Year 3 & 4 Making Club: Animal Parade — Week One

To use our Carnival Mask Template to create animal masks for an Animal Parade at the end of this half term.

Long Legged Animals by Years 3 & 4 Making Club

Year three and four pupils explore making their own sculptures and to take on sculptural challenges like how to construct with a variety of materials, including Modroc, and (most importantly) how to make their creations stand.

Shipwrecked! A Shadow Puppet Play by Children Aged 10

As the winter nights draw in and it was dark outside and cosy inside, Friday Club students, turn the summerhouse into a theatre and make a shadow puppet play.

3D Drawing with Paper: Texture - Surface - Structure

Artist Andrea Butler sets teenagers the challenge to create 3D forms from sheets of paper experimenting with structure and texture using manipulation techniques.

Years 3 and 4 D&T and Making Club

A collection of resources by Sheila Ceccarelli based on her Brilliant Makers Club for year three and four pupils at Milton Road Primary School, Cambridge. Children were encouraged to experiment, think and engineer creative solutions by working on simple projects, with individual and independently generated outcomes.

40 Minute Cardboard and Double-Sided Sticky Tape Engineering Challenge

This workshop was all about getting year three and four Brilliant Makers at Milton Road Primary School to think about the biggest challenge for any maker: how to make something stand up.

How to Make a Simple Origami Bird by Melanie Johns

Melanie Johns suggests using origami to transform old artwork. It's an exciting way of using less successful drawings or paintings on paper to produce a new creative outcome, in the form of a personalised paper sculpture.

My House - A Cardboard Construction Project

These autobiographical architectural sculptures use corrugated cardboard, laid in strips on their side, to create sculptures designed to be peered in to!

Sculptural Birds in Flight by Teenage Makers

In this workshop teenagers played with sculptural ideas around building form and mass, tension and scale by combining materials from Scrap Stores.

Autobiographical Suitcase Pop-Up Gallery

This resource shares how 8, 9 and 10 year old children created a home for all of their sculptures and paintings in the form of a cardboard suitcase which doubled up as a pop-up gallery.

Brave Young Makers: Year Three Pupils at Ridgefield Primary Transform Materials into Birds and Insects

This workshop presented year three pupils at Ridgefield Primary School with real design and making challenges as they worked to a brief to 'create birds and insects for their school tree'.

Making a RollerCoaster by Julia Rigby

KS1 children use their imaginations and sense of fun to collaborate to create a model roller coaster with moving

Priscilla the Puffin: Make a Simple Bird Mobile

Nicola McGovern was one of the artists who generously donated an artwork to the AccessArt Share-a-Bird Project. She sent a mobile of a puffin and included a template so that the children who received her bird could have fun making a whole flock of puffins.

Colourful Sculptural Birds by Pupils at Donhead Preparatory School

See fabulous selection of birds by pupils from Donhead Preparatory School sent to AccessArt by Phillippa Dudgeon, Head of Art & DT.

Transformation F

Project:

Cardboard and....

Artist Andrea Butler shows how to explore simple design and construction using cardboard and jewellery.

Making Sea Sculptures at Culford School, Suffolk

Artists Andrea Butler and Sheila Ceccarelli inspire year three pupils to invent their own sculptural sea creatures using simple wrapping and binding techniques with scrap store materials.

A Model Studio by Susie Olczak

A Model Studio by Susie Olczak: Teenagers explore skills that would be useful in a real life creative working environment

Chimera Drawings into

Beautiful Terracotta Tiles

Artist Eleanor Somerset introduces 'Sgraffito': drawing into leather hard red clay tiles to create designs using mark-making.

Introducing Sgraffito using a Coloured Clay Slip on a Terracotta Tile

Further explore how to make beautiful sgraffito, or 'scratched drawings' with artist Eleanor Somerset.

Manipulating Paper: Turning 2D into 3D

Andrea Butler and Paula Briggs show how to manipulate flat pieces of paper into three dimensional shapes.