



ARTS PLUS

PAL at Home

Preschool Art Lab activities for families to make together

“Who Lives in my House?”

This activity is appropriate for ages 3 and up

Time from start to finish = 15 – 30 minutes

You will need the following materials:

- Construction paper
- Glue
- Scissors
- Pencil
- Markers/crayons



Brief project description:

Create a home collage using construction paper and drawing materials.

Steps

- **#1:** Draw a basic house shape on a colorful piece of construction paper. Draw it large enough that it takes up most of the entire sheet of paper. Cut out your house shape with scissors.
- **#2:** Cut out various square shapes using different colors of construction paper. These will be windows for the house.
- **#3:** Ask your child who lives in your home? The answer may also include pets, plants, toys, stuffed animals, or imaginary friends!
- **#4:** Have your child glue in a window for each person/character that lives in your home. Once the window is attached, use your markers or crayons to draw each occupant inside their own window.
- **#5:** Continue the project by decorating the house. Add planter boxes to the windows, shingles to the roof, brick to the foundation, etc.



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