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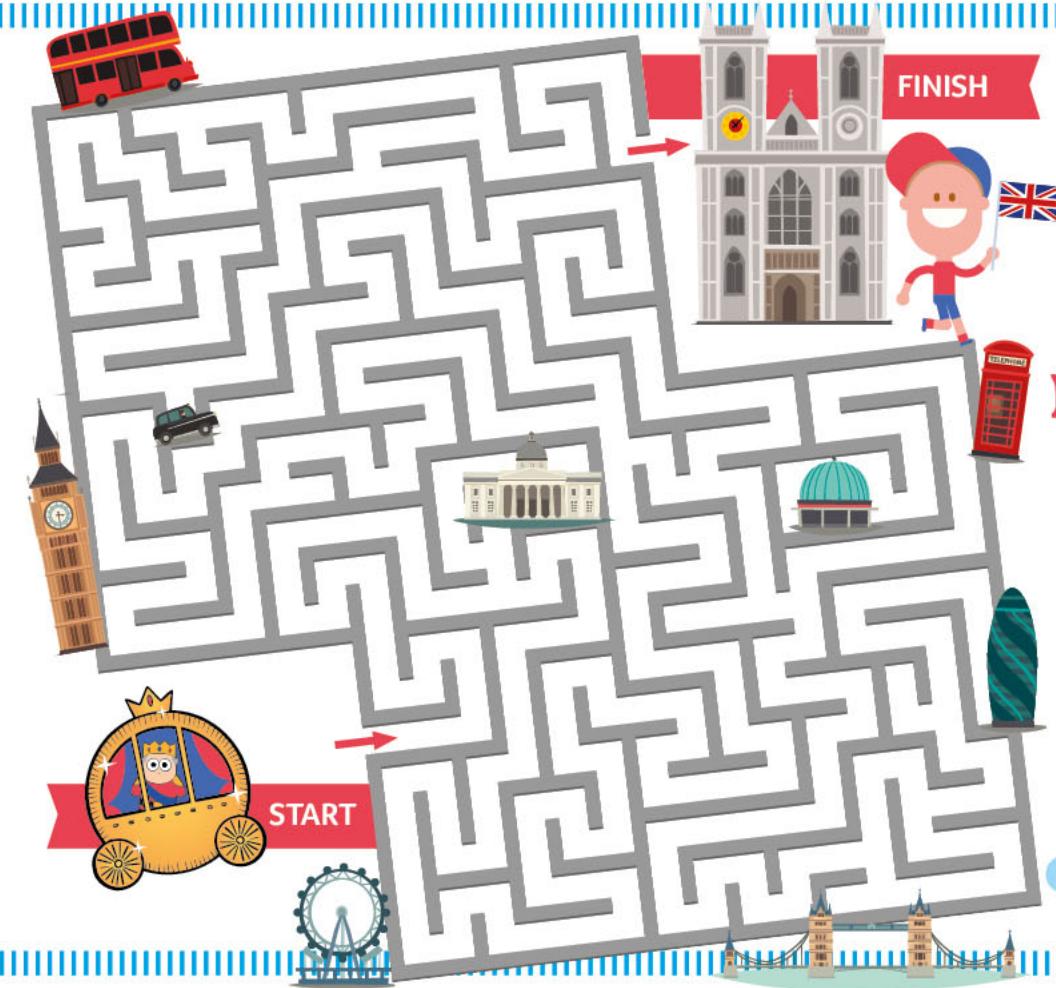
KING
CHARLES III

