

Make a Globe

Amazing Fact

A group of people called the 'Flat Earth Society' believe that the earth is flat and the idea that it is a sphere is a conspiracy (a secret plan or plot).

Challenge

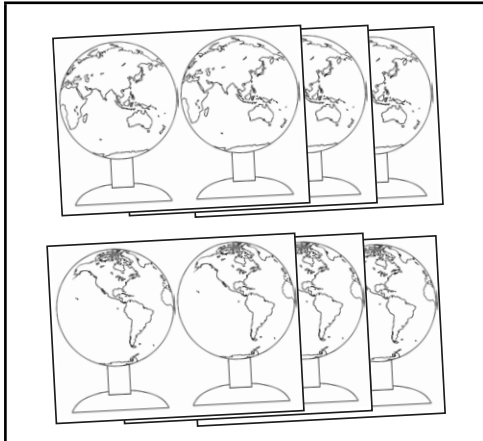
Follow the instructions and have a go at making your own globe. A globe is a model of the earth.



You could also try to find out:

- who the first person was to say the earth is a sphere;
- how 'flat earthers' imagine the earth looks;
- what proof is used to demonstrate that the world is a sphere;
- what proof is used to demonstrate that the world is flat.

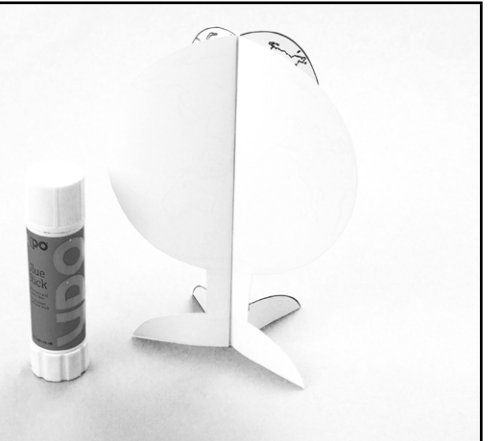
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1. Print out the resource sheets onto thick card. You want your globe to be sturdy enough to stand on its own. You will need 3 of each globe shape.



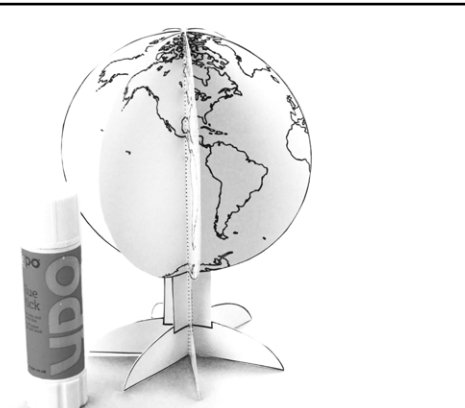
2. Colour and label the continents and countries. You will need to decide how many countries/oceans you would like children to label depending on the differentiation.



3. Cut carefully around the bold, outer line of each globe piece. Fold the globe pieces in half down the dotted line.



5. Glue half of the back of the globe pieces together. You can use paperclips to secure while the glue is drying.

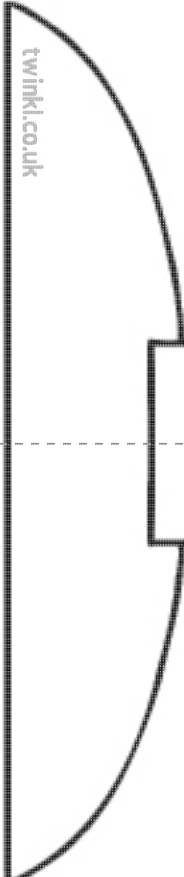


6. Glue the last pieces together to create a fan-like structure. When attaching the last pieces, be sure to glue the back of both halves.

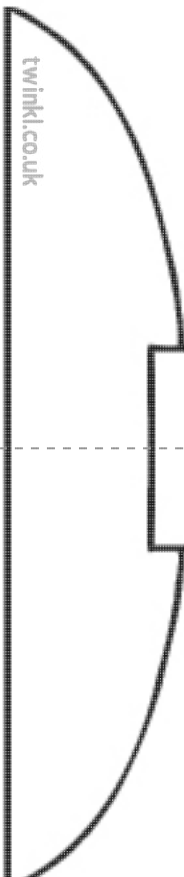


7. Remove the paperclips when the glue is dry. Your 3D paper model globe is now complete!





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