

Moth Hide and Seek

Have you ever noticed how camouflaged moths are? On trees, walls, leaves and fences, they are very good at hiding in plain sight! This is because they need to avoid being eaten by predators - especially during the day when most moths are resting, but daytime predators like birds will be hunting for food.

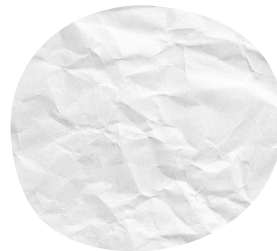
What you'll need:



Colouring pens or pencils



Scissors



Paper



Sticky tac or similar

How to play this game:

Step 1:

Copy the template below onto a piece of paper. You can make more than one!

Step 2:

Ask everyone to leave the room/outdoor space and secretly choose a few places where you'd like to hide your moths. Make a note of the colours and patterns.

Step 3:

Use your pens and pencils to colour in your moths in the same colour as your secret hiding places.

Step 4:

Sticky tac your moths to your chosen hiding places.

Step 5:

Ask your friends/family to come back and see how long it takes them to find your camouflaged moths! You can repeat this lots of times in different places and take it in turns.

