



Encounter Craft – 9th September This week – Fun With Fruity Food!

Fruit makes a great material for quirky art, and the best thing is you can eat it afterwards!

Rockin' Robins



These little cuties are strawberries dipped into melted chocolate. Keep the green tops on to make little feet and maybe use tiny marshmallows for the eyes. You could also get cake decorations to stick on for eyes from the baking aisle at the supermarket. A yellow sweet makes the beak. Chill them in the fridge until the chocolate sets. They look especially good in a little flock!











Waffley Crab

Cut a waffle into an oval shape for the body. Then carefully slice up strawberries for the pincers and legs and use two slices of banana topped with blueberries for the eyes. Remember not to waste all the bits left over – eat those too!









Fruity Fish



Strawberries, raspberries and blueberries are used to make this fabulous fish. Cut out brown bread to make the body shape, fins and tail and assemble on your plate. Half a strawberry is the right size for the head, and slices of strawberries make fabulous fish scales. Blueberries for the eye and a trail of bubbles, and raspberries along the bottom for pebbles in the fish tank, and you have a deliciously healthy snack! You could use satsuma segments for the scales

or kiwi slices – just use your imagination and experiment!







Cut one apple in half and place it cut-side down to make the head and body. Then slice another to make the wings and put in place. Tiny pieces of apple make the ears and the feet could be satsuma pieces or carrot. Sliced bananas topped with raisins are the lovely big owl eyes and you could use a savoury snack for the branch and sliced grapes for the leaves! Alternative ideas are sliced carrot for the branch and kiwi slices for the foliage. Try different things to see how they look – and taste!





HAVE FUN!!