

## Make a paper Stingray



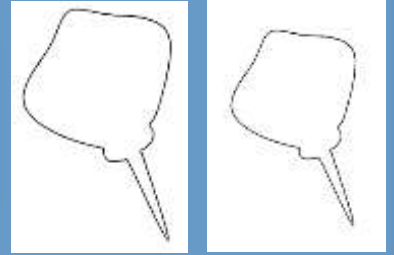
You will need:

- \* Access to a printer (optional)
- \* 2 sheets of A4 paper
- \* Lolly stick
- \* Pencil
- \* Colouring pencils or crayons
- \* Glue
- \* Scissors
- \* Ruler
- \* Tape
- \* Googly eyes or eye stickers (optional)



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If you have access to a printer, print out the 2 Stingray templates at the end of this document in black and white onto the A4 paper.



If not, follow the next five steps to draw your own stingrays:

With the pencil & ruler, draw a large kite shape on one sheet of A4 paper.



Make the left and right corners curved like the picture here.



Draw on a tube-shaped tail onto the bottom of the kite shape.



Carefully cut out this first stingray shape, asking for help if you need to.



Place this on the second piece of paper and draw around it, making the next stingray a bit larger than the first.



Whether printed or hand-drawn, cut out your two stingray shapes, one being slightly larger than the other.



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Fold the smaller shape in half down the centre gently.



Cut some of the scrap paper into two strips, then wrap into loops. Tape these to the centre of the larger shape. These will be for your fingers.

Turn the large shape over and stick the smaller shape down on top.



Draw some eyes on some scrap paper, cut out and stick down. Or use googly eyes or stickers. Then colour or decorate your stingray.

Tape the lollipop stick to the underside tail end of the stingray.



Gently curl up the wings of your stingray and he's ready to "fly"!



**Why not make  
more Stingrays in  
different colours?**



