

Lockdown Creative Activity Six: Sock Friends

To make a Kitty Sock Friend you'll need: old socks, stuffing (though not essential), buttons, needle, pins and thread.

Step 1

Find a couple of old or odd socks.



Old socks!

Step 2

With the outside of the sock facing, tuck the ankle and heel section inside the sock towards the toe. Leaving the toe and about 10cm of the foot of the sock visible. Now stuff this further with an additional sock or some wadding.



It should look like this!

Step 3

Sew up the top opening of the sock.



Sew up the top opening

Step 4

Choose two buttons (they don't need to match) and sew on to create eyes. Then sew a line across the top two corners of the stitched edge, to create an 'ear' triangle.



Buttons for eyes!

Sew a line like this!

Step 5

With a thicker thread, sew one stitch in the position of a nose, leave this thread to extend on both sides of the stitch by about 3cm, then cut. **Do this three times.** Then knot all three together to create the nose and whiskers.



Leave thread so it's about 3cm, then cut. Do this three times.

To make an Owl Sock Friend

Follow stages 1 - 3, sew on two larger buttons and finally stitch with an alternative colour, a triangular shaped beak.