

Sponge Tea Party



You will need

- ★ Sponges
- ★ Scissors (grown-up use only)
- ★ Coloured paints
- ★ A glue stick or PVA glue
- ★ Coloured card
- ★ Coloured foam or felt sheets
- ★ Decorations e.g. stickers, tissue paper, pom poms

Introduction

Have fun making a sponge tea party of cakes and sandwiches to enjoy with friends and family.

Instructions

1



To make slices of cake, draw 2 triangles on the sponge, making sure the triangles are the same size. Ask a grown-up to help you cut them out.

2



Paint the triangles the colour you would like your sponge cake to be. For example, you might choose brown for a chocolate cake or cream for a Victoria Sponge.

3



Draw a triangle of the same size onto your foam or felt and ask a grown-up to help you cut it out. This will be your cake filling. You might like to use more than one filling, e.g. Red foam could be jam and white could be cream.

4



Using glue, stick your filling triangles to one side of your sponge triangles. Stick the two sponge triangles together, making sure your filling is in the middle.

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Choose a piece of coloured foam or felt to be your icing. Ask a grown-up to cut a triangle the same size as your sponge cake. Stick this triangle to the top of your sponge cake.

6



Finally, decorate your icing the way you like.

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To make a sandwich, repeat steps 1-4 but ask a grown-up to help you cut and paint your sponge to look like two slices of bread. Cut your foam or felt into the shapes of your favourite sandwich fillings. For example, you might choose green strips for lettuce or red circles for slices of tomato.

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Use different colours and shapes to make lots of different cakes and sandwiches for your tea party.