

Page Turner Adventures'  
Virtual Summer Library Program  
Crafts & Recipes  
Materials List

Thanks for joining our Virtual Summer Adventure! Each week, we'll have crafts, games, recipes, and activities for both younger kids (Pre-K-2<sup>nd</sup> grade) and older kids (3<sup>rd</sup> grade-middle school). Younger and older kids can do ALL of the crafts, but some younger children might require more parental supervision and/or help with the "older" projects.

We're not including the directions for the projects in this list. You will get downloadable handouts that include directions and templates that go along with each video when we release the videos for that week. But we know that many libraries want to prepare "**Take & Make**" Kits for patrons, so we're providing a list of materials and supplies ahead of time.

Most of the materials we use in our projects are either things folks will have around their house, or items that can be found at a local dollar store. Below is a general list of things to start collecting, followed by a specific project list.

**Recyclable/Re-usable Materials to Gather:**

Toilet Paper Tubes, Paper Towel Tubes, Aluminum Foil and Plastic Wrap Tubes (these are generally sturdier than paper towel tubes), Laundry Detergent and Dish Detergent Bottles, Paper Cups, Styrofoam Cups, Tea Boxes, Plastic Clam Shell boxes, Cereal Boxes, Old Socks, Old Pantyhose, Tissue Paper (from gift bags, etc.), Old File Folders, Wire Hanger, Pizza Box, Bubble Mailer Envelopes (and/or Bubble Wrap), Large Brown Paper Grocery Bags, Plastic Grocery Bags (for juggling), paint sticks (free at Home Depot or Lowes), plastic netting (from fruit), glass jars.

**Dollar Store Materials:**

Paper Plates, Small Paper Lunch Bags, White Craft Glue, Construction Paper, Markers, Crayons, Craft Sticks, Pipe Cleaners, Pompoms (various sizes), Stickers, Craft foam, Foam Stickers, Paint (Tempera or Acrylic), Paint Brushes, Scotch Tape, Masking Tape, Packing Tape, Glitter Glue, Rubber Bands, Safety Pins, Sharpie Markers, Rubbing Alcohol, Zip Lock Baggies (various sizes, a gallon size bag is used for one project), White Garbage Bags, Small Spray Bottle, Aluminum Foil, Balloons, Birdseed (for juggling balls-without sunflower seeds, if possible), Pencils (with eraser), Thumbtacks, Paper Towels, Beads, Yarn, Ribbon, or Twine, Straws, Liquid Dish Soap, Spray Paint, Nail Polish (for hydro-dipping), Ruler, pebbles or rocks, votive candles.

**Other: (optional)**

Black Tinned Shoe Polish, Brown Tinned Shoe Polish, Glue Dots, Double Stick Tape, Rickrack, Puff Paint, Binder Clips (various sizes), Stapler, Food Coloring, Craft Knife, Glue Stick, Cardstock.

**Ingredients for Recipes: (most of this can be found at the dollar store as well)**

Eggs (these are for the magic egg craft project)

Peanut Butter, Honey, Dry Milk, Cornflakes, Tortillas, Bread, Fruit, Pizza Sauce, Shredded Cheese, Marshmallows, Chocolate Bar, Graham Crackers, Pie filling, Whipped topping, Raisins, Shredded Coconut, Chocolate Chips, Pretzels.

## Week #1: Imagine Your Fairytale (and folktale)

Younger Projects:

### **Paper Bag Gingerbread Houses and Puppets**

#### **Materials:**

Small Paper Lunch Bag  
White Glue  
Markers  
Scotch Tape  
Construction Paper  
Popsicle Sticks

**Decorations:** (these are all optional and can be mixed and matched)

Rick Rack, Puff Paint, Glitter Glue, Pom Poms, Foam Stickers  
Old File Folders (to glue on templates for puppets), Small Binder Clips (optional)  
Templates: Fairytale Characters

### **Red Riding Hood's No-Bake Cookies**

#### **Ingredients**

Peanut Butter (creamy or chunky)  
Honey  
Cornflakes cereal  
Powdered Milk

#### **Optional Ingredients to add:**

Chocolate Chips, Raisins, Shredded Coconut, Different Kinds of Cereal, Crushed Pretzels

Older Project

### **Magic (Pysanky) Eggs**

#### **Materials:**

Raw Eggs (Hardboiled Can Also Be Used)  
Markers  
Paint  
White Glue  
Water  
Paint Brushes  
Safety Pin  
Bowl  
Empty Egg Carton  
Wall Spackle (optional)

## Week #2: Imagine Your Space Story

Younger Projects:

### **Paper Plate Flying Saucer Frisbees**

#### **Materials:**

Two Paper Plates

Clear Packing Tape (Scotch tape can also be used, but packing tape is easier)

Optional Decorations: Markers, Crayons, Stickers, Etc.

