



→ WHAT YOU'LL NEED



10 medium-sized pebbles or stones



Shoebbox (with lid)



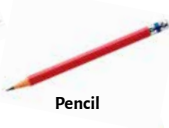
Plain cardstock



Craft paint (2 colours)



Paint brushes



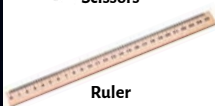
Pencil



Scissors



Markers



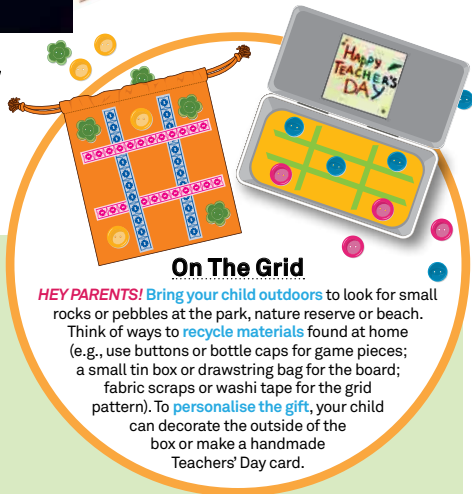
Ruler



Glue stick

Three In A Row

Create a homemade Tic-Tac-Toe game as a Teachers' Day gift.



On The Grid

HEY PARENTS! Bring your child outdoors to look for small rocks or pebbles at the park, nature reserve or beach. Think of ways to **recycle materials** found at home (e.g., use buttons or bottle caps for game pieces; a small tin box or drawstring bag for the board; fabric scraps or wash tape for the grid pattern). To **personalise the gift**, your child can decorate the outside of the box or make a handmade Teachers' Day card.

Follow these steps

1. Paint five pebbles the same colour, and the other five pebbles a different colour. Let dry. If needed, apply a second coat of paint.



TIP! Smooth, flat pebbles are ideal for painting. Wash to remove any soil or grit so that paint can adhere better.

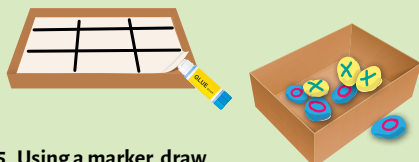
2. Place a shoebox lid on a cardstock sheet. Trace the edges of the lid with a pencil and cut out the shape.



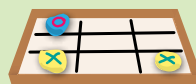
3. Use a marker and ruler to draw a Tic-Tac-Toe grid on the cardstock cut-out. There should be two vertical and horizontal lines each, equally spaced, for a total of nine squares/rectangles.



4. Glue the cardstock inside the shoebox lid. Let it dry.



5. Using a marker, draw an "X" on one set of painted pebbles and an "O" on the other. Start playing, and store the pebbles in the box once you're done!



Snap & Show

Your child's masterpiece could be featured in the next issue of *Beanstalk!* Submit a picture of your child with his/her DIY Tic-Tac-Toe set online at go.gov.sg/beanstalk-craft-submission or scan this QR code.

