

Apple Pie

- Apple pie and apple crumble are traditional Sunday lunch desserts in Britain.
- Made from apples, sugar and pastry, sometimes with some additional spices, it is simple to make and delicious with custard, ice cream or cream
- Crumbles are popular because there is no need to make pastry, which is considered more difficult.



Things to Consider:

- These spices work well in apple pie: cinnamon, nutmeg, ginger, allspice, cardamom.
- Have a smelling test to see which spices you like best
- British apple pies traditionally use Bramley apples, which are quite sour, but you can try other apples to see which you most enjoy
- Test out different sugars to sweeten your apple: caster sugar, brown sugar or demerara sugar.
- Think about your decoration. You could make a pastry shape on top or make a lattice



Key Vocabulary

ingredients
hygiene
measure
recipe
cook
stir
prepare
mix
peel
taste
sweet
sour
smell

Sun-catcher Planets - DT

Which is the best material to create the look of a planet on a sun-catcher?

**YEAR 2
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Sun-catchers

- Sun-catchers are popular at windows in order to reflect coloured light into a living space.
- They work best when a clear surface is used.



Ideas

1. Use a permanent pen to create a circle on clear plastic. . Paint the planet using glass paint.
2. Put a layer of PVA glue into a circular container. Swirl through a small amount of paint. Maybe add some glitter.
3. Peel the film off an old CD to reveal the clear plastic underneath. Use glass paint, letting the paint flow across the surface of the CD and blending colours together.



Key Vocabulary

glass paint
surface
blend
flow
film
swirl
clear
sun-catcher
attach
hang



Bird Houses - DT

How can I create a bird house from a recycled drinks container?

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Bird Houses

- Bird houses are usually made of wood
- Birds may nest in the house, leaving it empty when the babies have flown the nest
- They should be placed somewhere away from wind and afternoon sun



How to create a birdhouse:

- You will need either a milk carton or a juice carton
- Make a hole in the carton and cut a small circle
- Think about what you could use for a roof (it will need to be waterproof).
- Paint your bird house using acrylic paint (or poster paint with PVA glue in it)
- Find a small straight stick, make a hole in the carton underneath the entry hole and push the stick through so that it reaches the other side of the carton.



Key Vocabulary

- waterproof
- cut
- attach
- base
- underneath
- roof
- cuboid
- circle
- decorate