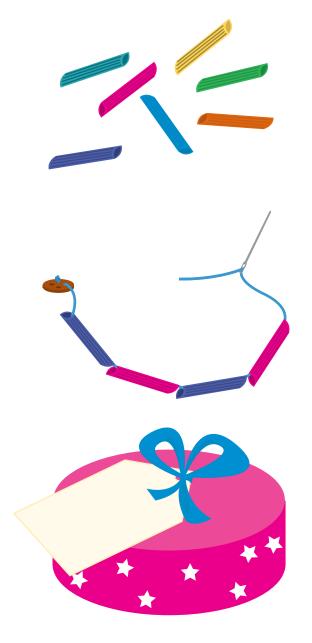
Make your someone special a bracelet and necklace out of penne pasta. It is easy to make and will brighten up their day.

You will need:

Some dried penne pasta quills, paint, paint brushes, a jar of water, clear varnish, thin string or strong thread or wool and a needle with a large eye and a fairly blunt point (Ask an adult for help with this).

- 1. Start off by painting the penne pasta in lots of different bright colours.
- 2. Leave the pasta to dry. When it is dry, varnish the pasta to protect the colour and make it shiny. Clear nail varnish is quick and easy to use.
- 3. Ask an adult to thread your needle with some thin string or strong cotton or wool. To stop the pasta from falling off as you thread, tie a button or big knot at the end.
- 4.Choose the colours of pasta you would like to use, you could even make a pattern.
- 5. When the bracelet or necklace is the right length, tie the two ends together making sure they are in a strong knot.

Your pasta jewellery is now ready to give to someone special. Putting them in a nice box will make the perfect gift.



Note: These are activities for you and your child to enjoy together. The safety of your child is obviously very important. Please use caution when using scissors and other materials in your child's presence.