### **Space Slug Finger Puppet**

#### **Materials:**

Two Pipe Cleaners

Glue or double-sided tape (or glue dots)

Googly eyes

Small pompoms (optional)

### **Alien Eyeballs Finger Puppet**

#### **Materials:**

One Pipe Cleaner

Scissors

Googly Eyes

Pompoms (optional)

Feathers, Yarn, etc. (optional)

Older Projects:

### **Fizzing Space Ball**

#### **Materials:**

Baking soda

Paint or Food Coloring

Water

Vinegar

Measuring Cups

### **Space Case-Pencil Case**

#### **Materials:**

Plastic Zip Lock Baggie (Lunch Size)

Duct tape

Scissors

### **Space Case Tablet or Laptop Sleeve**

#### **Materials:**

Large Gallon Size Zip Lock Bag

Recycled Bubble Mailer Envelope (or Bubble Wrap)

Duct Tape

Scissors

## Week #3: Imagine Your Science Story

### Younger Projects

#### **Thaumatrope (early animation device)**

##### **Materials:**

Downloadable Templates for Round and Square Thaumatropes  
Hole Puncher (only needed for round thaumatrope)  
Pencil (only needed for for square thaumatrope)  
2 Rubber Bands (for round thaumatrope)  
Scissors  
Colored pencils, markers, and/or crayons (optional)  
Scotch tape

#### **Balloon Rocket**

##### **Materials:**

Balloons in various shapes and sizes  
Drinking Straws  
Masking Tape or Painters Tape  
Yarn, string, or fishing line  
Two chairs (or something to tie each end of the string to)  
Binder Clips (optional)

### Older Projects

#### **Phenokistoscope (another early animation device)**

##### **Materials:**

Downloadable Phenokistoscope Templates  
Pencil with an eraser  
Thumbtack  
Scissors  
Colored pencils, markers, optional  
Mirror (a bathroom mirror is fine)

#### **Solar Oven (This one requires parental help and supervision)**

##### **Materials:**

Pizza Box (or a cereal box)  
Black construction paper  
Aluminum foil  
Scissors  
Tape  
Plastic wrap  
Craft Knife (optional and with supervision)

##### **S'mores**

Marshmallows  
Chocolate Bar  
Graham Cracker

## Week #4: Imagine Your Adventure Story

Younger Projects

### **Paper Plate Wish Lion**

#### **Materials:**

Two Paper Plates

Scissors

Tape

Markers or Crayons or Paint

Googly Eyes (optional)

Glue (or glue stick)

Pipe Cleaners

Pompom

### **Toilet Paper Tube Binoculars**

#### **Materials**

2 toilet paper tubes

White Craft Glue

Construction Paper

String, Yarn, or ribbon

Rubber Band

Optional Materials:

Glue Dots, Water Bottle Cap, Plastic wrap or cellophane, craft Foam

Decorations: Markers, Paint, Stickers, tissue paper

Older Projects

### **Easter Island Head Vase**

#### **Materials:**

Laundry Detergent or Dish Detergent Bottle (empty and clean)

Masking Tape

Black Shoe Polish or Watered-Down Black Paint

Black Paint

Paint Brush

### **Tanabata Wishes**

#### **Materials**

Construction Paper cut into strips

Hole Puncher

Black Paint

Paint Brush

Or

Sharpie Markers (the thick kind with a beveled edge work well)

Thin ribbon

Kanji Words Handout

## Week #5: Imagine Your Musical Story

Younger Projects

### **Australian Clapping Sticks**

**Materials:**

Four Paint Sticks

Paint

Markers (optional)

White Glue

### **Mini: Djembe Drums**

**Materials:**

Recycled (Clean) Styrofoam or Paper Cups

Masking Tape

Markers

Beads and string (optional)

Older Projects

### **Tie Dye Tee-Shirts and Pillowcases**

**Materials:**

White Tee-shirt or pillow case or piece of fabric

Sharpie Markers

Small spray bottle

Rubbing Alcohol

### **Fruit Bat**

**Materials**

Old Sock (brown, black, or whatever color you want your bat!)

