



AGE RANGE: 5-11 years

The word 'cornucopia' means 'horn of plenty'. Discuss why a cornucopia is often made at harvest time. With the children make a list of fruits and vegetables that could be put in their harvest cornucopias.

MATERIALS

- photocopiable pages 13 and 14
- 23 x 30.5 cm white card to create the cornucopia pull-out
- 23 x 30.5 cm black card for the background
- 15 x 30.5 cm brown card for the basket
- 24 x 32 cm yellow card for the frame
- craft knife
- scissors
- glue
- double-sided sticky tape
- crayons, felt-tip pens or coloured pencils

The Harvest cornucopia

STEPS TO FOLLOW

1. Cut out the pattern for the mouth of the basket and colour it in.
2. Glue the pattern to the black card.
3. Cut the slit as marked using a craft knife. Cut through both the pattern and the black card.
4. Draw a pencil line on the black card to outline the basket shape. Build the basket by tearing off bits of brown card and glueing them around the mouth of the basket. Begin glueing at the top of the basket and overlap the pieces as you work down.
5. Cut out the template and slip the white card strip into the slit in the mouth of the basket. On the strip, draw or create with cut paper all the fruits and vegetables we enjoy in the autumn. Slip the strip back into the cornucopia. Then pull the strip out again to show the abundance of the harvest.
6. Use a strip of double-sided sticky tape along the top of the black card to attach it to the yellow paper frame.

National Curriculum: Art & design

KS1: 2a, 2b, 2c, 4a, 4b, 5b, 5c

KS2: 2a, 2b, 2c, 4a, 4b, 5b, 5c

QCA Schemes: Art & design

Unit 1B – Investigating materials

Unit 2B – Mother Nature, designer

Scottish 5-14 Guidelines: Art & design

Using materials, techniques, skills and media:

Investigating visually and recording; Using

media; Using visual elements

Expressing feelings, ideas, thoughts

and solutions; Creating and designing;

Communicating