

Juno Jones

WORD NINJA SQUAD

ACTIVITY PACK NUMBER THREE



HOW TO:

MAKE A PILLOW FORT

The BEST place to have fun, read books (*like Juno Jones, Mystery Writer... just a suggestion!*) or discover nefarious plots to destroy the world is... PILLOW FORTS!!



1. Make sure your parents are ok with you making the coolest pillow fort ever.

2. Choose your location! Make sure it isn't in the way of doors and you have enough space.

3. Get your materials! You will need:

- Chairs
- Pillows
- Couch
- Blankets/ bed sheets
- Decorations (lamps, fairy lights, books or anything else you want!)

Soooo here's how you build one using a couch!

1. Pick up the couch pillows and place them up vertically on both sides.
2. Place two chairs about one step away from the couch on each side. Make sure the chairs are facing each other!
3. Get a BIG blanket (you might need more than one!) and cover the area of the couch to the chairs. If your blankets are slipping, use pegs to hold them to the couch and chairs.
4. GET COMFY!! Fill your fort with pillows, snacks, books and any decoration you want! You could give your fort a name and a sign.

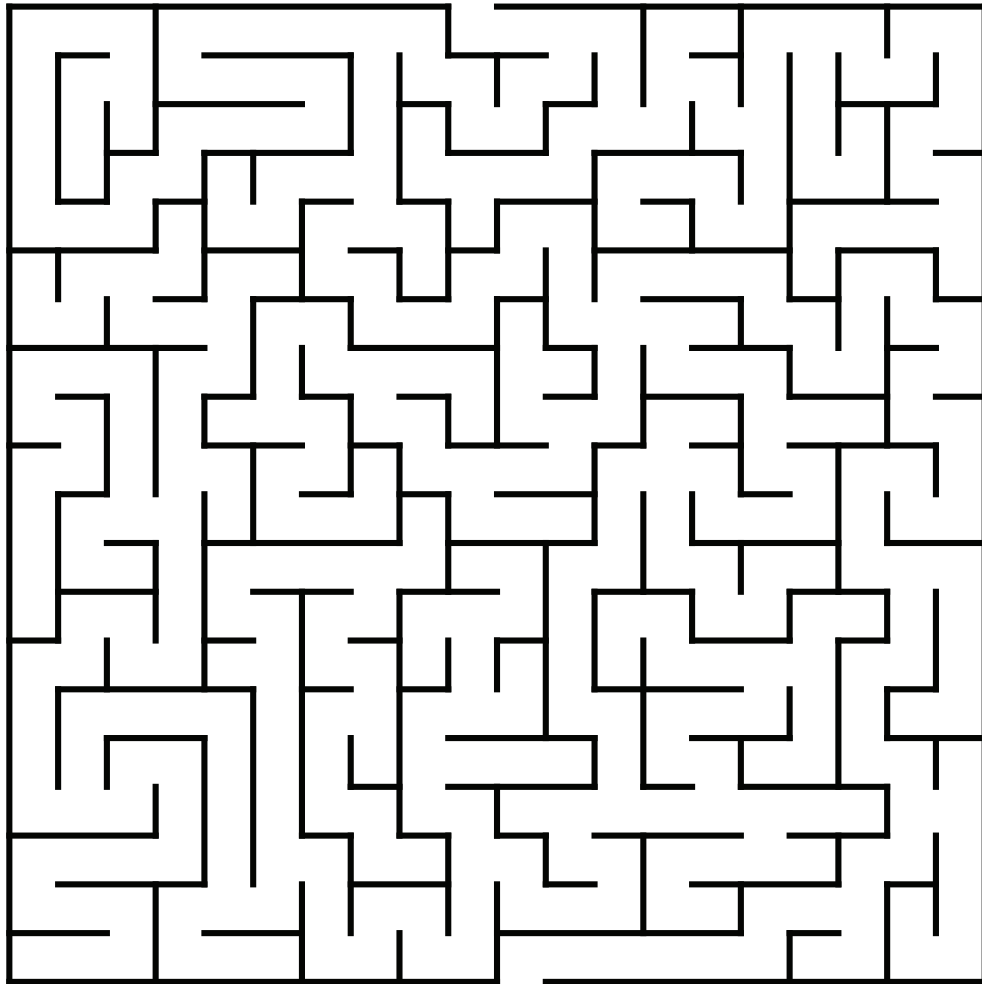
Now, here's how to make one with just chairs!

1. Grab two chairs! Place there is a meter or so distance between them. Make sure they are facing each other!
2. Place the blanket over the chairs. Remember to use the pegs if you need to hold them down!
3. If you want, you can use pillows to line a side of the fort to make it wider!
4. Otherwise, it's time to DECORATE!

EVERYTHING is so much cooler in a pillow fort! Listening to music, doing homework, watching shows or fighting off pirates to protect the precious treasure (snacks). If you have your parents' permission, take a photo and send it to me via the Yellow Brick Books Facebook Page!!!

