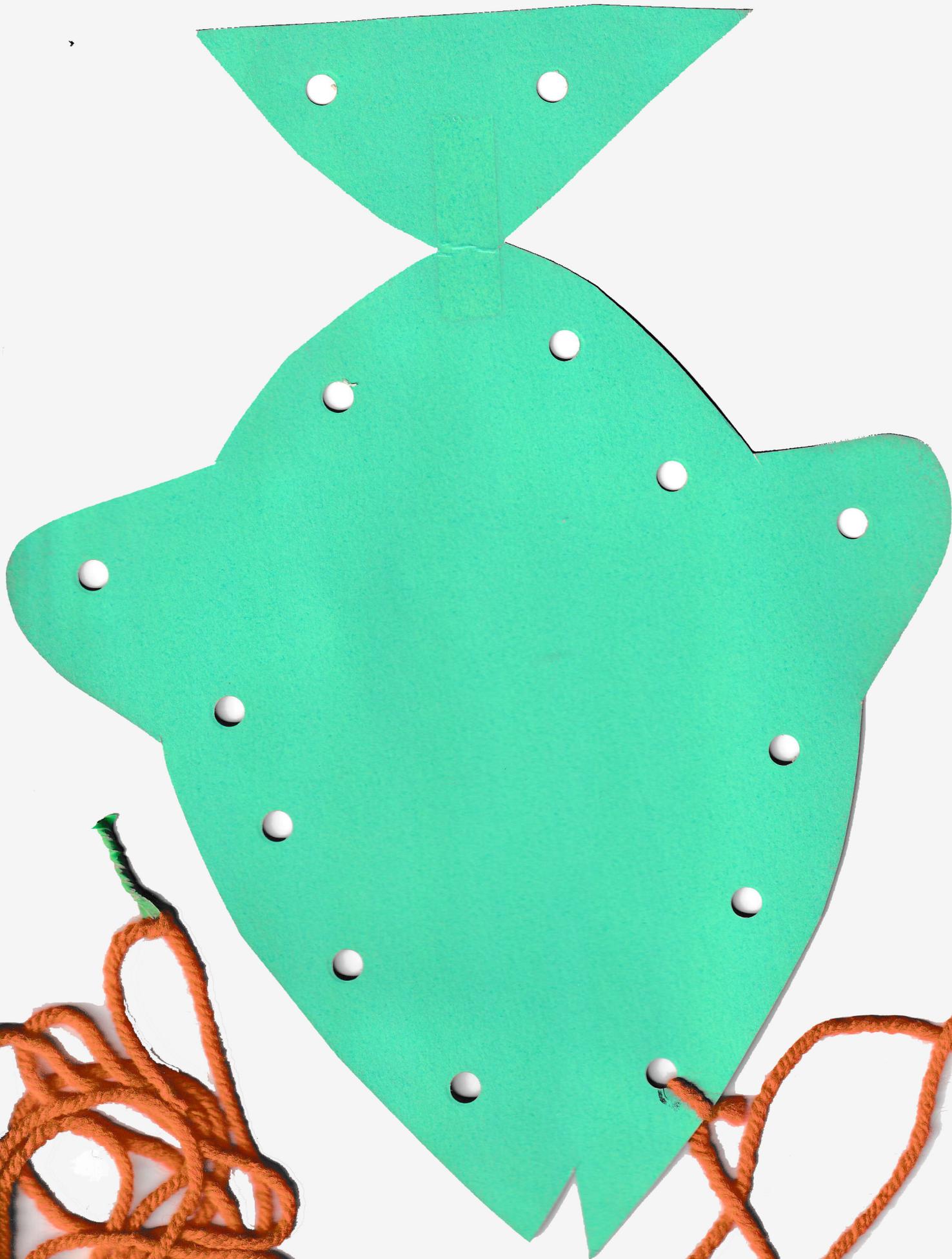




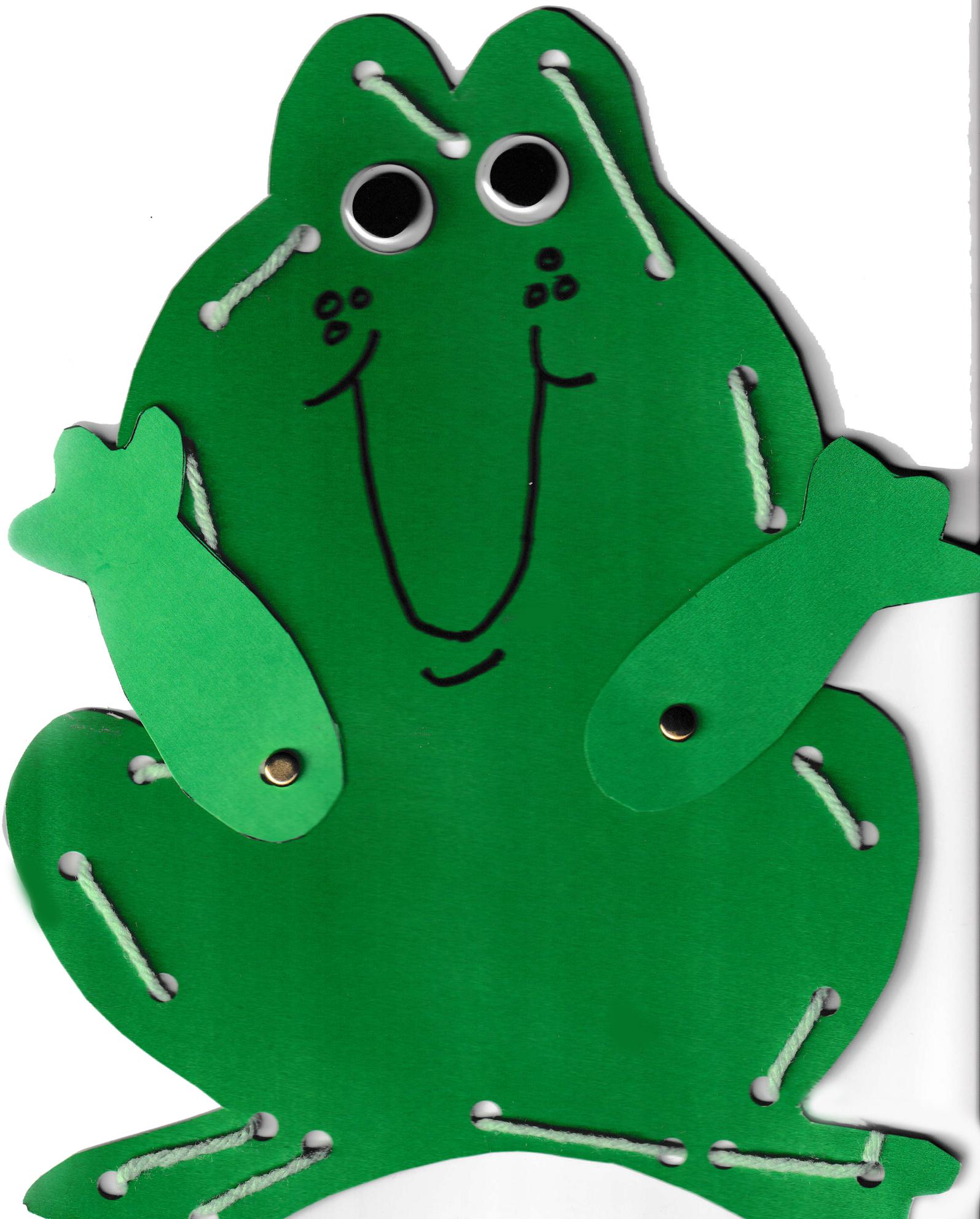


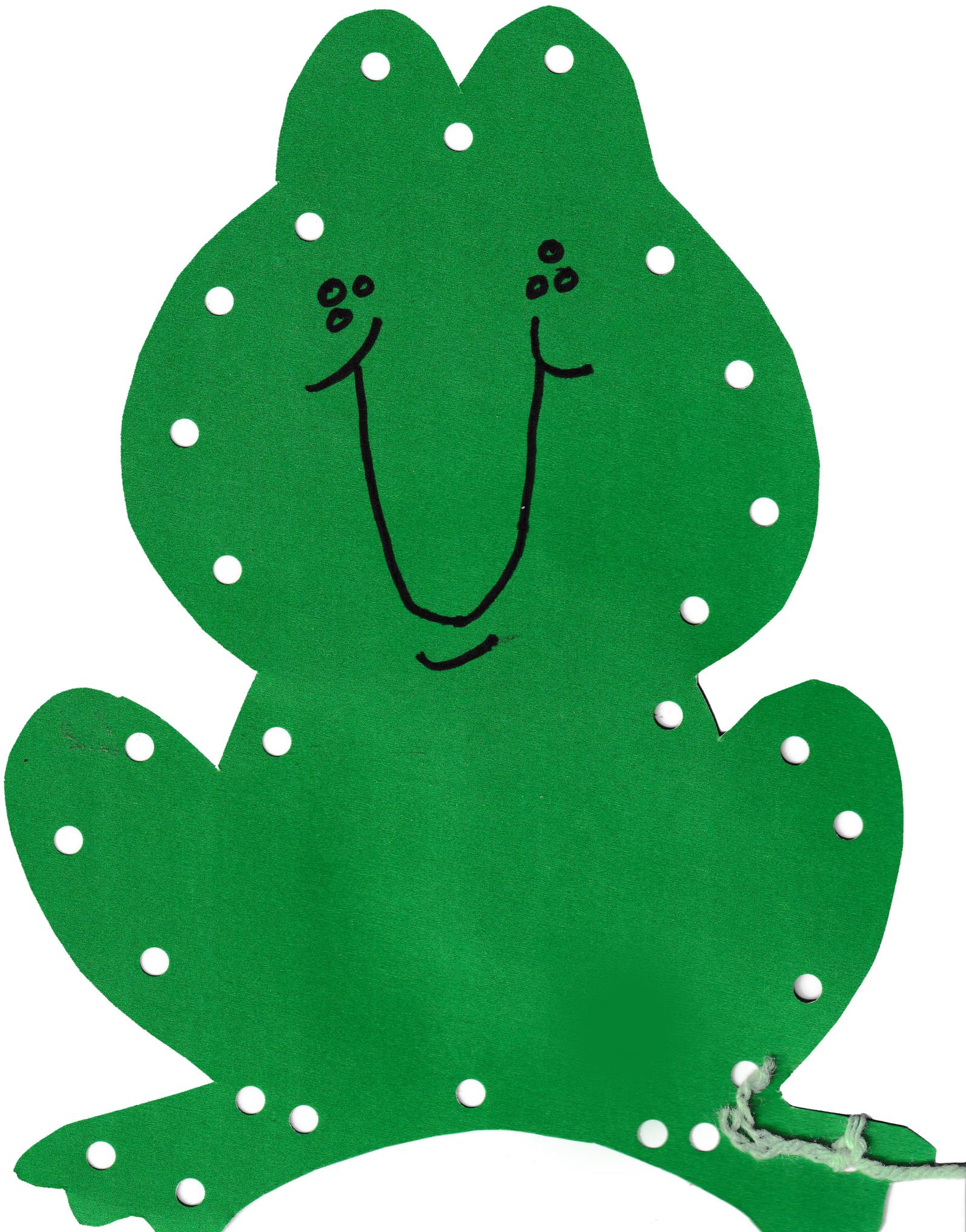


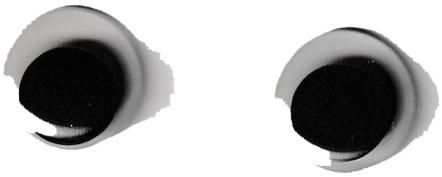


