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Make onion skin ink

1. Collect the dry skin of some onions and put them in a small glass

2. Fill up the glass with water and leave for 24 hours

3. Use the ink to paint with or dye some cotton string by soaking it. Be careful not to get the ink on your clothes!

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Make a mini parachute

1. Find an old plastic bag and cut a small section into a square

2. Tie four short lengths of string to each corner and clip the ends together

3. Hold the middle of the plastic bag, reach up high and drop your parachute!

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Grow some garlic cloves

1. Ask an adult
for some old
garlic shoots



2. Find some small
pots and fill them
with a little bit of
water



3. Cut a piece of
cardboard & make
a slit in the middle
– fit the garlic
clove so only the
bottom is touching
the water



4. Leave the pot on a
sunny window ledge
– it should start to
grow a green sprout!



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Make a geometric collage

1. Cut some
colourful
square shapes
from an old
news paper
or magazine

2. Starting with
the biggest, begin
to place them on
top of each other.
How many can
you fit?

3. When your
happy, glue down
your design!

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