

Make your own bookmark with legs!



You will need

- ☒ 1 cup of flour
- ☒ 1/2 cup of salt
- ☒ 1/2 cup of lukewarm water
- ☒ Wooden lolly sticks
- ☒ Card
- ☒ Paint
- ☒ Pens and pencils for carving

Introduction

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These funky bookmarks can look like your favourite characters from your most loved books!

Instructions

1. In a large bowl mix salt and flour. Gradually stir in water. Mix well until it forms a doughy consistency.
2. With your hands form a ball with your dough and knead it for at least 5 minutes.
The longer you knead your dough the smoother it will be.

TOP TIP: You can store your salt dough in a air tight container and you will be able to use it for days!

3. Take a wooden lolly stick and a good amount of the salt dough in your hand, and use the template as a guide to gauge how much you need.
4. Roll the dough around the lolly stick, halfway up, and roughly make the shape, start adding the detail
5. You can let your salt dough creations air dry, or if you grab a grown-up to help, you can bake it at 100C until your creation is dry. The amount of time needed to bake your creations depends on size and thickness; thin flat ornaments may only take 45-60 minutes, thicker creations can take 2-3 hours or more.
6. Once dry, you can paint it! You can decorate them however you want...
7. Print out one of the body templates from this document for the top half of your character or you can design your own.
8. Print or design the top half onto card and secure with tape.