Coronation

FUN THINGS TO MAKE & DO



**PARTY
IDEAS**



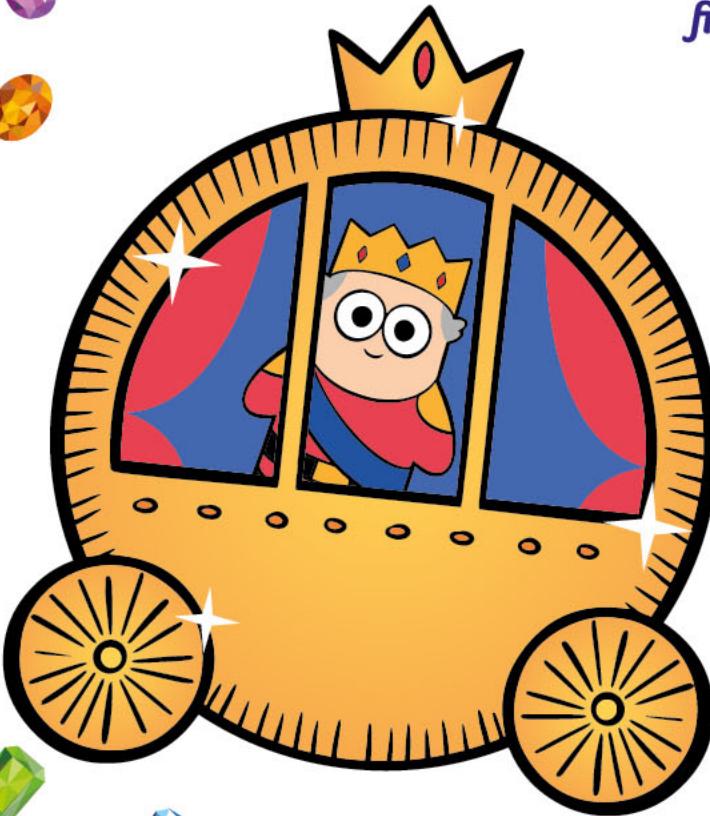
Royal Procession Maze

Help the Royal Carriage find it's way to Westminster through the streets of London.

Let's make a

Golden Carriage

fit for a King!



YOU WILL NEED:

- A paper plate
- White paper or card
- Gold, yellow or orange paint
- Red felt or velvet fabric
- Felt tips or crayons
- Sticky tape or glue
- Scissors

- 1 Take your paper plate and paint it all gold, yellow or orange.
- 2 On the white paper draw a crown for the top of the carriage, two wheels, and the three windows.
- 3 Colour in your Crown, wheels and windows. Cut out the red fabric to make the royal curtains and stick to your windows.
- 4 When all the paint is dry, cut out the crown, windows and wheels and use sticky tape or glue to stick them to the plate.

Why not cut out the centre window, and pop the finger puppet King behind!



Coronation Wordsearch

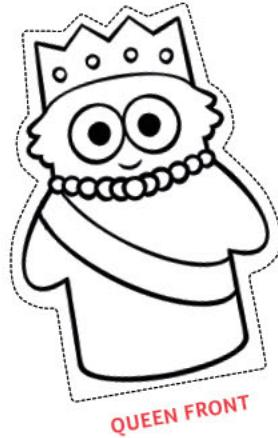


Can you find these words:

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| <input type="radio"/> CROWN | <input type="radio"/> THRONE |
| <input type="radio"/> CARRIAGE | <input type="radio"/> LONDON |
| <input type="radio"/> QUEEN | <input type="radio"/> CEREMONY |
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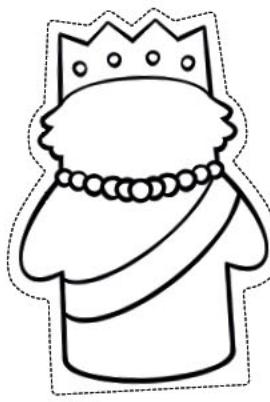
You'll find Beefeaters at the Tower of London working as cheerful tour guides. But did you know, they used to guard prisoners and keep the Crown Jewels safe in Tudor times.



QUEEN FRONT



KING FRONT



QUEEN BACK



KING BACK

KING & QUEEN

Finger Puppets

To make these Royal Finger Puppets, colour them in with paint, crayons or felt tips. You can even stick on wool for the hair or foil for the crowns! Then cut them out carefully and stick the edges together with a little glue - but not the bottom so you can pop your finger inside!

Upload a photo of your work to Facebook, Instagram or Twitter with **#TrutexCoronation** and we will select a winner on the 1st October 2023. We can't wait to see your puppets! Good luck!

WIN £50
worth of
school uniform

Closing date 30.9.2023



The King's Guard

Did you know?

1 Scary big hats

In the 18th century, gunners in both the British and French armies wore huge furry hats called bearskin caps to make them look taller to frighten the enemy.

2 That's so heavy!

Today the King's Royal Guards wear bearskin caps when on duty. They are 46cm high and weigh a very heavy 700g - imagine carrying a huge weight on your head all day!

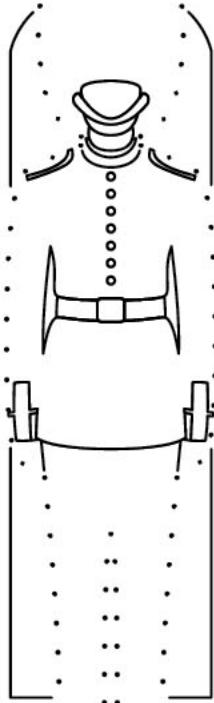


Go dot to dot!

