

Activity Idea

Paper Moving Fish

Recommended for Ages 6+

Materials:

- Colorful paper
- Scissors
- Markers
- Glue stick
- String (optional)
- Idea from <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1LSklvcETW8>

Instructions:

1. Begin by cutting a square sheet of paper, 2 circle eyes, and 2 heart shapes (one heart bigger than the other heart).
2. Fold paper diagonally creating a triangle shape. Unfold.
3. Facing up like a diamond, fold each end towards the middle and then unfold. Paper will have 3 crease diagonal lines. Unfold back into triangle shape.
4. Begin from the “tail” make cuts with scissors from center towards the crease, evenly. Leave a larger portion uncut for “head.” Unfold paper.
5. Glue one of the flaps of the triangles onto the other triangle.
6. Gently press and shape the fish.
7. Glue the small heart to the “tail” of fish. Glue the bigger heart closer to the “head” of the fish.
8. Place eyes on fish. Tie string to the middle of the fish.

