



JUST TALK

KEYSTAGE
1,2

MASK MAKING

GROUP/CLASS ACTIVITY

Focus is on the Just Talk theme of “beneath the surface”

Invite children to create a mask using the cut-out template and any art/craft materials that are available to them, giving them free space to be creative.

When the children have made their masks, the teachers aim is to reflect on the diversity of masks (colour, texture etc) and the differences in what they convey/show. Option to reflect on what emotions the masks might show.

The message that can then be communicated by the teacher is that we all might wear different masks depending on how we feel throughout the day. Sometimes this might show how we are feeling inside but sometimes what we show people might be different to what we are feeling inside (beneath the surface).

