

Ann's Creative Corner

Project #839: Paper Plate Fish!

(Kids Care Preschool Art)

- Cut a wedge out of a paper plate.
- Attach this to the rest of the paper plate as its tail fin.
- Cut another smaller triangle to form the mouth of the fish opposite to the tail fin.
- Draw or paint various scales onto your fish.
- Try using some tissue paper, bubble paper, tin foil, cellophane coloured paper, plus maybe some gritty items like sand....
- You may like to use sticker eyes, googly eyes or stamps for the eyes. Or draw them yourself.
- If you would like to make a mural with friends and family, place many fish on a poster board.
- Add some "Seaweed" which can be made from scraps of paper or streamers.
- Blue, Brown and Green are most common for seaweed.
- Add some blue water details with texture or some light paint.

Activity: Beach and Explore

Go to a sandy beach and step into the warm pools when the tide in out. There are many warm shallow pools when the tide is out. You will see the tiny fish scooting about. You may find seaweed there as well. Small crabs too. Be mindful where you step so as not to disturb the nature of these creatures and their habitat.

