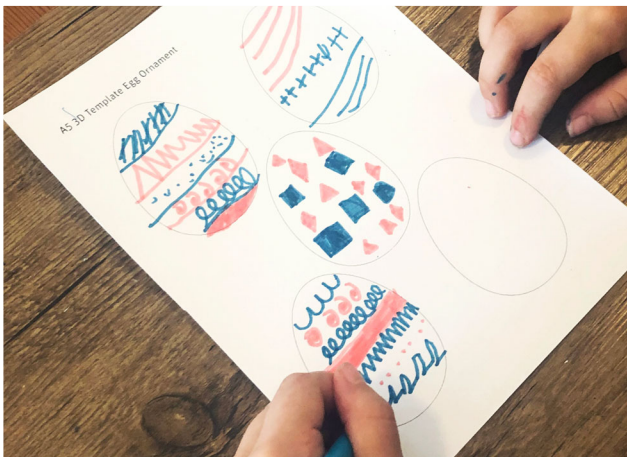


# ART ACTIVITIES

## TO STAY CREATIVE AT HOME

### Easter Egg Ornaments

With Easter just around the corner we've prepared four Easter egg ornament art activities for you and your family to enjoy. These patterned themed activities are tailored for all ages, toddlers through to adults. Choose one to suit, print the templates and pattern making kit provided, gather the materials and have fun creating at home.



Have fun and share your creations with us by tagging  
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## ACTIVITY 1 – A5 Large Easter Egg Ornament

Print the activity 1 template supplied.

Children from all ages can either colour or create repeating patterns.

For toddlers let them freely decorate the eggs using the markers first and glitter glue at the end. You might suggest to them to try simple patterns such as drawing a dot, a line or more depending on how adventurous they are. A two year old might happily put dots everywhere.



For preschoolers and above, encourage them to repeat as best they can the patterns using the coloured markers. If they feel adventurous, encourage them to add their own horizontal patterns.

Once finished decorating your egg, cut it out with scissors.

Punch a hole at the top of the egg, thread the string through the hole and secure with a knot.

Hang your large egg ornament around your house for Easter.

For this activity you'll need:

- Activity 1 template
- Coloured markers
- Scissors
- Hole punch
- 1 x string

## ACTIVITY 2 – A5 Large Blank Easter Egg Collage

Print the activity 2 template supplied. Find coloured and/or patterned paper. Encourage children to cut the paper in all different shapes (strips, triangles, squares etc.) depending on their abilities.

Then let them freely glue the paper offcuts on their blank template egg ornament.

For preschoolers and above, you could encourage them to create horizontal patterns as they glue their paper offcuts.

Once finished decorating your egg, thread the string through the hole and secure with a knot.

Hang your large egg ornament around your house for Easter.

For this activity you'll need:

- Activity 2 template
- Coloured and/or patterned paper
- Scissors
- Glue
- Hole Punch
- 1 x string



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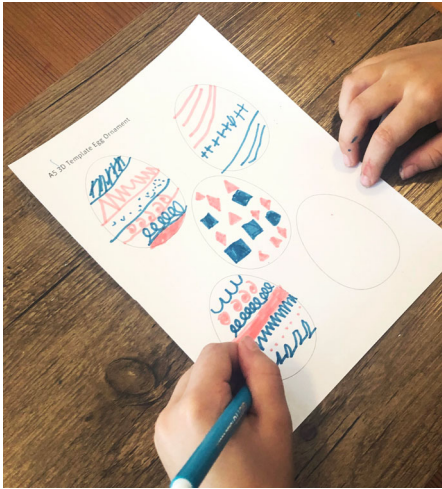


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## ACTIVITY 3 – 3D Template Egg Ornament

Print the activity 3 template supplied.

Start by drawing coloured patterns on your 5 eggs.



Cut your 5 eggs out with scissors.

One egg at a time, fold them in half lengthways.

Pile all five eggs with edges lined up.

Glue one side of one egg with another egg lining up edges and keep going around clockwise until you only have to glue the last two sides together to close your 3D ornament.

