



## Encounter Craft – 28<sup>th</sup> October This week – pasta mosaics

## Pasta is such a great resource and so versatile in art activities!

#### **Crested Cockerel**



This is a great example of how to choose pasta shapes that are the best shape for the project! For example, the arched pieces make great tail feathers, and the fan-shaped pieces are perfect for the crest on the head. Think carefully about the pieces you choose. Stick them down carefully with craft glue when you have worked out your design and are happy with it.







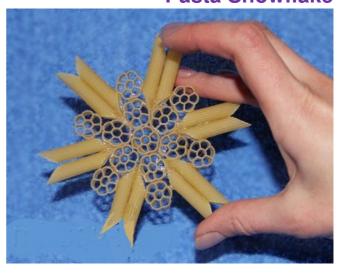
This is another example of choosing the right pasta for the job! These work together beautifully to make a delicate snowflake. You could paint it afterwards and sprinkle it with glitter – an early Christmas decoration!







### Pasta Snowflake







# **Beautiful Butterfly**



together with a good craft glue.

This is very delicate and takes a bit of concentration, but it is well worth the effort! Pasta shells form the wings and a pasta twist creates the body. Paint them using a very fine brush, putting on the base colour first and allowing to dry. This purple is particularly gorgeous and the pink and white patterns really stand out. You will need a very fine brush for this and lots of patience! It is all held

**Lasagne Layers** 

This is a great way of making pieces to mosaic with! Take sheets of dried lasagne and paint them in different colours. When they are completely dry, put them into a sandwich bag and then bash them with a rolling pin to smash them into little pieces!! Then take them out and use them to create a mosaic picture of your own



design. There is a template of a design with these sheets that you may like to use.



**HAVE FUN!!** 

