

This activity is for Cubs but any section or leaders could take part too!

Cub Stick Stars

What you need:

- 6 Sticks (pencil thickness)
- String
- Leaves and Berries
- Strong Clear Glue
- Scissors



How to make it:

Begin by collecting 6 twigs from your local park or green space, the sticks should be a similar diameter as a pencil and should all be the same length.

- 1. Fashion your sticks into a star shape. To do this, begin by taking 3 sticks and create 2 triangle shapes. Fasten each corner together with glue, securing each corner tightly.
- 2. Once you have 2 equal triangles, turn one upside down so the point is facing towards you.

 Place the other triangle over the top with the point facing away from you. Fasten again with glue to create your star shape.
- 3. Thread a piece of string through the top of the star and tie into a loop to act as a hanger for the decoration.
- 4. Glue your nature items to the star to decorate.

Get more Crafty:

To take the Stick Tree to the next level – make a bigger one, but tie the joints with coloured wool or string.

Safety Notes:

Scissors / Sharp Objects: Supervise young people appropriately when using scissors.

Store all sharp objects securely, out of the reach of young people.

Glue and Solvents: Supervise young people appropriately when they're using glue and solvent products. Make sure there's plenty of ventilation. Be aware of any medical conditions which could be affected by glue or solvent use and make adjustments as needed.

Gardening and Nature: Wash your hands after the activity has finished and wear gloves if needed.



