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Episode 2: I'm Bored "Leaf & Twig Crown"

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Using cardboard boxes from crackers, cereal or drinks, create a crown and introduce your alter ego!

Step 1: Gather Supplies



- thin cardboard from cereal, cracker, or drink boxes
- scissors
- tape
- marker
- other paper (white, colored, printed, origami, foil)

Step 2: Create Headband



Cut 1-2 strips of cardboard, about 2-3 inches high.

Wrap the cardboard around your head. Does it reach? If yes, mark it with a pen and unfold it.



It doesn't reach? Tape on an additional strip of cardboard and measure again. Mark where it meets and cut off any extra.

Step 3: Cut Out Decorations



Cut out leaves and twigs from cardboard and paper – use whatever colors you like, or you can glue on or color in extra decorations.

To make several leaves at once, fold thin paper in half, then in half again before cutting the shape

To make leaves, fringe, or feathers, snip the edges with scissors and pull out a few snips here and there

Step 4: Tape Onto Crown

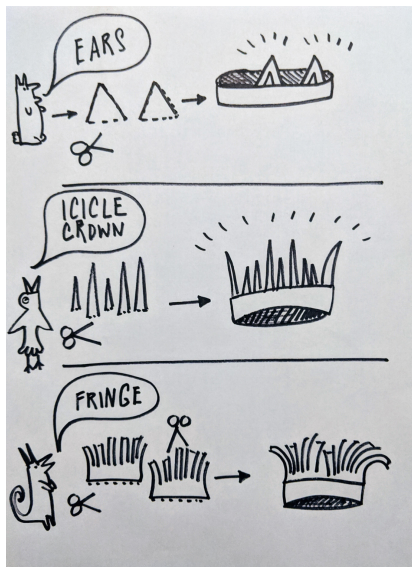


Unroll your crown headband with the printed side facing up.

Using tape, attach the leaves and twigs you cut out all along the headband. Make sure the part you want to see is facing down.

When you're done taping, bring the two ends of your headband together in a round shape and tape it shut.

Alter Egos



You can make many different creatures and characters using just cardboard and paper.

Make one for your sibling, or a parent.

Become a sneaky cat, the ruler of an ice kingdom, or a joker who only speaks in rhyme.

Who are you?

Put your crown on:

Who are you now?

What is your super power?

What does your voice sound like?

How do you walk across a room?

What is your favorite kind of food?

Where do you live?