



→ WHAT YOU'LL NEED



Plastic lid from food container (e.g. ice cream tub)



White glue



Toothpick or wooden skewer



Food colouring or liquid watercolours



Hole punch



String

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Here Comes The Sun

Brighten up any room with this brilliant suncatcher.

Follow these steps

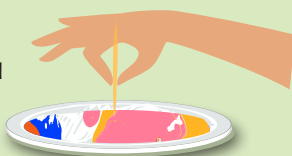
1. Pour a thick layer of white glue onto the inner surface of a plastic lid. Swish it around so that the glue covers the entire surface.



2. Put one or two drops of each colour on the glue in different spots.



3. Using a toothpick or wooden skewer, swirl the colours around. Be careful not to mix the colours too much to avoid a muddy-looking finish.



4. Leave to dry for one to three days, or until the edges start to lift away from the lid. Once fully dry, peel it off the lid.



5. Punch a hole through the top of the suncatcher to thread a piece of string through. Hang in a window or other sunny spot.



Repurpose It

HEY PARENTS! Suncatchers can be made from a variety of natural or recycled materials. Try **flower petals**, **leaves**, **coloured tissue paper**, **lace** or **ribbons**, sandwiched between two sheets of transparent contact paper.



Snap & Show

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