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Your Very Own Pet Rock!

You will need:

- Medium-sized rocks (one per child)
- Paint
- Small paintbrushes
- Googly eyes
- White glue
- Glue spreaders
- Marker pens (optional)
- Decorative items, such as wool, pom-poms, pipe cleaners (optional)

Instructions

1. Choose a rock and think about what sort of an animal it's going to be. You might want to plan your pet on paper before you start decorating your rock.

2. Paint your rock all over. You could choose one colour or add lots of different colours!

3. Once the paint is dry, put a small amount of glue on the back of two googly eyes. Stick the eyes on your rock and hold them for a few seconds. Wait for the glue to completely dry before completing the next step.

4. Now, it's time to get creative and start adding your details! Use a small paintbrush (or marker pens) to add more details, such as a mouth, teeth or nose. Marker pens are great for adding patterns!

5. Next, add any further decorations you want. You could add wool hair, pipe cleaner feet, wings or legs.

6. Leave the decorations to completely dry.

7. Enjoy showing off your very own pet rock!