

KIDS activity pack!

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TO DO AT
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Hi guys!

We hope you've got loads of fun things planned over the summer months but if not, don't worry because we've got plenty to keep you busy.

We hope you enjoy this activity pack crammed with fun things to make and do.

We've got lots of great tips to help you become super pet owners. Also, do you fancy earning your own award?

Ask your parent or guardian to visit pdsa.org.uk/petwise-schools and sign up to our free award as a home school. You'll earn an e-certificate and you'll even get an exclusive pin badge and lanyard!*

Have fun!

From PDSA's Education Team and all the poorly pets being treated by our amazing vet teams

*Please allow 3 months for delivery



MAKE

origami rabbits!

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You will need:  
Coloured paper  
Black marker

1.

Fold a square piece of paper in half from corner to corner to make a triangle.

2.

Fold along the long edge.

3.

Fold one half back to meet the centre of the triangle.

4.

Fold the other half in to match it.

5.

Fold the bottom up to make the base.

5.

Turn it over and fold the top point inside to make the top of the rabbit's head.

Don't forget that rabbits need a friend to live with – so remember to make two!

Then give your rabbit a face!



# Pet needs wordsearch

Try to find all of the words that are linked to pets' needs

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Food  
Company  
Exercise  
Vet  
Love  
Bed  
Safe  
Happy  
Nutrients  
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Water  
Fun  
Healthy  
Care  
Attention  
Home  
Behaviour  
Diet  
Clean  
Pet

Check your  
answers  
on page 20.  
Good luck!



# QUIZ: be dog safe

- 1**  **Petting gently**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 2**  **Interacting with unfamiliar dogs, especially if they are tied up**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 3**  **Letting the dog approach at his own rate**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 4**  **Staring at the dog or approaching it head-on**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 5**  **Reaching your hand out for the dog to sniff**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 6**  **Standing a safe distance away so that you are not a threat**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 7**  **Hugging, kissing, and patting roughly**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 8**  **Rushing towards the dog**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 9**  **Not petting the dog if he looks nervous or tense**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 10**  **Leaning over or towards the dog**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 11**  **Asking if you can interact first**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 12**  **Reaching in or towards the dog's car**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 13**  **Petting the dog when he looks relaxed and comes up to you**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 14**  **Approaching slowly (at a relaxed walk)**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 15**  **Staying outside the dog's bubble and present your side to the dog**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?
- 16**  **Approaching sideways and avoiding direct eye contact**

☐ Correct way?  
☐ Incorrect way?

See how you did on page 20.

Which answers did you get right?

Did you choose the incorrect answer for any of these?  
If so, take another look.

Why not ask your family and friends to do the quiz too?



**How many different colours can you use to  
colour in these gorgeous dogs?**



**Have  
fun!**

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# Make your own dog mask >>>

1. Colour in the mask
2. Ask a grown-up to help you cut out the mask along the dotted line (remember to cut out the eyes)
3. Glue the mask to a piece of thin cardboard (the inside of a cereal box works really well)
4. Cut out the holes either side of the mask
5. Attach some string, ribbon or elastic, so the mask can be secured at the back of your head

*Tip: if you don't want to cut out this page, you can trace the mask onto another piece of paper or photocopy it.*





**can you help the pet  
find his home?**



**Ready steady go!**



# MAXE

## a gallery-worthy piece of art

Could you be the next Pablo Picasso or Van Gogh?

Use PVA glue if you don't have a glue gun.

### You will need:

- ★ A blank canvas
- ★ Wax Crayons
- ★ A hot glue gun
- ★ Glue sticks
- ★ A hair dryer
- ★ Newspaper



**1.** Sort the crayons into colour groups and remove the brown, white and black crayons.

**2.** Ask an adult to help you glue the crayons into your desired shape. It can be any shape you want – even a straight line.



**3.** Cover your working area with newspaper. Melting the wax crayons can be quite messy.



**4.** Position your canvas at an angle so the drips run down. Heat three crayons at a time using a hair dryer – make sure you keep rotating the canvas as you heat the crayons or your drips will go the wrong way.



*Tip: Spread the drips further using the heat from your hair dryer.*

**5.** Leave your canvas to dry. This should take around 2 hours.

**WOW!**

**Ta Da!**  
you're now ready to Display!





# Make your own cat mask >>>

1. Colour in the mask
2. Ask a grown-up to help you cut out the mask along the dotted line (remember to cut out the eyes)
3. Glue the mask to a piece of thin cardboard (the inside of a cereal box works really well)
4. Cut out the holes either side of the mask
5. Attach some string, ribbon or elastic, so the mask can be secured at the back of your head

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# MAKE Chocolate pizza

## You'll need:

- ☒ Chocolate
- ☒ A mixture of sweets
- ☒ A bowl
- ☒ A cake tin
- ☒ Foil



**START  
HERE**

**1.**



Cover your cake tin in kitchen foil. This will help you remove your pizza in one piece.

**2.**



Break your chocolate into a microwaveable bowl.

**3.**



Ask an adult to help you melt the chocolate either in the microwave or over a pan of water on the stove.

**4.**



Pour the melted chocolate into your foil-covered cake tin and shake gently until it's level.

**5.**



Decorate your pizza by adding your sweets. Push each sweet into the chocolate so it stays in place.

**6.**

Once you're happy with your topping, place the tin in the fridge and leave for 3 hours or until solid.

**7.**



Gently remove your pizza from the cake tin. You may need an adult to help you.

Ask an adult to cut your pizza into slices and enjoy ...

**Yummy!**





# Name that Animal!

Look closely at the pictures and see if you can tell what animals they are.

1



2



3



4



5



6



7



8



9



10



11



12





Have  
fun!