Draw and colour in your own King's Royal Guard.

3 They never crack a smile

Try as they might, tourists in London do their best to make a guard smile for a photo - but it will never work! The guards take their work very seriously.



Let's have a Coronation Party!



Royal Celebration Cakes



YOU WILL NEED:

BUN MIXTURE

- 100g Self raising flour
- 100g Margarine
- 100g Caster sugar
- 1 large egg or 2 small eggs
- Few drops of vanilla essence
- Half teaspoon baking soda

THE TOPPING

- 225g Icing sugar
- 75g Unsalted butter (let it get to room temperature so it's easy to mix)
- 2 tbsp Golden syrup
- A punnet of fresh blueberries
- Strawberry ice cream sauce or strawberry shoelace sweets

PLUS YOU'LL NEED:

- Mixing bowl and a sieve
- Wooden spoon
- 12 bun cases
- 12 deep bun baking tin
- Oven preheated to 180°
- And a helpful grown up!

- 1 Sieve the flour into the mixing bowl, then add the caster sugar, margarine, eggs, vanilla essence and baking soda.
- 2 **Mix them all up carefully at first**, then beat the mixture until it becomes really smooth! This gets lots of air into it, so the cakes will rise and be super soft & fluffy inside.
- 3 Put your bun cases into the bun tin. Spoon equal amounts of the mixture into the cases. Ask your helpful adult to put them in the oven for about 20 minutes, or when they have risen and are golden in colour.
- 4 While the cakes are baking, you can get busy making the topping. Sieve the icing sugar into a clean bowl, then add the syrup & butter. Mix it all together until it's thick and creamy.
- 5 Ask your helpful adult to take the ready cakes out of the oven and place them on a wire rack to cool.
- 6 **When they are nice & cool, you can do the best bit... decorate them!** Smooth on the butter icing, covering the top of the buns, spreading it with the back of a spoon. Add the strawberry ice cream sauce or strawberry shoelaces in a cross over your buns. Then fill in the rest with blueberries!



Draw 12 mini flags about 35mm wide by 16mm deep and colour in with felt tip pens. Cut them out and wrap the left hand edges of your flags tightly around cocktail sticks and stick with tape around the back.

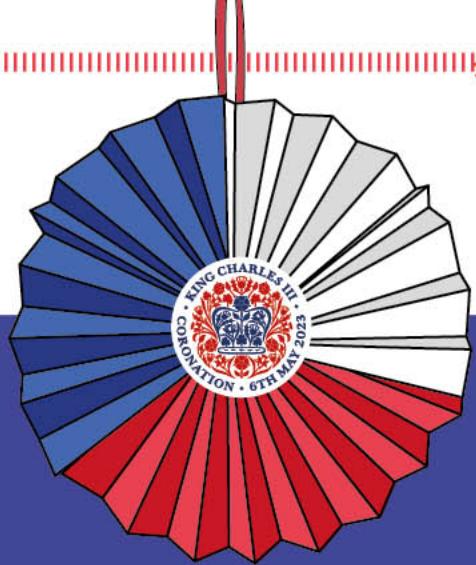




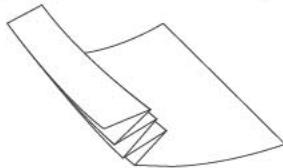
King Charles III Decoration

YOU WILL NEED:

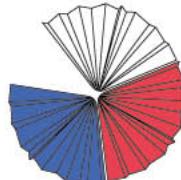
- Three A4 sheets of paper in Red, White and Blue colours
- Scissors
- Ruler, pencil & sticky tape
- Red or blue ribbon about 24cm long
- A helpful grown up



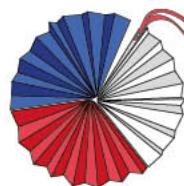
With your ruler and pencil, take each piece of paper and draw a vertical line going down 3cm in from the left edge of the paper.



Use your line as a guide to concertina fold all your paper sheets.

