D.I.Y. SOCKTOPAL

Turn a sock into an octopus in 5 easy steps!

WHAT YOU NEED

- Long socks
- Beads, sequins, or buttons
- Felt
- Stuffing
- Hot glue
- Scissors
- Twine

1. Fill the toe of the sock with stuffing - something soft and cuddly - until you have the head at the size you want.

2. Tie off the head with twine and trim any extra.

3. Cut off the end of the sock, either at the heel or however long you want your tentacles to be.

4. Cut vertically into the end of the sock to make 8 tentacles. Start by cutting the sock in half, then cut the halves in half, then cut those in half again!

5. Cut felt into shapes to make your socktopal's face and give it some added flair - try glasses, mustaches, mouths, or bows! Then, have an adult help you hot glue them on. Use beads, sequins, or whatever you like to make eyes!

MAKE A BOW

Cut a spare strip of sock into a small band and tie a knot in the middle to give your pal some dapper decoration.

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