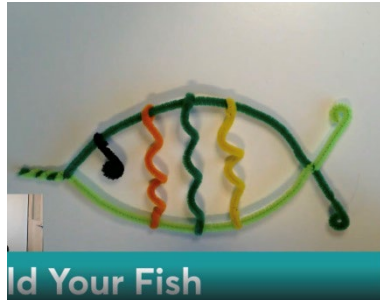


# Fun with Fuzzy Sticks

with teaching artist Andrea Di Palma

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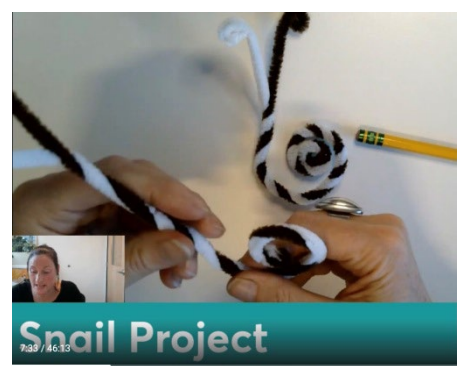
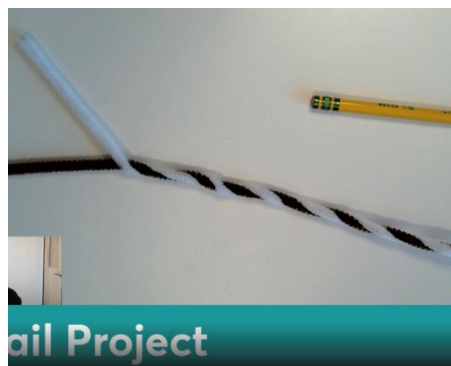
To access this virtual workshop visit: <http://lanearts.org/frlart1/>

We would love to see what you create. You can email photos to [artsed@lanearts.org](mailto:artsed@lanearts.org)

**INSTRUCTIONS:** If you are not able to access the online video, you can follow these step-by-step directions.

**Materials:** Fuzzy Sticks (included) and a pencil or pen. Glue(optional).

## Snail Project

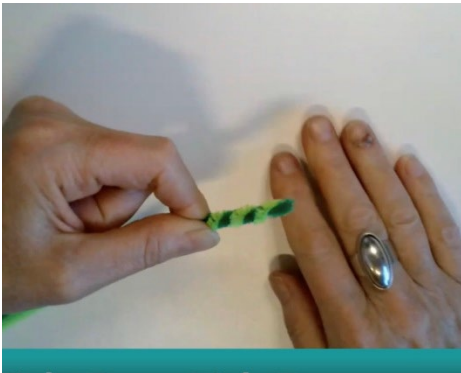


- Put the brown and green fuzzy sticks side by side
- Pinch them together three inches down
- Open the top into a “V” shape
- Twist the bottom sections of the sticks together
- Use both hands to make the twisted end of the sticks into a spiral (making the snail’s shell)
- Wrap each of the “antennae” 3 times around the pencil
- If you have glue, you can glue the googly eyes at the end of the antennae
- Name your snail!
- For further study, you can draw your snail’s habitat

## Tropical Fish Project

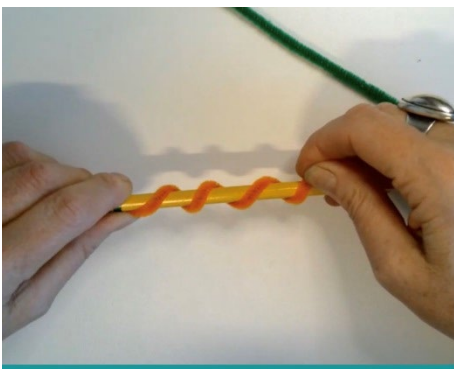
- Get out 2 full-length, 3 half-length, and 1 quarter-length black fuzzy stick

### Building the Fish's Body



- Put the 2 full-length fuzzy sticks side by side
- Pinch them together on one end, one inch down
- Twist the last inch of the fuzzy sticks around each other (this is the fish mouth)
- Pinch the other end of the fuzzy sticks together 3 inches from the end
- Open that end up into a "V" shape
- Twist the bottom of the "V" around 4 times
- Curl each end of the "V" around the pencil into a small loop (this is the tail)
- Gently open up the middle of the fuzzy sticks (this is the fish body)