Open your egg flat, punch a hole at the top. Fan out your ornament again, thread the string through the hole and secure with a knot.

Hang your three dimensional egg around your house for Easter.

For this activity you'll need:

- Activity 3 template
- Coloured markers
- Scissors
- Glue
- Hole punch
- 1 x string

## ACTIVITY 4 – 3D Pattern Paper Egg Ornament

Print the activity 4 template supplied.

Using the egg template trace five egg shapes onto patterned paper of your choice. Cut them out with scissors.

One egg at a time, fold them in half lengthways.

Pile all five eggs with edges lined up.

Glue one side of one egg with another egg lining up edges and keep going around clockwise until you only have to glue the last two sides together to close your 3D ornament.

Open your egg flat, punch a hole at the top. Fan out your ornament again, thread the string through the hole and secure with a knot.

Hang your three dimensional patterned egg around your house for Easter.

For this activity you'll need:

- Activity 4 template
- Patterned paper ie. origami
- Pencil or marker
- Scissors
- Glue
- Hole punch
- 1 x string



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# Pattern Making

A pattern is a repeated decorative design.

Anyone can draw a dot. ●

But what if you added more dots in a row. Then you have a dotted line pattern.



A line



A dashed line



A line and when drawn in rows creates stripes.



For a diamond pattern simply add a row of stripes in the opposite direction.



Continue to the next page for more  
creative ideas on how to create patterns

Other simple shapes that can be used as a patterns.



Circle



Square



Star



Heart



Diamond



Cross



Triangle



Scribble

Stars >



Loops >



Stripes >



Curved line >



Wavy line >



Zigzag line >



Dotted line >



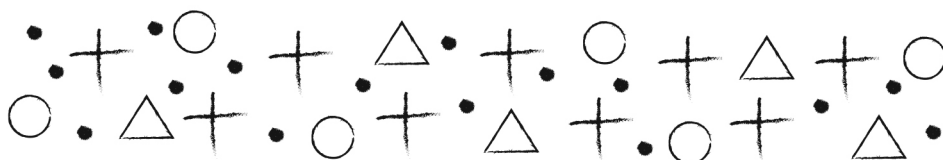
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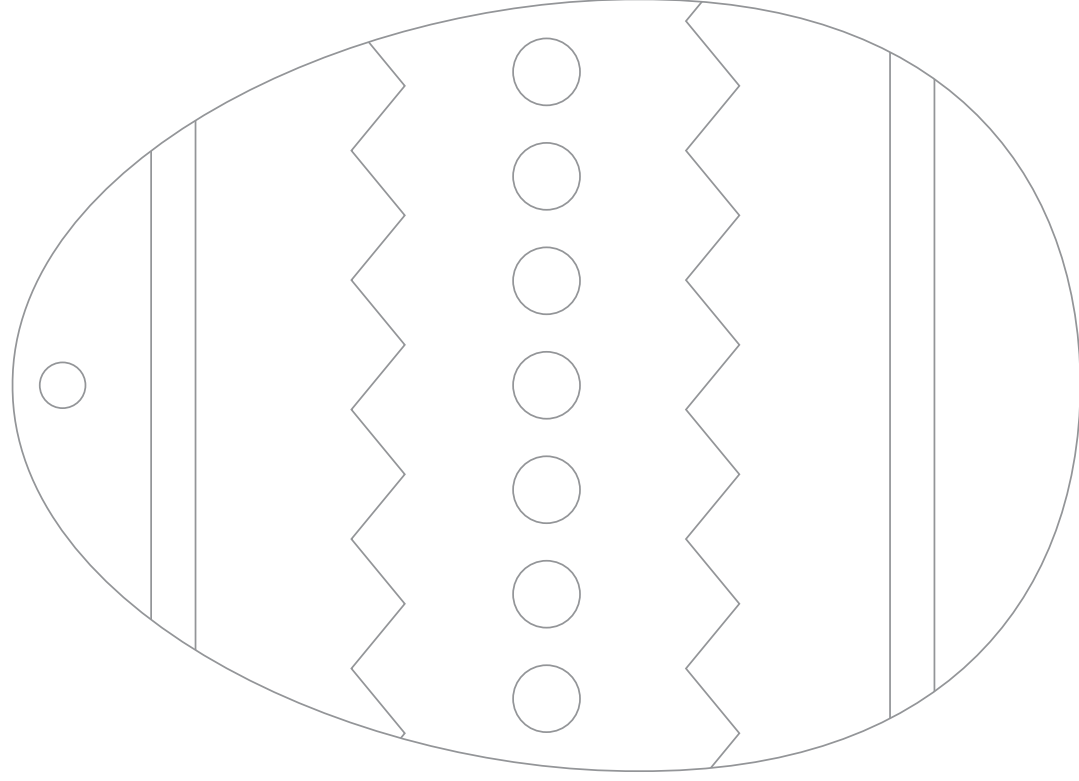


