

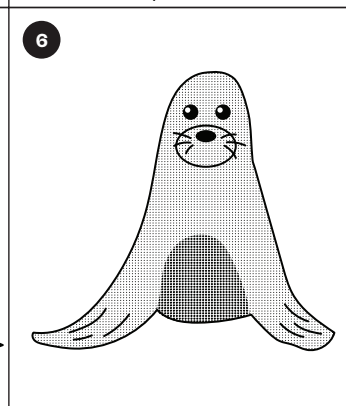
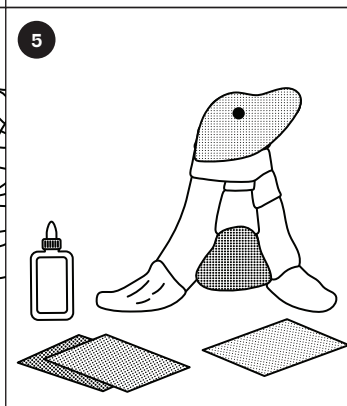
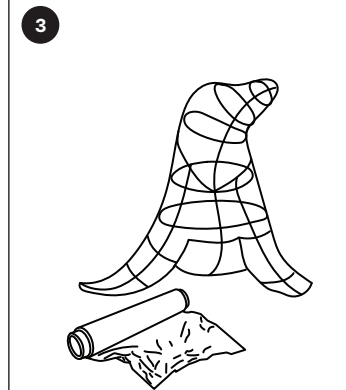
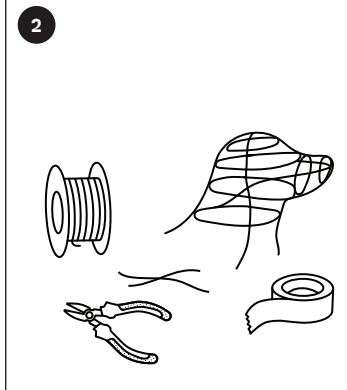
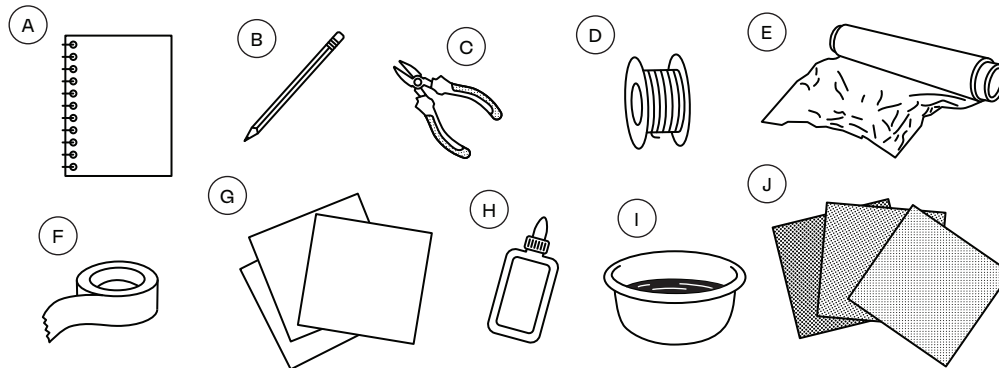
This is Art Club! Paper Lantern

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What you'll need!

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| A. Sketchbook | F. Masking Tape |
| B. Pencil | G. Wet Strength Tissue Paper |
| C. Pliers | H. PVA Glue |
| D. Wire | I. Water & Bowl |
| E. Cling Film | J. Coloured Tissue Paper |

A few simples steps Paper Lantern



1 Plan your animal

Make a rough sketch of the animal you wish to make. The sculpture in this demonstration will be a seal. Using cross contouring to prepare for turning your drawing into 3D.

2 Snip snip

Using pliers, cut the wire into a number of circles of various sizes. Applying masking tape, to join the wires together. It's important to start with the head to ensure the size is right.

3 Get wrapping

Cover the entire seal with cling film once the 3D wire sculpture is complete. This allows the tissue paper to be added and any holes in the wire frame to be filled.

4 Build up the layers

Once the seal is wrapped in cling film, time to add the wet strength tissue paper. The sheets of tissue paper are placed on the sculpture by soaking them in watered down PVA Glue.

5 Now add colour

Use coloured tissue paper sheets that can be cut into suitable shapes and sizes to add colour. Apply the PVA Glue to the seal sculpture first, then add the coloured tissue paper.

6 Illuminate

Insert LED lights into the sculpture to turn it into a night light. You can have your own light up paper lantern once it gets dark!