

A walk on the wild side



Nature Day at home



Tony Owl

Did you know that tawny owls can turn their necks almost all the way around?

If you would like to make a turning tawny owl just like Tony follow these instructions.



Use whatever decorative bits and bobs you have at home to decorate your shapes



Find two cardboard tubes, one of which will fit inside the other and cut one so that it is between 2 and 3cm shorter than the other.



Cut out two circle eyes and make a beak by colouring in a diamond shape and folding it in half to make a triangle. Cut out a heart shape and colour both sides and cut it in half to make the wings. If you have coloured paper or a brown paper bag you could use that.



Stick the wings onto the shorter tube.

Slot the taller tube inside and position the eyes and beak to the front. You can decorate the top half of the taller tube if you like.



2 cardboard tubes that fit inside each other
Felt tips or crayons
Coloured paper or a paper bag
Glue
Scissors



Hold the outside tube and see how your owl can turn its neck.





