



# RECYCLED MASK

Stand out from the herd in animal inspired fancy dress – and help us to protect our planet to help people and wildlife thrive.

It's a shocking fact that between 1970 and 2012, global populations of fish, birds, mammals, amphibians and reptiles have declined by almost 60%. But with your help, we can make a difference and we're working hard to ensure that wild populations of iconic species such as tigers, rhinos and gorillas are safeguarded.

So let your imagination run wild and make a fantastic recycled animal mask to show your love for wildlife.

## What you need

- Recycled card
- PVA glue
- Strong glue or tape
- Colourful tissue paper
- Pens or paint



1 hour



6-12 yr olds



Indoor fun

## Instructions

1. Print out your mask template.
2. Stick the template to some card (we find an old cereal box works well!)
3. Cut around your mask - remember to cut out the eye holes!
4. Punch holes (or use a knitting needle but ask an adult to help you) where the small grey circles are marked and add some string or elastic to keep your mask in place.
5. Choose which animal you want to make your mask into; a terrific stripy tiger, a majestic gorilla or a flashy flamingo, the options are endless!
6. Now for the creative part! Out of the recycled cardboard you have collected, cut out ears, or a beak, a trunk or a nose, to make up your animal face.
7. Decorate your mask using colourful crayons, paint or marker pens. You might choose to use some colourful tissue paper or recycled fabric to make it wonderfully unique!
8. Now, put on your mask and Wear it Wild!



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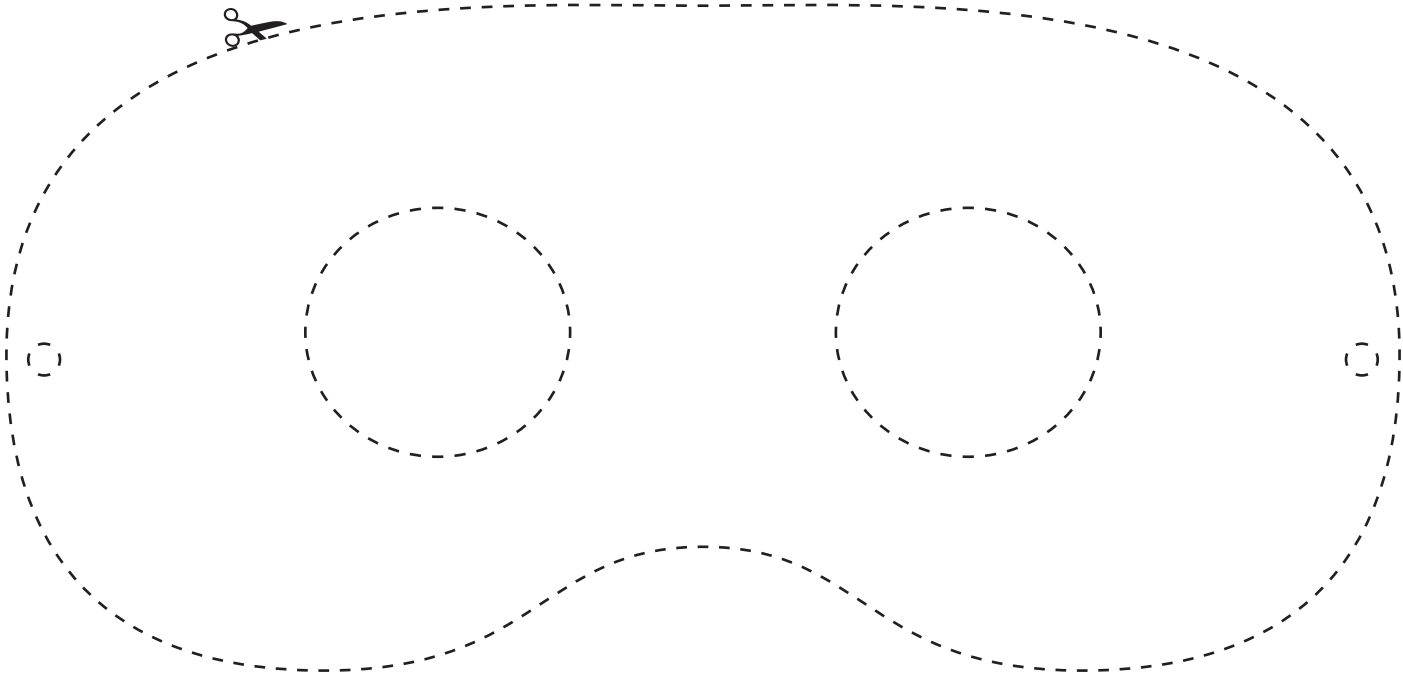
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