

11-16 Activity Sheet

Book Creatures

Give your old, damaged books (or magazines) new life by creating cute, curious creatures to display in your home

What You Need

- Old, damaged books or old magazines
- Newspaper
- Glue, scissors, tape
- Hot glue gun
- Old post satchels, boxes and/or plastic bottles

How It Works

- Stuff an old post satchel with newspaper to create a body, or use a clean dry milk or soda bottle
- Tape the bag into the desired shape
- Tape a ball of newspaper to the top of the bag or bottle to make a head - you can do the same to create arms and legs
- Cut the margins off the pages so the print is visible however you cut, roll or fold
- Cut strips or feathers
- Roll quills or circles
- Use your offcuts to create a furry look

