

# EarlyON Child and Family Centre

## EGG CARTON CATERPILLARS

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#### Materials:

- Cardboard egg carton
- Paint or markers
- Paint brush
- Water bowl
- Construction paper or pipe cleaners
- Pencil
- Scissors
- Glue
- Googly eyes (optional)



#### Instructions:

1. Cut the egg carton in half long ways.
2. Paint or decorate the egg carton.
3. Use a pencil to poke two holes in the egg carton for antenna and cut a pipe cleaner into 2 inch pieces.
4. Poke the antenna through the hole and bend the bottom to secure.
5. If using cardboard cut out two antennae and glue them to the top of the egg carton.
6. Glue on googly eyes or draw on eyes.

Source: <https://poofycheeks.com/2012/07/egg-carton-caterpillars-by-balancing-home/>

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## Contact Paper Butterfly

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#### Materials:

- Contact paper
- Different colours of tissue paper or construction paper
- Scissors
- Markers or crayons
- Tape
- Pipe cleaner



#### Instructions:

1. Cut out two pieces of contact paper.
2. Peel one piece of contact paper and place it sticky side up on the table.
3. Tape down the four corners of the contact paper to the table.
4. Cut or rip the tissue paper or construction paper into small squares.
5. Stick the tissue paper or construction paper to the contact paper.
6. When finished peel the second sheet of contact paper and place it sticky side down over the decorated piece to seal the two sides.
7. Cut the sealed contact paper into the shape of a butterfly.
8. Cut out two ovals to make the body of a butterfly.
9. Decorate with markers or crayons, draw on eyes and tape two pieces of pipe cleaners to the back of one of the butterfly bodies.
10. Tape one body to each side of the butterfly.
11. Tape the butterfly to a window and enjoy.

Source: <http://www.theadventurestartshereblog.com/2015/05/spring-crafts-butterflies-and-bees.html>