In case you forgot, nefarious means wicked or evil.

I know it sounds impossible, but we lost Vi AGAIN! This maze isn't as abhorrent as last time, so I know we can find her, but I still need your help!



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CREATE YOUR OWN LIVING ROOM PLAY

WITH JUNO
& PALOMA

While I am growing to love writing and reading books, it's always important to learn new skills. After seeing Paloma in that play (if you don't know what I am talking about, stop what you are doing and go read *Juno Jones, Mystery Writer!!* You won't regret it), I have become interested in plays. So why don't you make your own with me!

Who are the main characters? What do they look like? What are their personalities?

What is the main goal for the characters? What do they want?

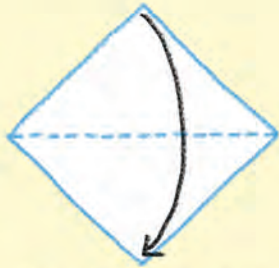
What is the conflict? What is going on in the scene that the main characters are struggling with?

Write your scene!! Try acting it out yourself as well!



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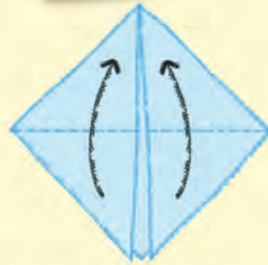
SAMURAI HAT



1. Fold the paper in half along the dotted line



2. Fold the corners in so that they meet in the centre



3. Fold up along the dotted line



4. Fold along the dotted line



5. Fold up along the dotted line



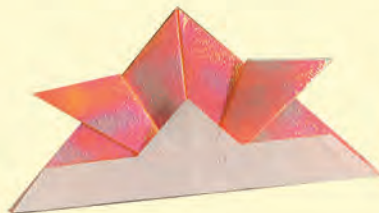
6. Fold up along the dotted line



7. Fold the bottom corner into the hat



FINISHED!



DID YOU KNOW?
Sometimes,
people who were
samurais in the
day were ninjas
at night!

Here's this week's top secret message! Are you getting faster at reading our new alphabet?

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

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I'm trying to teach Bluey and Vi this alphabet right now, but it's super hard! Can you and your friends use this secret alphabet like we can?

HOW TO:

MAKE YOUR OWN UNICORN HORN

You will need:

- 4 x newspaper sheets
- Craft glue or stick glue
- Scissors
- Sticky tape
- Pencil or pen
- Cardboard (*If you don't have A4 sheets of cardboard, you could use an empty box of tissues or any piece of cardboard in your recycling bin!*)
- Any decorations you like!!

1. Grab your 4 sheets of newspaper and stack them on top of one another.
2. With the newspaper sheets open, get one corner and fold it to the middle line.
3. Sticky tape along the line to secure the fold in place.
4. Then start rolling! Hold a finger at the middle where the pointy part of the fold is and keep rolling the paper until it looks like a cone!
5. Sticky tape along the loose end of the newspaper to finish the cone!
6. Cut the cone down to the shortest line to make the bottom even.
7. Now, grab your piece of cardboard and place your cone on top! Using a pencil or pen, mark the size of the cone's circle... This will make our base!
8. Then cut out the circle you have drawn!
9. Place the cone on its side and put the cardboard at the base of the cone. Use sticky tape to secure the cardboard on to your cone!
10. And... IT'S TIME TO DECORATE!!! Paint, cover in colourful paper, use sequins, or cut shapes and glue it on to make your PERFECT UNICORN HORN!
11. Admire your awesome creation!! If you really like your unicorn horn and want to show me, send it to the Yellow Brick Books Facebook Page!

This is MY super cool unicorn horn. It's cooler than a real unicorn! Well, not really. Real unicorns are maybe ten times cooler than this. Or even one hundred times!



As you all know, I have not only one, but TWO whole books written completely by me. And that means that it's time to find words that have been said maybe-600-times again! But this time, with *Juno Jones, Mystery Writer (Juno Jones #2)*!

This time I've done Chapter 1 to 5, so it's your job to count for Chapter 6, 7 and 8!

I decided to use the Japanese tally system that we learnt last week, but it's up to you what you want to tally with!

WORD	TALLY
COMPLETELY	正正正正正正
JUNO	正正正
NINJA	正正正正丁
DOUGHNUT	
PERFECT	正正正
SCHOOL	正正正一
WORD	正正一
BLUEY	正正正正正
SHY VI	正正正丁
* IMPORTANT NOTE: Plurals and adverbs of words count too!	

What word did you find the most by yourself? _____

Some of the words in this tally are the same as last time. If you go back to that worksheet, you can find out the word that appeared the most of all time! What is it? _____

HOW TO:

MAKE MONSTER

PLAY DOUGH



Want monsters that smell amazing? Just add scents in step 2!