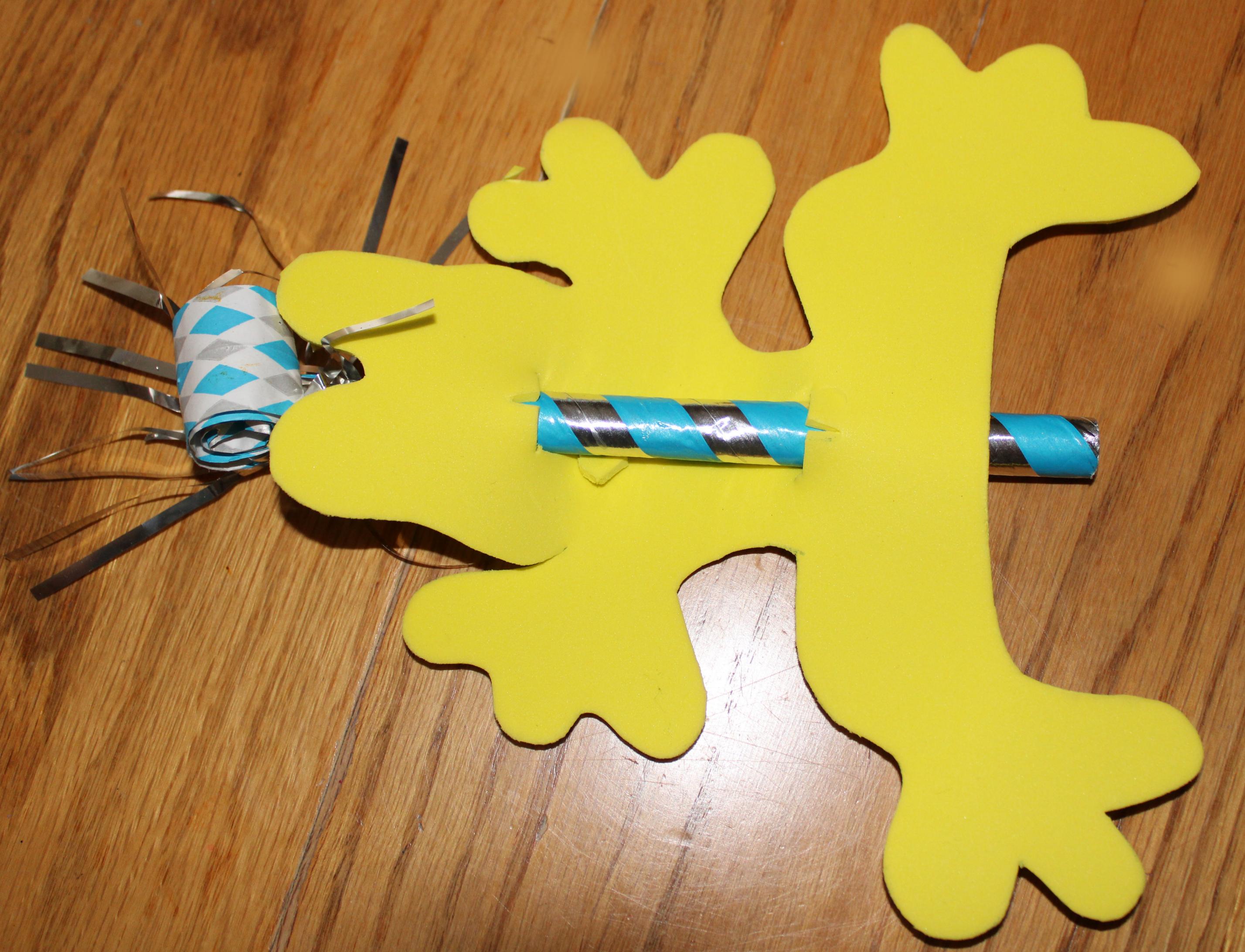




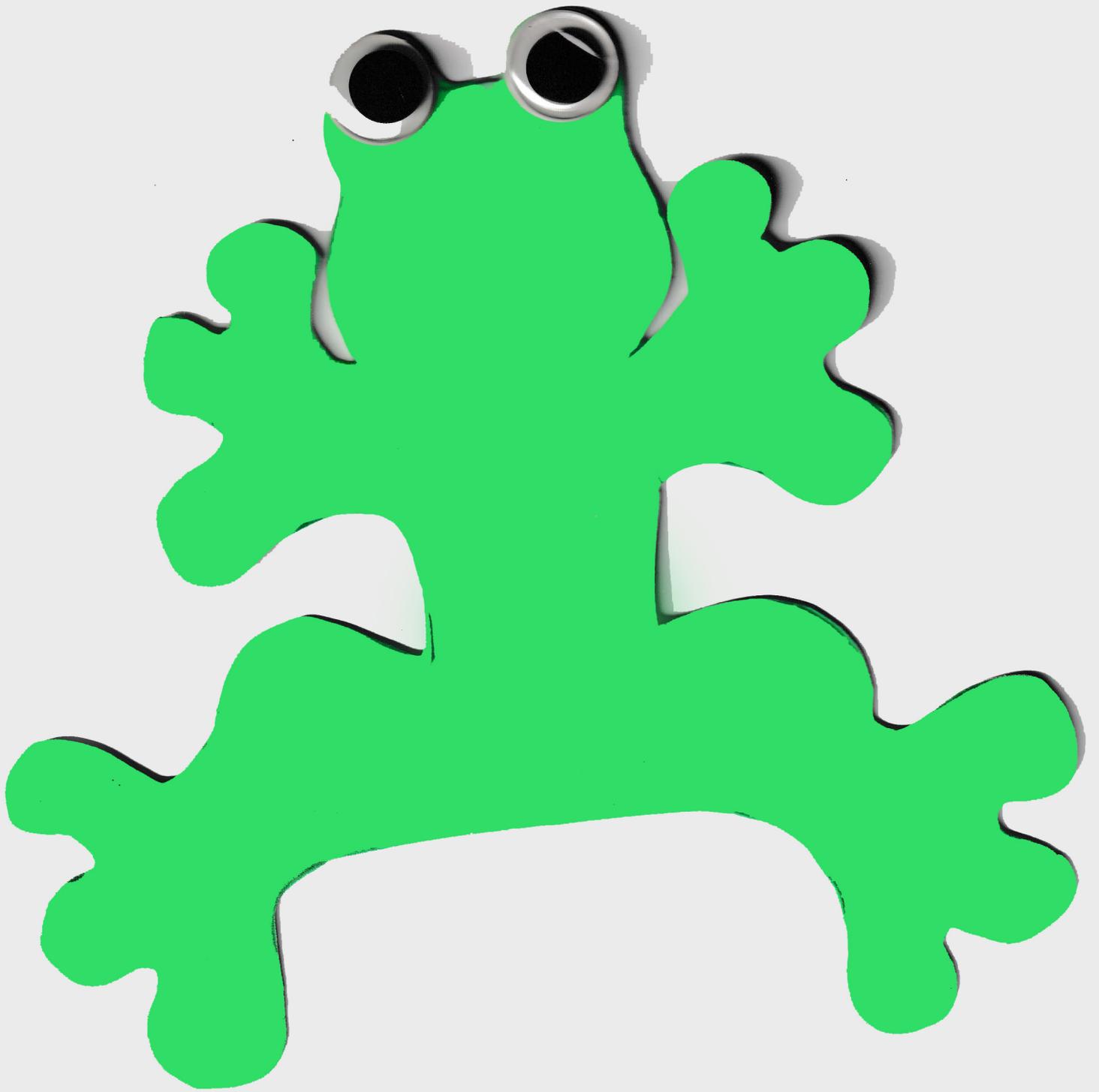












Paper Plate Fish

You will need

Large Paper Plate- (Paper)

