



JEWELLERY of the REEF

Coralia is lucky to be able to make jewellery out of real sea shells, but did you know that you can use an egg carton to create a perfect imitation? Coral reefs for you!



TO BE MADE
WITH THE
HELP OF AN
ADULT



You need:

- ★ 1 egg carton
- ★ Acrylic paint (turquoise, pink, purple, yellow and white)
- ★ Felt tip pens (blue, pink and purple)
- ★ Tube of glitter glue or glitter varnish



- ★ Varnish
- ★ Beads
- ★ 2 silk cords, 1 m of each colour
- ★ Glue gun
- ★ Scissors
- ★ Pencil



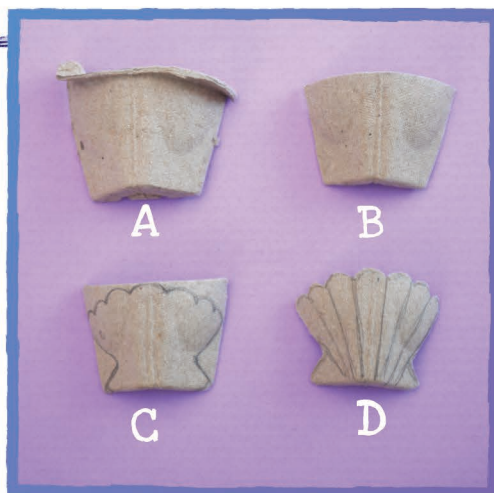
Painting
Figurine
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You can use the paint included in figurine painting kits to create this jewellery.



1 Cut the bottom section of an **egg carton** in half.



2 Then follow the 4 steps in the picture to cut the shell shapes.
A. Separate the shells.
B. Trim off excess cardboard.
C. Use your pencil to draw a shell shape.
D. Trim off excess cardboard and draw the line pattern inside the shell shape.



3 Paint your sea shells with a gradient of colours. Then use the **felt tip pens** to draw the lines. Cover the whole thing with a coat of **varnish**.



4 Apply **glitter** to the shell edges, by using the **glitter glue** or by applying a little bit of varnish and sprinkling on loose **glitter**.



5 Get an adult to help with application of the **hot glue** on the inside of each shell, to stick a bead in place ready for threading.



6 Pass the **cord** through the shell and make a knot on each side of the **bead**. Then thread the beads of your choice onto the cord. Overlap the cords, then follow the picture instructions on page 35 to make 2 slip knots, so that you'll be able to wear the necklace at the length you prefer.