You will need:

1 cup of flour
1/4 cup of salt
3/4 cup of water
3 tablespoons of lemon juice
1 tablespoon of vegetable oil
Food coloring
Wooden spoon
Mixing bowl
Non-stick pot (and parent supervision, too!)

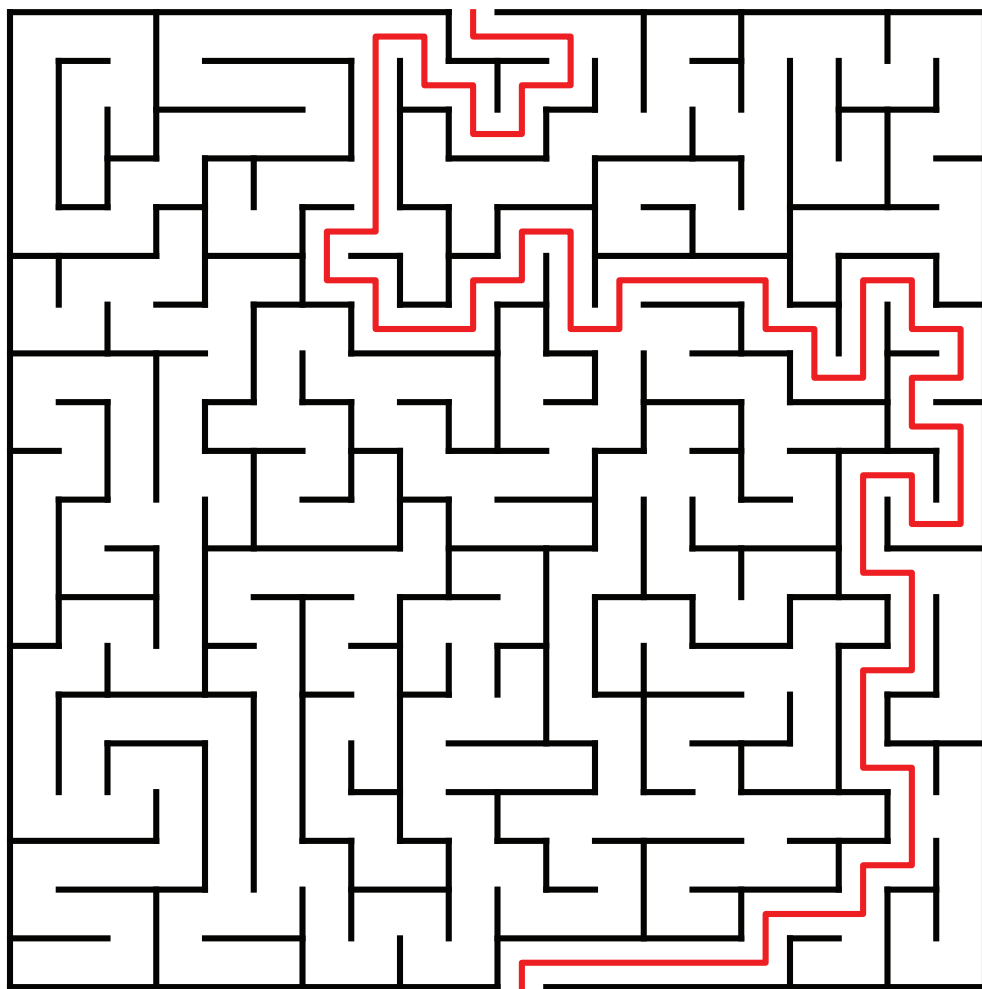
1. Put the water, oil and lemon juice in your pot and heat on medium heat on the stove
2. Add food coloring to the mixture
3. Combine the flour and salt in a mixing bowl
4. After the water is hot (but not boiling!), slowly add what's in the mixing bowl into the pot while mixing
5. Continuously stir until the ingredients combine, dry out and begin to form a ball. Flip back and forth frequently until there are no sticky bits
6. Place on a sheet of baking paper to cool
7. Knead the dough for a few minutes so that it comes together
8. Start making monsters with your play dough!

I use my play dough to make monsters so that I can practice my fighting skills! They're a bit small, but it still helps me to improve!

Sometimes, I get old tissue boxes and toilet paper rolls to make a big cardboard city, and try to stop the play dough monsters from destroying the city! It's hard work, but super necessary to become a strong ninja.

ANSWERS

MAZE



DECODE-THE-MESSAGE

I REALLY WANT DOUGHNUTS.
SO SO MUCH!

FREQUENCY WORD HUNT

WORD	ANSWER
COMPLETELY	18 (FOUND MOST OVERALL)
JUNO	7
NINJA	9
DOUGHNUT	7
PERFECT	6
SCHOOL	10
WORD	9
BLUEY	27 (FOUND MOST BY YOURSELF)
SHY VI	4

Did you get everything right? See you next week for lots more fun!