



Difficulty level ★ easy ★★ moderate ★★★ challenging

Resene kids art with Mark Rayner – 48



You will need:

- Artists' paintbrushes
- Blue sequins
- Cardboard
- Pencil
- PVA glue
- Resene Quick Dry waterborne primer undercoat
- Resene Testpots in the following colours: Resene Bright Red and Resene Tuft Bush
- Scissors
- Yellow wool



Step one

Draw the puppet's body, arms and hands on a piece of cardboard and carefully cut it out with scissors (you might need to have a grown-up help with this bit).



Step two

Paint the spoon and cardboard body with one coat of Resene Quick Dry waterborne primer undercoat and allow to dry for one hour.



Step three

Paint the spoon and hands with two coats of Resene Tuft Bush and allow two hours for each coat to dry.



Step four

Paint the dress with two coats of Resene Bright Red and allow two hours for each coat to dry.



Step five

Cut some lengths of yellow wool with the scissors (again, you might need to have a grown-up help with this bit), and fix to the head of the spoon with PVA glue.



Step six

Glue two blue sequins in place to make the eyes, and paint in a smiley mouth with Resene Bright Red, and leave for two hours to dry.

It's easy to make this kooky puppet from a wooden spoon and a few Resene Testpots.



Top tip:

Keep your puppet flat while the PVA glue is drying – otherwise her eyes and hair may slip off!



Here's another idea:

These two puppets were made using testpots of Resene Curious Blue, Resene Wham, Resene West Side and Resene Havoc. They were then decorated with coloured feathers and paua shell.

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