Junk Modelling

Ready for School, Ready for Life **Top Tips**



Children will develop their imagination and creative skills when they are given the freedom to explore and create their own models using everyday resources. It will also help develop children's problem solving, reasoning and numeracy skills as they work out what fits, what doesn't and how to make it stick together.

What can I make?

Anything your child makes, will be precious and something they will take pride in. Allow your child's imagination to run wild and don't worry if it doesn't look perfect or an ideal image of what they have made.

What can my child use?

- Old cereal boxes
- Egg boxes

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- Plastic bottles
- Cotton wool balls
- Scrap fabric
- Bubble wrap
- Cardboard tubes (wrapping paper, kitchen roll)
- Old CD's

The list is endless! Don't forget – masking/strong tape!

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