Construction Paper (Various colors-optional)

2 Wiggle Eyes

Glue

Fold the paper plate in half

Cut out the various pieces from the pattern page. I use a different color for each piece but you can use the same color for each pattern if desired.

Open the paper plate and glue the tail fin (#1) onto the edge. (The whole fin will stick out except for the straight edge that should be glued to the plate)

Close the plate and glue shut

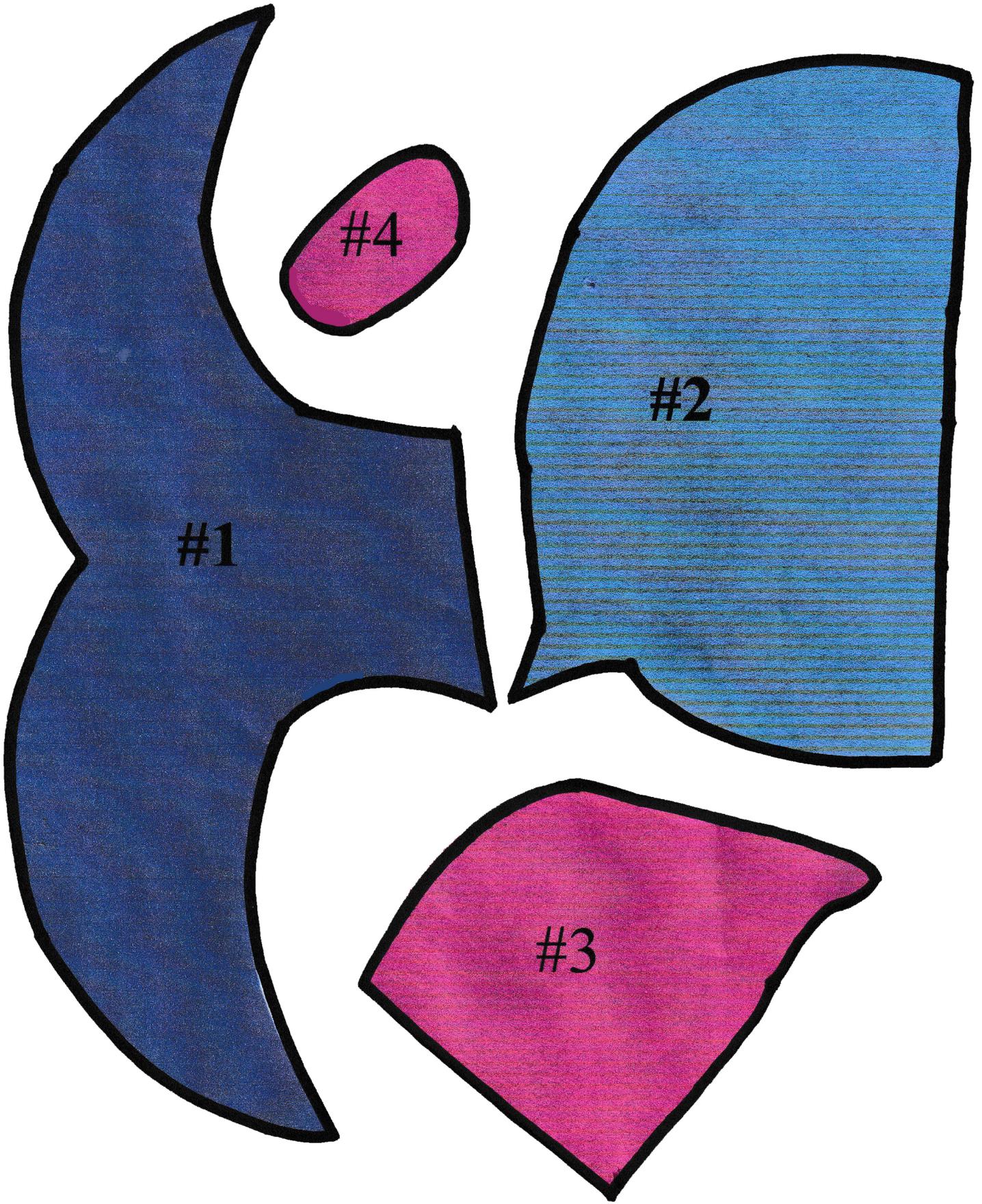
Glue the top fin (#2) to the top edge of the plate.

