

check list

1. two 1L milk cartons, with screw caps (cleaned)
2. scissors
3. masking tape
4. 2 empty toothpaste tubes
5. thin boxboard or cereal box
6. hole punch
7. pushpin
8. 2 brass fasteners
9. tissue paper
10. small empty plastic bottle
11. clear tape
12. paint (any colour)

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Find a tall, skinny milk carton. Make sure the carton has a screw cap.

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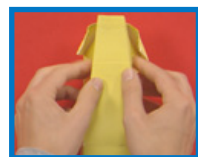


Cut along two edges of the milk carton about halfway down to create a flap. Make sure you cut the side of the carton that does not have the screw cap.

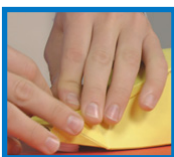
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Fold the flap away from the top of the carton. Fold back a long triangle on both sides of the flap.



Fold the flap toward the top of the milk carton and tape it into place with masking tape.



You end up with this shape. This will be your whale's body.

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Your whale needs eyes! Cut off the tops of two empty toothpaste tubes, then cut four tabs in each. Fold out the tabs.

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Now for the blowhole! Cut the screw cap off the second milk carton, leaving a little bit of carton around the cap. Tape the cap to the top of the whale's head, then cover the entire whale in masking tape.

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Tape the toothpaste tabs to the sides of the whale's body.

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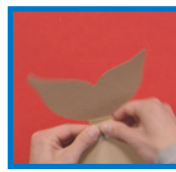


Cut two matching whale tails out of brown boxboard or a cereal box. Leave a tab at the bottom of each tail.

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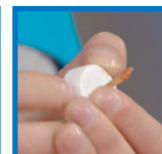
Fold the tail tabs, putting one tab on top of the other. Tape the tabs together, then punch a hole in the middle of the tape with a hole punch.



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Take a screw cap from one of the milk cartons. Use a pushpin to poke a few holes in the centre of the cap. Your goal here is to make one large hole, so you can push a brass fastener through it.



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Stick the brass fastener through the hole in the whale's tail.

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Tape the tops of the two tails together. Stuff the tail with tissue paper; tape the open ends together, then cover the whole tail with masking tape.

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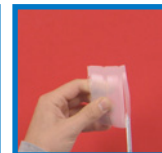


Screw the tail's cap onto the back end of the whale.

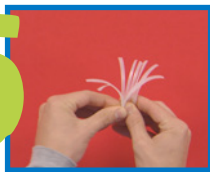
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Whales like to shoot water! Take an empty plastic bottle and cut out the middle section. Cut a slit down the side to make the middle section into a strip instead of a ring. Cut thin strips down the section, leaving a little bit of room at the end.



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Roll the ends together so the strips look like a fountain of water. Tape the ends together with clear tape.

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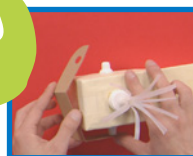
Put a brass fastener through a second screw cap (see Step 10), and wrap the fastener with masking tape.

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Cut a piece of boxboard or cereal box in the shape of a mouth. Use a hole punch to make holes at each end.

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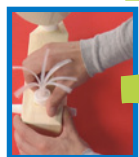


Unscrew the whale's eyes (the toothpaste caps) and put the holes in the whale's mouth over each eye. Screw the caps back on.

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Here is an example of what your whale should look like. Paint it any colour you want and draw on a smile!



Slide the spout of water onto the brass fastener; then screw the cap onto the whale's head.

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Splish splash! You've just made a fantastic whale – the Artzooka way!

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