Googly Eyes

Craft Felt (brown, black, or whatever color you like)

2 Pipe Cleaners

Craft Glue

Wire Hangers

Old Pantyhose

Two Safety Pins

## Week #6-Imagine Your Cooking Story

Younger Projects and Recipes

### **Pencil Thin Mustache**

#### **Materials:**

Mustache Template

Cardstock or Old File Folders

Markers or Crayons

Scissors

Tape

Pencil (or Craft Stick)

### **Paper Plate Flag Pizzas**

#### **Flags from Many Countries Handout**

Paper Plate

Construction Paper

Scissors

Glue or Glue Stick

Optional: pompoms, foam shapes or stickers

### **Fruit Pizza Ingredients**

Whole Wheat Tortillas (or bread)

Plain Yogurt (flavored is okay, too!)

Honey

Vanilla Extract

Cut up fruit (your choice)

### **Older Recipes**

#### **Tortilla Pizza (With adult supervision) Ingredients:**

Tortillas (any size)

Shredded Cheese

Spaghetti Sauce

Toppings (optional): mushrooms, olives, pineapple, basil (or anything you want!)

#### **Pinwheels Ingredients:**

Tortillas

Peanut Butter

Honey

Granola

#### **Pie in a Glass Ingredients**

Graham Crackers

Canned Pie Filling (apple, blueberry, or whatever you like)

Whipped Topping

## Week #7: Imagine Your Underwater Story

Younger Projects

### **Sandpaper Art**

#### **Materials:**

Course Sandpaper

Crayons

Optional: Glue, seashells, beads, glitter, etc.

### **Bubble Art**

#### **Materials**

Liquid Dish Soap

Straws

Washable Paint

Water

Several Large Containers (disposable aluminum trays work well)

Paper

### **Rain Stick**

#### **Materials:**

Cardboard Tube (from aluminum foil or plastic wrap works best)

Paint

Paper Bag

Two Rubber Bands

Dry Rice or Beans (beads will also work)

Optional Decorations: Beads, feathers, stickers, markers, pipe cleaner etc.

### **Older Project**

#### **Hydro-Dipping**

#### **Materials:**

Old plastic or aluminum containers (big enough to float the paper in)

Multiple cans of spray paint

Newspaper

Plastic forks or toothpicks

Face Masks

Water

Optional: Spray Sealant

Things to Dip: (ask permission first!)

Paper

Glass and Ceramic Containers

Old Shoes

#### **Alternate Method Materials**

Same as above except...

Use food coloring or nail polish instead of spray paint.

## Week #8: Imagine Your Circus Story

Younger

### **Bookmark Clowns**

#### **Materials:**

Cereal Box  
Scissors  
Construction Paper  
Craft Foam  
PomPoms  
Googly Eyes  
Ruler

### **Magic Steamer Trunk**

#### **Materials:**

Masking Tape  
Tea Box  
Brown Shoe Polish (use the kind in a tin, NOT the liquid)  
Paper Towels  
Black Paint  
Metal Brads (optional)  
Velcro (optional)

Older Project

### **Juggling Balls**

#### **Materials:**

3 nine inch balloons (per ball)  
duct tape  
bird seed  
funnel  
water bottle  
scissors

Learn to Juggle:

Plastic Grocery Bags

## Week #9: Imagine Your Theater Story

Younger Project

### **Toilet Paper Tube Dragon**

#### **Materials:**

Construction Paper

Glue Stick (or tape)

Glue

Two Large Pompons

Two Small Pompoms

Two Googly Eyes

Tissue Paper

Older Project

### **Tissue Box Theater and Puppets**

#### **Materials:**

Empty Tissue Box (rectangular type works best)

5-8 Craft Sticks

Red & Yellow Pain

Black Sharpie Marker

Construction Paper

Glue

Googly Eyes

Note: There are fewer crafts during theater week because we'll be doing lots of improv and theater games along with the art projects.

## Week #10: Imagine Your Pirate Story

Younger Projects

### **Spy Glass**

#### **Materials:**

Paper Towel Tube

Paper Cup

Packing Tape

Construction Paper

Glue or Glue Stick

Decorations: Markers, Stickers, Craft Foam

### **Balloon Powered Pirate Ship**

#### **Materials:**

A Floating Container (styrofoam bowl or plastic butter tub)

Drinking Straw with Bendy Tip

Rubber band

Balloon

Craft Foam (optional)

Clay (optional)

Rubber Duck (optional)

Older Projects

### **Pirate Map**

#### **Materials:**

Brown Paper Bag

Markers

Vegetable Oil

Paper Towels

### **Nautical Candles**

#### **Materials:**

Glass Jar (sauce or salsa or baby food)

Plastic Netting (from fruit and vegetables)

Rubber Bands

Pebbles or Stones

Votive Candle

### **Seashell Embossing**

#### **Materials:**

Seashells

Aluminum Foil

Embossing tools (any kind of stick with smooth edges: spoon handles, craft sticks, etc.)

Picture Frame

Acrylic paint and paintbrush