Flip the plate over and glue the last fin (#3) into place.

Glue the two oval circles (#4) onto the front portion of the fish. Again sticking up above the plates edge.







Hint:

Using squeeze Parkay bottles...or water bottles, drill a hole into the top of each cap.

Place the different colors of sand into different bottles.

This will save spills and clean-up.



Sand Bottles

You will need:

Baby Food Jar (or a plastic bottle 'with lid' of any kind such as a water bottles etc)

Spray Paint- Sand Color (Tan)

Various small shells

Hot glue gun

Hot glue

Sand (various colors)

Lid:

Spray paint lid with tan spray paint

Apply hot glue to the top of lid

Drop small shells into the hot glue

Set aside

Sand Bottle:

Set jar onto a flat surface. (Don't pick it up or move it until lid has been placed on top)

Pour a small amount of sand into the bottom of jar.

Pour sand of a different color on top of the first sand.

Continue to layer the sand with different colors until the jar is full. (Make sure the jar is completely full or the colors will have room to move around and mix together.)

Place the lid on top and tighten.

You may want to add a ring of hot glue to the outside bottom edge of the lid or add a few drops of school glue to the inside of the lid to insure that it does not come off.



Tip:

I use empty, clean squirt butter bottles to put my various colors of sand into. They have a flip top for easy opening and closing and the sand will pour through the opening making it easy to control how much sand is being poured out. Make sure the butter bottles are clean and completely dry before adding sand. When done, they flip shut and store easily.

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1 - 8" Clear Saucer (flower drip pan). Can be found in the garden center of most discount stores.

Plaster of Paris

Water

Aquarium Gravel

An assortment of small shells and stones

Bowl for Plaster of Paris Mixture

Spoon for stirring

Instructions:

Mix 2 cups of Plaster of Paris with 1 cup of water. Stir thoroughly.

Pour into the clear saucer

Drop various shells, stones, aquarium gravel, etc into the Plaster of Paris.

Once dry (45 minutes), place one hand on top of the stepping stone and flip the saucer over allowing the stepping stone to drop into your hand. Do not allow the stone to drop onto a hard surface as this can cause it to break.

Note: Instead of just dropping the stones and shells into the plaster, try making a design such as a cross, etc.

To make a permanent stepping stone, use cement (mixed according to the directions).

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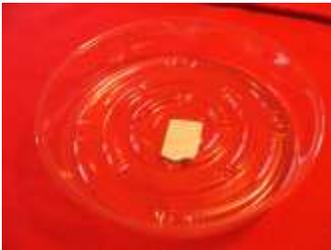
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**Using construction paper, cut out the 4 turtle template pieces
Fold a large paper plate in half**

Open the paper plate

Glue the neck of the turtle into the paper plate. (Leaving head sticking out)

Glue the two legs to the paper plate (leaving feet sticking out)

Glue the tail to the paper plate (end sticking out)

Place glue on one half of the inside of the paper plate and then fold the paper plate together. Press firmly sticking the two sides together.