You can mix them up as well.

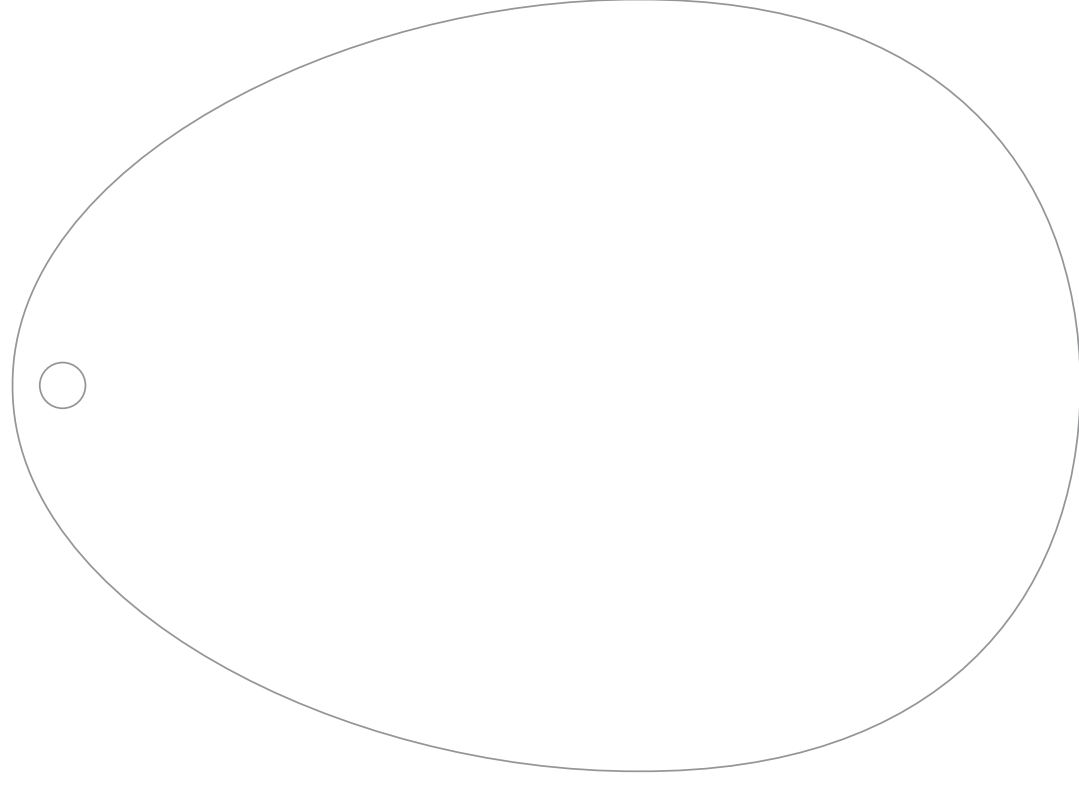


Now start experimenting some more as options are limitless!