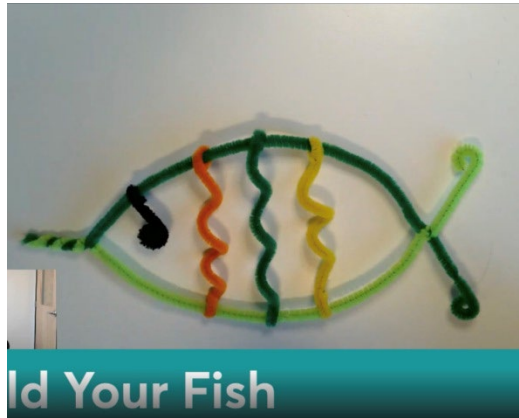
### Building the Fish's Scales and Eye



- Take one of the half-length fuzzy sticks
- Wrap it around the pencil 4 times
- Take it off the pencil
- Bend the ends of the fuzzy stick together creating little hooks
- Repeat those steps for the other 2 half-length fuzzy sticks

### Building the Fish's Eye

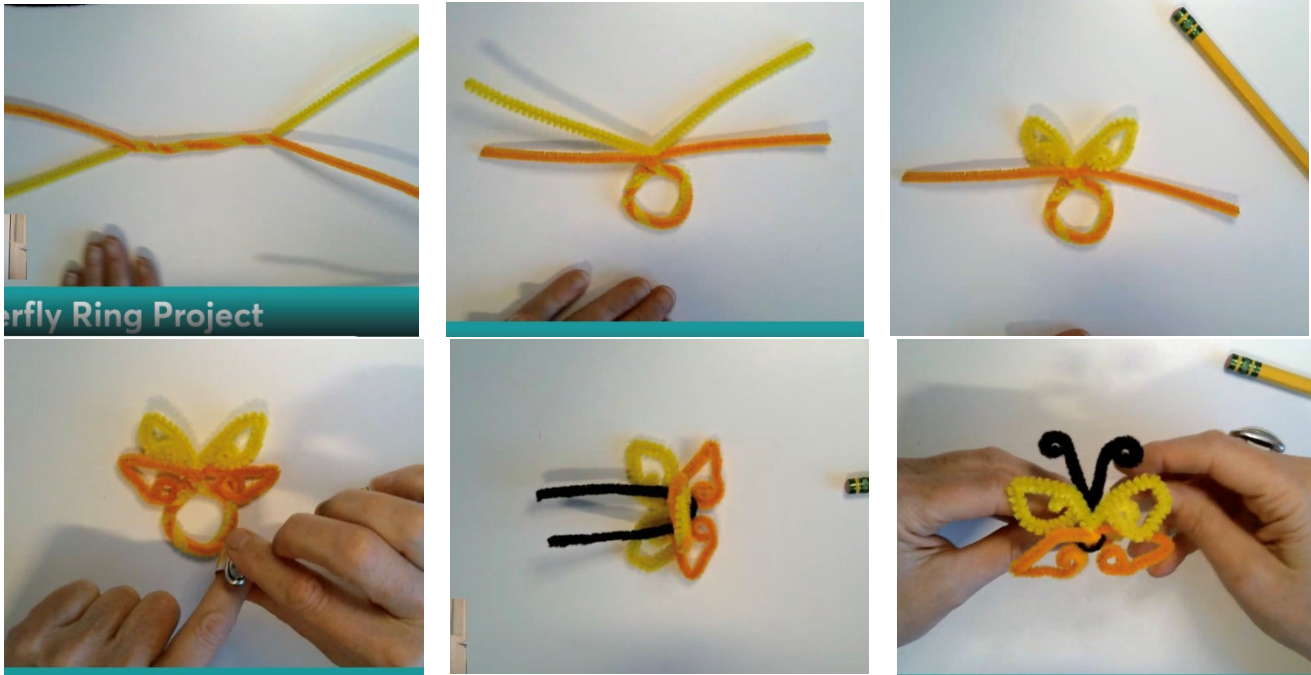
- Take the black quarter-length fuzzy stick
- Bend the end into a loop facing one direction
- Bend the other end into a hook facing the opposite direction (this is the fish's eye)



### Building Your Fish

- Attach the hook end of the eye 1 inch in from the mouth
- Attach the scales to the middle of the body by pinching one end's hook on the top and pinching the other end on the bottom of the body
- Name your fish
- For further study, draw your fish's habitat

## Butterfly Ring Project



- Take 2 full-length fuzzy sticks
- Pinch and twist the center of the fuzzy sticks around each other, leaving 3 inches on both ends untwisted
- Wrap twisted part loosely around the thumb of the hand you don't write with
- Pinch the fuzzy sticks together around your thumb
- Hold the circular part, then twist tightly 2-3 times
- Take 2 of the same color pipe cleaners and start to spiral inward to shape like a wing
- Repeat this step with the second color
- Bend butterfly at the base so that it lays flat against finger
- Take the black half-length fuzzy stick and bend into a "U" shape
- Place the "U" around the base of the butterfly, then twist it 2-3 times
- Wrap the 2 ends of the black pipe cleaner around the pencil into loops for antennae
- Slip the butterfly wing on your finger stretch out your arm away from your face and admire!
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Thank you for making art with us!

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