Draw eyes (or use wiggly ones) and a mouth on the head piece

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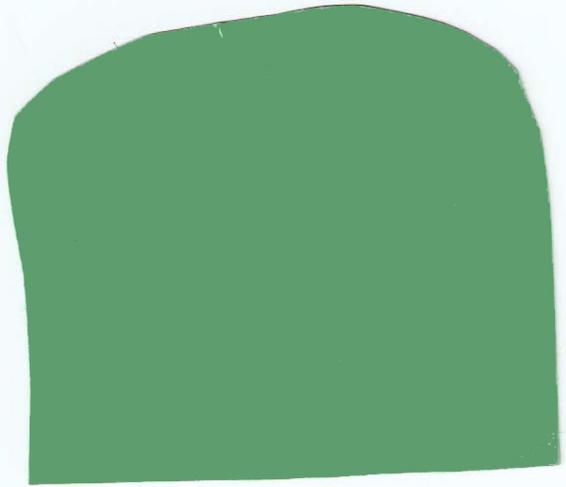
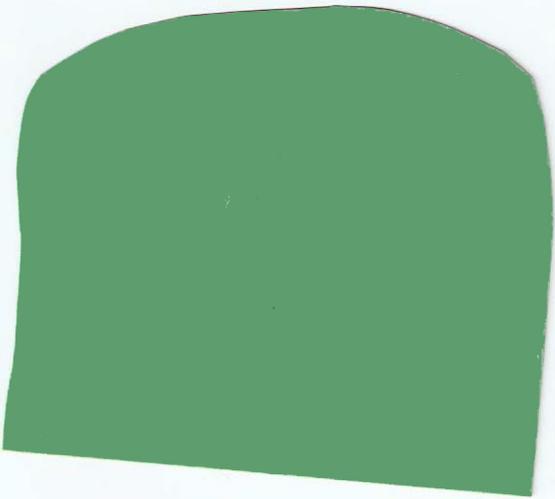
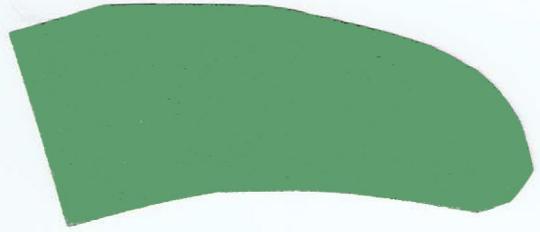
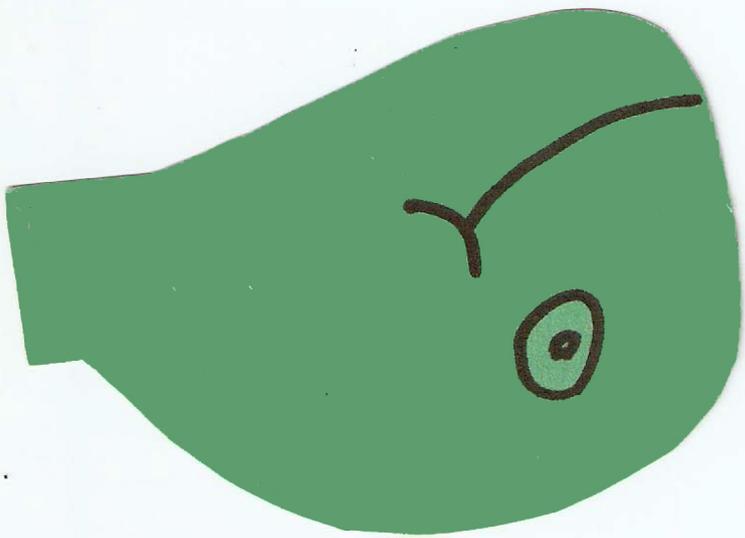
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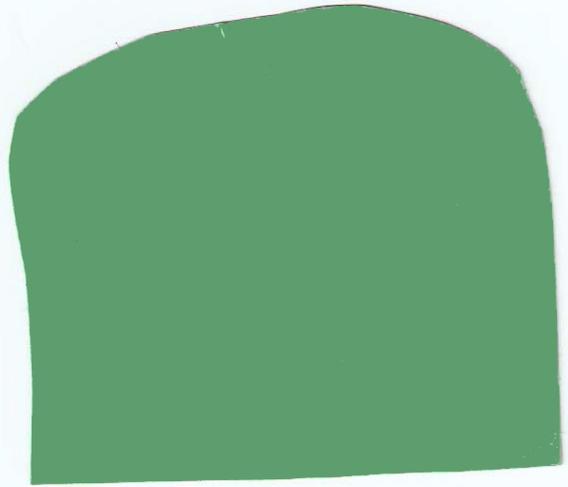
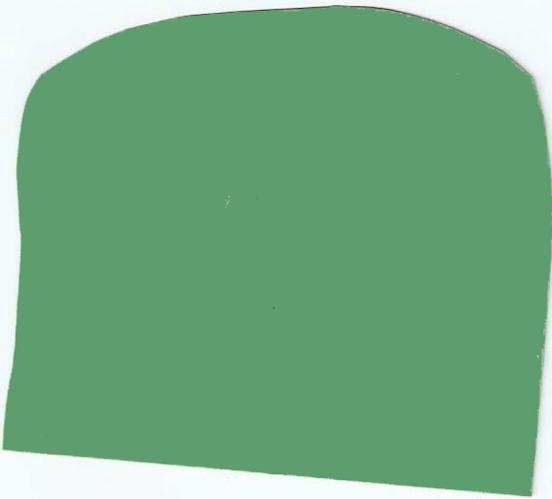
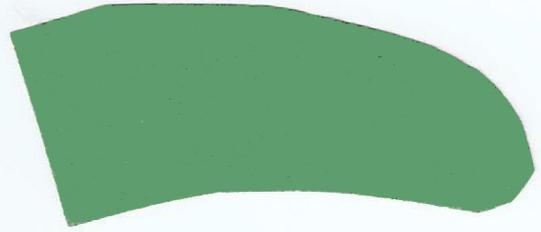
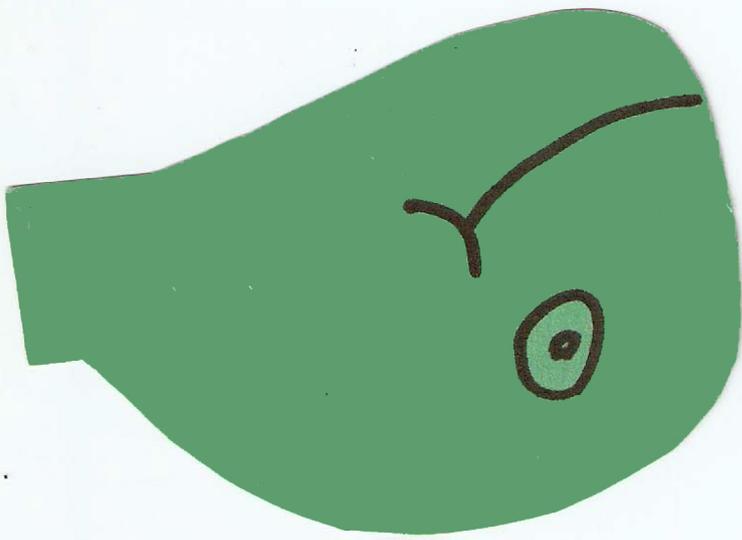
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Out of Silence

