

Make a Stick Puppet

Materials:

- Puppet template (or draw your own)
- Paper to print or draw on
- Crayons, markers, or paint
- Wooden dowelling (wooden skewers with clipped ends, wooden spoons, chopsticks or straws)
- Brass fasteners (make your own using small buttons & twist ties, or green gardening wire)
- Scotch tape
- Tape

Step 1: Colour and decorate

Step 2: Cut out the puppet pieces

Step 3: Hole Punch

Make holes where the circles are marked

Step 4: Fasten the pieces together

Push the paper fasteners from front to back and spread the fastener ends on the back.

Step 5: Attach dowels/sticks on the back with tape

Tape the skewer to the puppet parts that you want to move. Leave a tab of tape at the top of the dowel, fold it over. Tape this flap to the desired puppet part.

Step 7: Have FUN with your Stick Puppet!

