

Potato print hearts and flowers



You'll need

Large potato, craft knife, pencil, flat bowls, paints, fabric paints if printing onto material, paper towels, white items to print onto.



Instructions

- 1 Cut a potato in half (*get an adult to do all the cutting*).
- 2 Use a pencil to lightly draw a heart or flower on the potato's surface. Cut away the parts of the potato around the design and blot it on a paper towel.
- 3 Pour a thin layer of paint into a flat bowl and press the potato into the paint. Practice printing a few patterns on scrap paper first.
- 4 Next, stamp a pattern on the front of your chosen item, it could be a card or a picture. Use fabric paints to print onto a T-shirt, sweatshirt, an apron, napkins, tablecloth or a tea towel, anything you like!
- 5 Have fun creating your own patterns. Try cutting different shapes in the potato too!



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