

CRAFTY CHALLENGE: Mask Making



Create a mask and give it a 3D appearance by using cardboard layering. Use an old Amazon box, cereal box, shoebox, or any piece of cardboard.

Societies all over the world use masks as a part of celebrations, rituals, art, and more!

Find an inspiration mask to copy. You can go to the library's KIDS page (www.ebrpl.com/kids) and click on MUSEUMS AND MORE.

Choose a museum and search for *masks* in their collection.

See a mask you like? Make a cardboard version!

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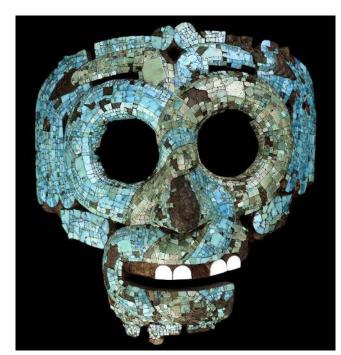
Sketch the outline of your inspiration mask onto the cardboard. Then cut out facial details using basic shapes.



Glue cardboard pieces together, building upon your layers.



Paint your mask after the glue dries.



Inspiration mask: pre-Columbian Aztec mask, made in mosaic style, covered with bits of turquoise



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Cut magazine pages (or any type of paper) into small square pieces. Glue the square pieces onto the mask to create a mosaic look.