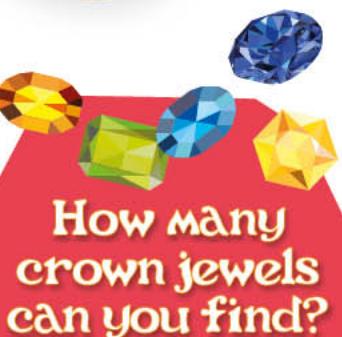
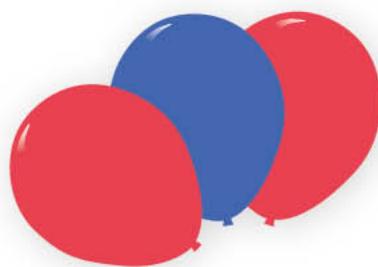


Then fold each one in half & stick the edges to each other to form a circle like this.



Then fold your ribbon in half to make a loop and stick the two ends to your decoration.

Make it look 'official' by cutting out the King Charles III Emblem above and stick it to the centre of your decoration.



Have you noticed? There's a lot of lost crown jewels scattered around this activity pack?

How many can you find?

See if you are right - the answer on the last page!

Coronation BINGO!

Watch the Coronation on TV and cross off when you hear a word below!

Play it with your family and friends. First one to get all the words wins!



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| The King | Order of Service | Tradition | Windsor Castle |
| St Edward's Crown | The Queen Consort | Choir | Buckingham Palace |
| Carriage | Monarchy | Orchestra | Tower of London |
| Coronation | Accession | Archbishop of Canterbury | Sovereign's Orb |
| Celebration | Congregation | Procession | Ampulla and spoon |
| Ceremony | Crowds | Royal Family | London |
| Westminster Abbey | Fanfare | Imperial State Crown | Royal Guards |



Celebration Party PLACE CARDS

While you're planning the perfect party - make place cards to show your party guests where to sit at the table!

YOU WILL NEED:

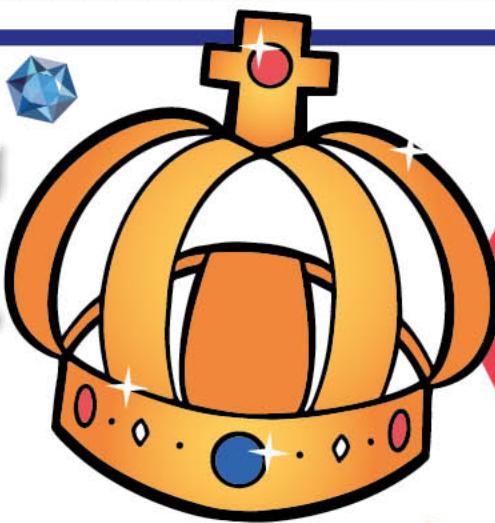
- A few sheets of A4 coloured card
- Sheet of white paper
- Pencil, felt tips or crayons
- Scissors and sticky tape or glue

- 1 Take a sheet of coloured card and fold it in half, then fold it again in half.
- 2 Using your folds as guides cut the card into 4 quarters. Then fold each one in half so it stands up like a tent.
- 3 With a pencil, draw a crown shape on the back at the top of the card, upside down!
- 4 Then ask a helpful adult to cut out the crown so it sticks up over the front of the card.
- 5 Cut small strips of white paper and stick to the front of the cards and write your guests names on them. Then have fun decorating your cards!



Crowning glory PARTY HAT

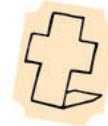
Why not be the King or Queen of your Coronation Party by wearing a splendid paper crown? Here's how to make it...



YOU WILL NEED:

- Big sheets of paper or card
- Felt tips or crayons
- Scissors and sticky tape or glue

Decorate your crown with glitter, gold paint, stick on jewels from a craft shop or even aluminium foil - get creative!



Did you know?

On Coronation Day, 6th May 2023, King Charles III will be crowned with the St Edward's Crown - originally made in 1661 to crown King Charles II. It's a very heavy crown, weighing over 2kg and is decorated with many semi-precious gems.

- 1 Take one sheet of paper and cut a 3cm wide strip down the longest side of the paper.
- 2 Take the strip and wrap it around the top of your head and fasten it together with sticky tape to make the bottom of your crown.
- 3 Then cut two more strips, about 20cm long, and stick them to the inside of your crown crossing over the top of your head.

- 4 Cut six more strips and this time stick them equally spaced coming out from the inside of the crown.
- 5 Take each of these sticking out strips and gently bend the ends down to meet the centre point and stick each one down in turn.
- 6 Then create the crowning glory cross at the top. Make the bottom of it a little longer so you can fold it to create a tab to stick it to the top of the crown.

There are 62 Crown jewels - did you find them all?