

LITTLE MONSTERS CRAFT SERIES · AGES 6-10

Handprint Monster Card

Turn a painted handprint into a monster card for someone you love.



Step-by-step craft

20 min + drying

7 pages + printables

Hello, monster makers!

This little book shows you how to make the **Handprint Monster Card**, step by step. There are also two bonus printables: a page to design your very own monster, and an Official Monster Maker certificate to fill in when you finish.

Grown-ups: children aged 6 to 10 can do most steps on their own. Look for the **grown-up help** label on the steps that need you.

Safety first

Use child-safe scissors and washable paints. Googly eyes, buttons and small stones are choking hazards for children under 3.

Printing tips

Print on A4 or US Letter with "Fit to page" turned on. Printables are black and white to save ink.

No googly eyes?

Cut circles from white paper and draw a black dot. Put the dots in different places for a silly look.

Cover the table

Use old newspaper or a plastic cloth, and wear an old T-shirt for painting days.

The only rule

There are no wrong monsters. Extra eyes, wonky teeth and crazy colours are all welcome!

Collect the whole series

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Easy · a little messy



You need

- 1 sheet of thin white card (A4)
- Washable paint and a wide brush
- A plate for the paint
- Paper eyes or googly eyes
- Black marker and coloured pens
- Wet wipes for clean hands

Gift idea: perfect for birthdays, Mother's Day, Father's Day or a grandparent. Write the date on the back!

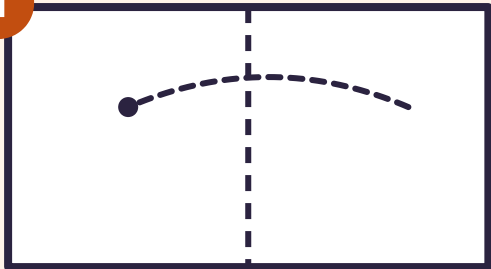
Let's make it!

- 1** **Fold the card** in half like a book.
- 2** **Paint your hand:** brush paint on your palm and fingers. Not too thick, or the print gets blurry.
- 3** **Press it down** on the front of the card with your fingers spread wide. Lift straight up. Wash your hands and let the print dry.
- 4** **Turn it into a monster:** the fingers are spiky hair and the palm is the face. Glue on eyes and draw a big toothy smile.
- 5** **Write a message** under the monster, like "You're my favourite little monster!", and sign your name inside.

Step by step

Follow the pictures in order. The full instructions are on page 3.

1



Fold the card in half.

2



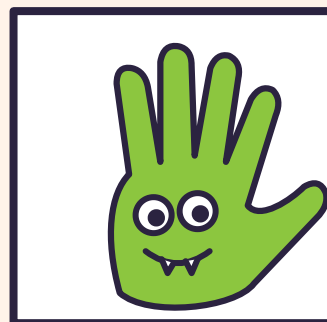
Paint your hand (not too thick!).

3



Press it on the card and lift straight up.

4



Turn it into a monster: eyes and a toothy smile.

5



Write a message and sign inside.

Ta-da!



All done! Give your monster a name on the next page.

Design your own monster



Draw your monster here

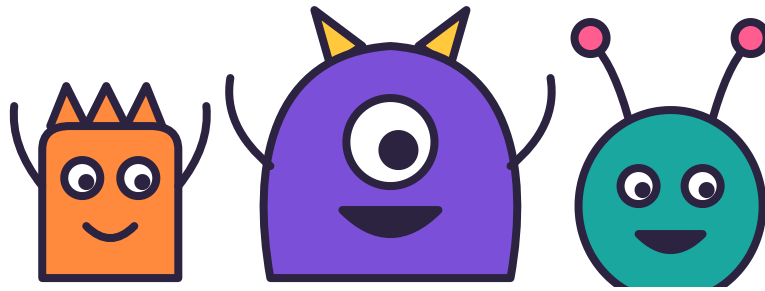
My monster's name

Favourite food

It lives in

Secret power

My monster is: ☐ friendly ☐ silly ☐ sleepy ☐ a tiny bit scary



CERTIFICATE

Official Monster Maker

This certificate is proudly awarded to

for making amazing, silly and very creative monsters!

Date

Signed

Thank you for respecting this work

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