

Art in Swampscott

(@home edition) #7

May 4- May 8

Puppet Making Week

This week we are all going to try our hands at being puppeteers.
We will try out making different kinds of puppets, create a puppet show, even make a puppet
show theater or background if you'd like!

Let's begin!

✧✧✧ [CLICK HERE FOR LESSON INTRO with Mrs. DiLisio](#) ✧✧✧

✧✧✧ [The Pencil read aloud & puppet show by Brixton and
Ms. Eisenberg](#) ✧✧✧



1. [Watch Bruce Orr's One Sheet Wonder how-to video](#) to start making your own at home puppets from one sheet of paper. Bruce is a wonderful artist and teacher from RAW Arts in Lynn, MA. He has visited Hadley School many times! More ideas for puppet how-tos below or use your own creativity for step #3.

2. **Brainstorm** a story you want to make up (maybe one you wrote!) or **a book you love** to expand on and make a puppet show based on it.

3. Start **creating** your puppets - gather your supplies and get going! Use ideas from Bruce Orr's video or your own ideas to create your puppets. You could use items like craft sticks, straws and other recycled/household materials to make more characters.

Need a couple more puppet making ideas?... these two puppets are also a lot of fun!

[How to Make a Dragon Hand Puppet](#)

[How to make a Bunny Puppet](#)

4. **Make** a puppet theater for your show. It doesn't have to be fancy or complicated.

5. **Put on your puppet show**. Gather your family and put on your show. If someone can record it, send it to your art teacher! Take pictures and send those too! We can't wait to see!

Optional Technology Extension:

[Puppet Pals](#) is a free app that you can download on your device to create puppet shows. Make sure you have parental permission to download new apps. Try creating a show! If you would like to create a more advanced video, [click here for a tutorial](#).

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More Mudeye Puppets and Bruce Orr

Mudeye Puppet Company Puppet Making Tutorial
<https://safeYouTube.net/w/eUG5>

Bruce Orr PUPPET SHOW
<https://safeYouTube.net/w/bcH5>