Who can tell me some of the things that God created? (allow for discussion)

Heaven, the air that we breathe, sun, moon, stars, ocean, mountains, waterfalls, lakes, grass, trees, and flowers.

And how many days did it take for God to create all of these things so far? 4 days that is correct.

Well today, I am going to tell you about some things that God created on the 5th day of creation.

When the sun starts to peep out on the 5th day, God begins to speak again.

When God spoke, that meant that something special was about to happen...and it did! All of a sudden the ocean was filled with every kind of fish that you could possibly think of. He made the great BIG whale, and He made the sharks, and the octopus, and the salmon, and He even made the TEENY TINY goldfish and the LITTLE BITTY minnow.

Can anyone tell me the names of any of the other types of fish that God made? (Allow for discussion)

How about the trout, or the starfish, and He made the Crabs and the Lobsters and the Eels, and the swordfish?

How about the sand and the seashells did God create all of those also? That's right, God created all of those things and He created every single fish that is in the ocean.

But God wasn't finished there...He also created birds on day 5.

And next week, we will learn about those birds...and a few other things as well.

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When we are finished with your crafts, you can take them home and show them to your mommy or daddy, or your brother or sister, or your friends and you can use them to share how GOD created everything.

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Turtle Snacks

3 doz pretzels, waffle shaped or traditional (shown)
1 bag of Rolo candies
3 doz shelled pecan halves

Preheat oven to 250 F. Line a large baking sheet with parchment or foil. Spread pretzels on lined pan in a single layer. Place one unwrapped Rolo in the center of each pretzel. Place the pan in the oven for 4-5 minutes. Remove from oven and press one pecan half into the top of each Rolo. If the Rolo candies are not soft enough to squish down, return the pan to the oven for one or two more minutes.

When all the pecan halves have been pressed into the Rolos, place the pan in the freezer for 5 to 10 minutes to firm up the candy.

Store between layers of waxed paper in an airtight contain



Snack Ideas

Prepare Blue Jello with gummy fish inside. Pour jello into clear cups so it will resemble an aquarium. (Don't forget to take plastic spoons.)

Note: Purchase the gummy fish before sending out the postcards. The gummy fish are hard to find. Of course, you can use any sea creatures that you can find.