Happy Eid-Al-Fitr

Hello everyone,

This Sunday is a special day for Muslims, they will be celebrating Eid-Al-Fitr. Families will wear special clothes, give presents and cards and share a feast.

Below are some activities you can do at home.

Have fun.

Ramadan facts:

Saturday 23rd May 2020 Ramadan ends at sunset and the crescent moon appears in the night sky.

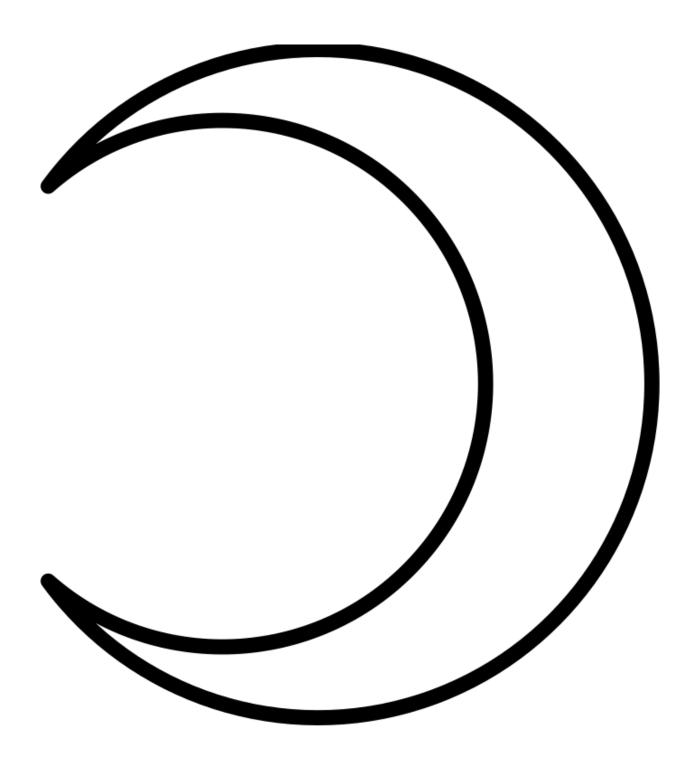
Sunday 24th May is **Eid-Al-Fitr**. Eid is a time when Muslims are celebrating the end of Ramadan.

Activity 1: Making decorations

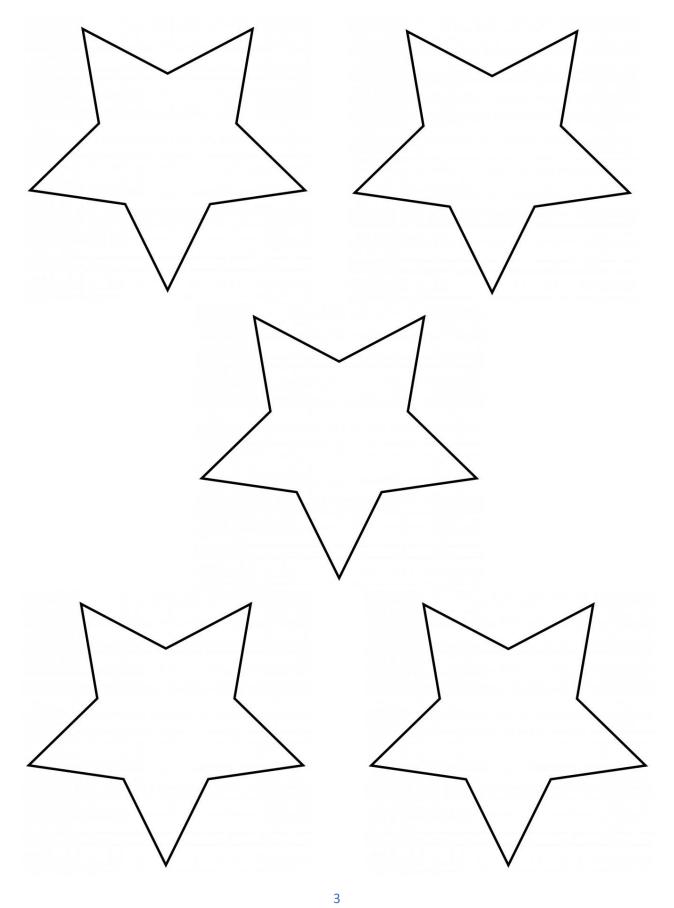
You will need:

- Stars and moon template
- Crayons or paint
- String or wool
- Glue and tape
- Glitter if you have any
- 1. Cut out your crescent moon and stars
- 2. Decorate your moon and stars
- 3. Dab glue on to your moon and stars and sprinkle over the glitter
- 4. Lay your stars and moon on the string and secure with tape
- 5. Hang your decoration

Crescent moon template



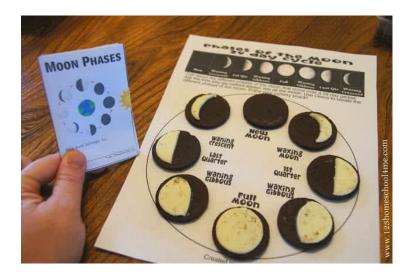
Star template



Activity 2: Making Oreo moons

You will need:

- Clean hands
- Packet of oreos
- Plate
- Moon phase chart



To make your oreo moons you will need to start eating!

- 1. Count out 8 oreos and put them on your plate
- 2. Look carefully at your **Moon phase chart**, choose a moon to make and start munching the top lid only
- 3. Now make the other moons. Keep checking your moon phase chart to check the shapes of your moons. You can munch the bits of the top lid that you **do not ne**ed only
- 4. Now all your moons are finished, save them for the feast you will share with your family



Activity 2: Oreo moon phase chart

OREO COOKIE MOON PHASES FULL MOON WANING GIBBOUS **WANING CRESCENT** WANING HALF (FIRST QUARTER) **NEW MOON WAXING CRESCENT WAXING GIBBOUS WAXING HALF**

(LAST QUARTER)

Activity 3: Star and moon sandwiches

You will need:

- Clean hands
- Bread
- Butter or butter alternative
- Sandwich filling of your choice
- Sticks or slices of cucumber, pepper and cherry tomatoes
- Plate
- Knife
- Star and moon cutters (if you do not have any, carefully use a knife to cut the shapes)
- 1. Trim the crusts off the slices of bread
- 2. Butter your slices of bread
- 3. Lay (or spread) your filling on top
- 4. Lay another slice of bread on top and gently press down
- 5. Cut out your shapes
- 6. Put your moon and star sandwiches on a plate
- 7. Decorate with pieces of your chosen vegetables
- 8. Save them to share at your feast



Activity 4: Rice crispie stars

You will need:

- 6 cups rice crispies (or cereal of your choice, puff ones work best)
- 4 cups mini marshmallows
- 3 tablespoons butter
- Lolly sticks or kebab stick (points broken off) optional
- Star cutter



- 2. In a large pot, melt butter and marshmallow together over a low heat (you will need help here)
- 3. Add the cereal to the marshmallows, stir gently to mix but do not crush
- 4. Tip the mixture on to a clean surface and very gently press down
- 5. Grease your star cutter and cut out star shapes
- 6. Put your star shapes onto the baking tray and freeze for 5 minutes
- 7. Alternatively, press a lolly / kebab stick into your stars and freeze for 5 minutes
- 8. They should be gooey when you come to munch them

Activity 5: My feast

Put your sandwiches and sweet treats on the table and invite your family to come and share your feast with you.

Enjoy.

