AKI 2022 – Paper Puppet



## Make a Paper Puppet Monster!



Suggested for grades K-4 and to be done with supervision.

You will need the following materials:

- Printout of paper monster design
- 1 Loop Scissors
- Something to color with (crayons, markers etc.)
- 1 Hole Punch
- 4 Fasteners

How to create your Paper Puppet Monster:

- 1. Get your crayons and monster printout.
- 2. Start coloring your paper puppet monster using any colors you choose.
- 3. Get your scissors and cut out your colored printout monster.
- 4. Once you've cut the main body and two sets of limbs of your monster, set your scrap paper and scissors aside.
- 5. Get your hole punch and identify the illustrated holes on your cutout monster.
- 6. Use your hole punch to punch holes on the illustrated holes on the main body and limbs. You can also add extra holes if you want.
- 7. Set aside your hole punch and scissors.
- 8. Get your 4 fasteners.
- 9. Take one fastener, round part on top, and put it through one hole on the main body of the monster.
- 10. Take one of the legs of the monster and put the leg through the pointy bit of the fastener.
- 11. Spread out the prongs of the fasteners and flatten them out completely so that it is joining the main body and the leg together.
- 12. Continue the same process with the other holes on the main body, connecting the limbs using the fasteners wherever you'd like.

13. Once all the limbs are connected to your main body, move your monsters limbs around and have fun playing with your paper puppet monster!