



PAMA @ Home Virtual Family Fun Activity Cup Phones

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Cup Phones

On National Telephone Day, in addition to giving a call to someone special, get creative and make a cup phone to talk to someone while social distancing in the house.



Materials:

- 2 plastic cups/ paper cups/ cans
- Markers
- Paper
- Glue
- String/Yarn
- Something sharp (scissors/nail/knife)
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Step 1:

Use markers to decorate your cups. If you are using a can, measure a piece of paper to wrap the can, decorate the paper then glue it on.



Step 2:

With the help of an adult, use a sharp object to poke a hole in the middle of the bottom of your cup. If using a can, a hammer and nail are most effective.



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Step 3:

Cut a very long piece of yarn/string – it should be long enough so that if you and a friend were holding each end, they wouldn't be able to hear you speak very easily.



Step 4:

Feed the end of the string through each cup and tie a knot at the end to keep the string from falling through the hole.



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Step 5:

Have one person take one cup and someone else take the other separate as much as you can and be sure to keep the string taught. Speak into the cup and see if you can hear one another.



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