

## Make your own Jungle Animal Mask

Did you know that tropical rainforests are home to 50% of the animals, insects and plants that live on land?

This guide will talk you through some simple steps to make your very own animal mask to celebrate some of the weird and wonderful creatures found in the rainforest. Some of the steps will need you to use the internet, scissors and glue so make sure you ask an adult for help if you need it. Why not see if you can re-use some materials, such as cereal box cardboard, from your recycling bin?

What you will need:

- Some string or ribbon (long enough to reach around your head)
- Paper
- Cardboard
- Colouring pencils, pens or crayons
- Scissors

Step 1. Choose from the mask outlines presented here and print them out. No printer? Don't worry, try holding up a piece of paper to the screen and carefully and gently trace the image outline

Step 2. Glue your mask stencil to some cardboard

Step 3. Cut out around the stencil to leave just the shape of the animal

Step 4. Cut out the eyes so you can see

Step 5. Colour your masks in, stick things to them, have fun and make them as colourful and creative as you can. Search for your chosen animal on the internet for inspiration!

Step 6. Use a pencil to puncture the two red holes in them

Step 7. Cut your string in half and tie a knot in each piece at one end. Thread the strings through each hole in the mask. Ask a friend or adult to tie the mask behind your head.

Step 8. Ask an adult to take a photo of you and share with Size of Wales on Twitter or Facebook by tagging @sizeofwales and using the hashtag #gogreenday

Mask images from flaticon.com

Resource available at [sizeofwales.org.uk/resources](http://sizeofwales.org.uk/resources)













