

Shadow puppets come in many forms, including those with moving parts. We're making them in their most basic form. But don't worry...they are still tons of fun!

## Here's what you'll need:

Black construction paper

6 Wooden skewers

Clear tape

Pattern Templates (found at the end of this PDF)



Use the templates to cut out the animals from black contstruction paper.



Don't worry about perfection for the donkey mane and rooster feathers. The patterns are just a guide.



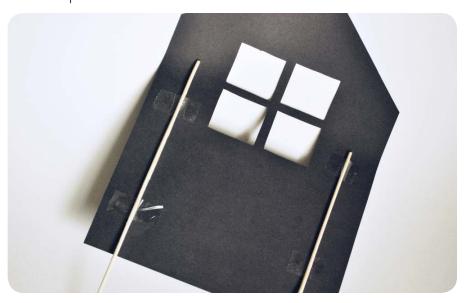
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HINT: Make sure that all of your animals are facing the same direction when taping the skewers.

Attach wooden skewers to the back of each animal with clear tape.



Use an craft knife to cut out the windows of the house, then attach two skewers for stability.





Try holding the puppets at different distances from the wall or sheet to achieve the best shadows.

Shine a light towards a wall and hold up the puppets to cast shadows. You can also use your puppets behind a sheet with a light shining on it!

