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### Gross gargoyles

If you walk around the outside of Highcliffe Castle you will probably see a lot of fancy stone carving including grotesques and gargoyles.

Make your own gargoyle fit for the Castle out of pâper maché.

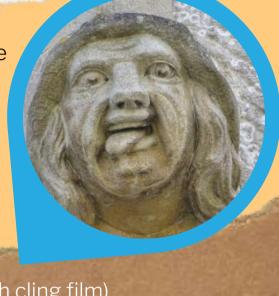
#### What you will need:

- A balloon (or an unbreakable bowl covered with cling film)
- Newspaper
- Tape (masking tape is the best for this)
- PVA glue and a paint brush
- Washable kids paint (if you want to decorate)

#### How to make your gargoyle:

- Blow up the balloon or cover the outside of the bowl with cling film (don't forget to cover the edges)
- Cut strips/ squares of newspaper
- Add on gargoyle features screw up small balls of paper to make eyes and a nose then tape them to the balloon, (you could also use egg boxes to make them)







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- Tape sausage-shaped paper as eyebrows and lips
- Add any other features like horns and ears using bits of egg box or card
- Put some glue on the balloon and stick on a bit of paper with more glue
- Keep adding layers of glue and paper until most of the balloon is covered (you might need to do a couple of layers)
- Leave to dry

- Pop the balloon or remove your paper face from the bowl
- Leave it as it is or paint stone-coloured







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