How many different colours  
can you use to colour in these  
cute cats?

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# Fun Animal HandPrints

You'll need ...

green and grey paint, a paintbrush, a paint tray, pens and some white paper.

## Tortoise Print

1.

Paint your hand green and press it hard on to paper.



2.

Wash your hand!

3.

When the paint is dry, add lighter green spots on to the palm section of the hand print. This will be the shell.

4.

Paint around the whole palm section in a dark green.

5.

Draw little feet on the end of each finger using a black felt pen.

6.

Finally, add a big smiley face to your tortoise!

Ta Da!

tortoise.....

## Elephant Print

1.

Paint your hand grey and press it hard on to paper.



2.

Wash your hand!

3.

When the paint is dry, using a lighter shade of grey, add a big ear to the palm section, and a tail.



4.

When the print is dry, add little lines to the bottom of each finger



5.

Next, using white paint, add a little tusk on the thumb section.



6.

Add some detail around the ear and tail using black felt pen



7.

Finally, give your elephant a big grin using black felt pen!

Ta Da!

elephant.....



# How many dogs do you see?



Why not colour this  
in when you've  
counted the dogs?

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# MAKE

## a fork painting

### You will need:

- Paints
- A plastic fork
- Glue
- Coloured/white paper
- Scissors



cat

dog



**1.** Place a blob of paint in the middle of your page.



**2.** Start dragging your fork through the blob of paint.



**3.** Repeat this until you get a circle.



**4.** Dip the other end of your fork in the paint and draw on your ears.



**5.** Cut a nose shape and eye shapes out of paper and stick them on using glue.



**6.** Using the tip of your fork again, paint the pupil on to your eyes.



**2 blobs of different coloured paint ...**



You can also use two colours, like we have on our dog:

**7.** Using a different colour of paint, use the end of the fork to paint on your whiskers and ta da, you have a fork cat.



WOW!



## Have a go at making fabulous flower pots from recycled materials



Try making these amazing flower Pots ...



### You'll need:

#### Equipment:

- ☒ Yogurt pots/plastic milk containers (washed and dried)
- ☒ Scissors
- ☒ Glue
- ☒ White paper/ Non-toxic white acrylic paint
- ☒ Non-toxic coloured paints and brushes
- ☒ Coloured paper
- ☒ Black marker pen

1

Cover the yogurt pots with three coats of white acrylic paint (after each coat allow to dry) or cover with white paper.



2

Then paint over the white canvas with your favourite colours, stamps etc.



3

You could also trace your patterns onto the coloured paper.

4

Cut out the shapes and stick on to the yogurt pots with glue.



5

Cut the milk container in half.



6

Using the bottom half, draw shapes of ears & cut out.

7

Paint the outside in your favourite colour.



8

Allow it to dry before painting a second coat.

9

Draw on the eyes, nose & mouth with your black marker to make a face.



Big thanks to  
Pet Protector,  
Kerstin Da Costa  
for her fab idea!





# MAKE a bug hotel!

WOW!

Do you still find yourself with plastic items that can't be recycled? Well, why not put them to use and give the bugs in your garden a home?

Our bug hotel is still a work in progress, but we're always adding to it and the bugs have already moved in!

Here are some ideas of how you can create one of these simply, and at no cost, in your own garden.

We made this secret hideaway by cutting small pop bottles in half and filling them with any thrown away straws. Make sure the straws are securely in place for your bug hotel.

You can also glue these pots around the other way as their drainage holes make a great secret entrance for the bugs.

We've also added pine cones and items we found in the garden to make our hotel look more interesting.

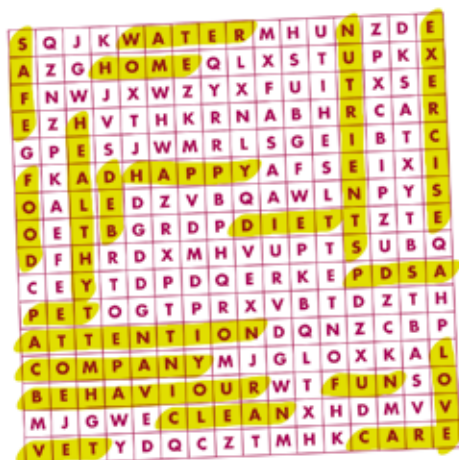
We had lots of plastic plant pots left over from planting our new summer bedding. You can fill these with anything you can find. We chose to fill ours with some moss, found growing naturally in the garden, and twigs collected off the ground.

We've had loads of fun making our bug hotel and we hope you do too.



# Answers

## Pet needs wordsearch



## Name that animal

1. Cow
2. Badger
3. Hedgehog
4. Koala bear
5. Dog
6. Seagull
7. Rabbit
8. Cat
9. Squirrel
10. Dolphin
11. Zebra

## How many dogs do you see?



## How to greet a dog

1. Petting gently Yes
2. Interacting with unfamiliar dogs, especially if they are tied up No
3. Letting the dog approach at his own rate Yes
4. Staring at the dog or approaching it head-on No
5. Reaching your hand out for the dog to sniff No
6. Standing a safe distance away so that you are not a threat Yes
7. Hugging, kissing, and patting roughly No
8. Rushing towards the dog No
9. Not petting the dog if he looks nervous or tense Yes
10. Leaning over or towards the dog No
11. Asking if you can interact first Yes
12. Reaching in or towards the dog's car No
13. Petting the dog when he looks relaxed and comes up to you Yes
14. Approaching slowly (at a relaxed walk) Yes
15. Staying outside the dog's bubble and presenting your side to the dog Yes
16. Approaching sideways and avoiding direct eye contact Yes

Hope you did well!