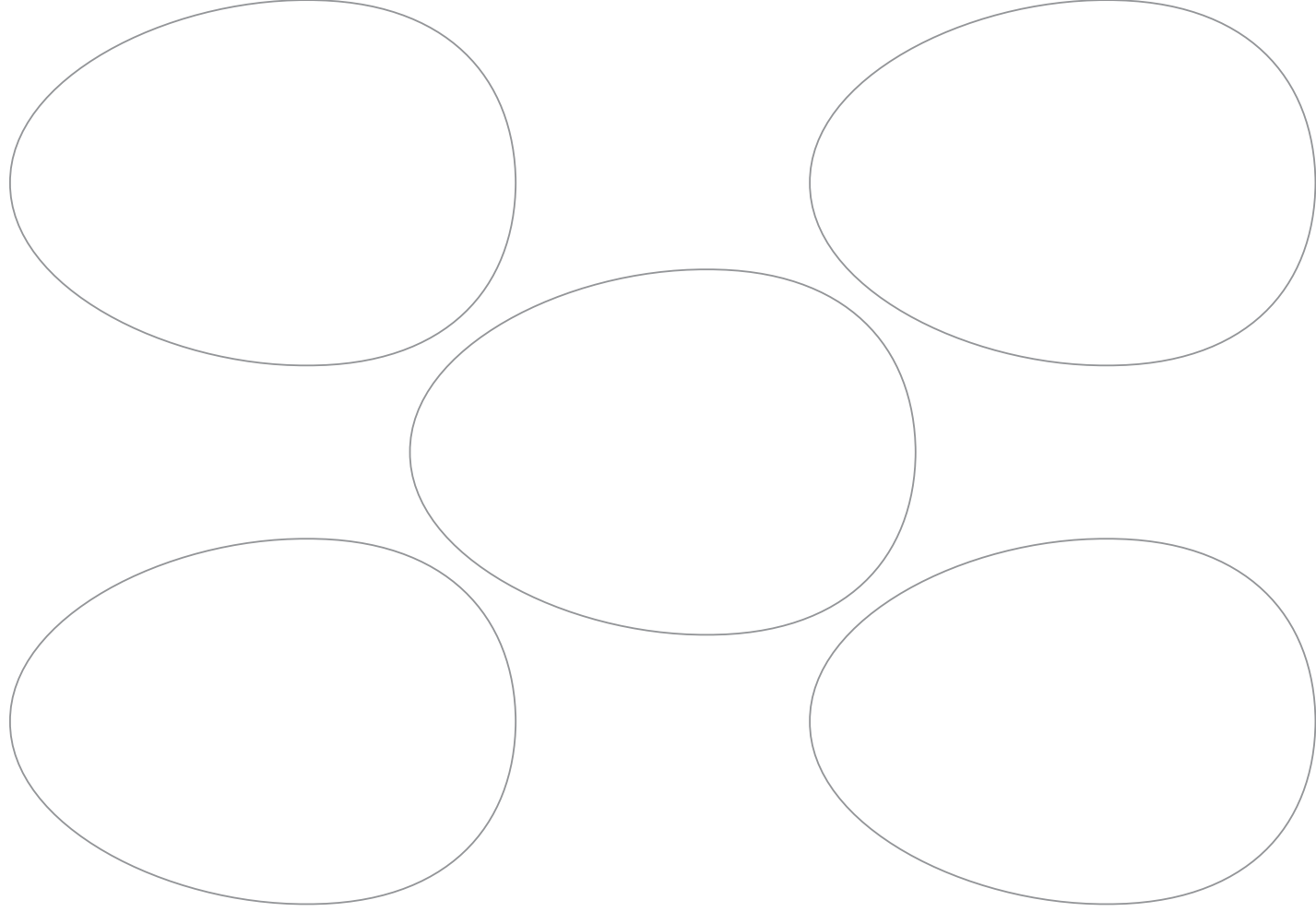
Activity 1 – A5 Large Easter Egg Ornament (A5 Template)



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Activity 3 – 3D Template Egg Ornament (A5 Template)



Activity 4 – 3D Pattern Paper Egg Ornament (A5 Template)

