



You will need:

- cereal or other cardboard box
- scissors
- glue
- sticky tape
- decorations
- pens/pencils
- printer
- lolly sticks



Instructions

Print out the following 3 x A4 pages (people, buildings, flames & smoke)

How to make your lolly stick theatre

- **1.** Find a cereal box, or any other cardboard box, to use as your theatre and cut a hole in the front leaving at least an inch around the edge as a frame.
- **2.** You can cut 3cm x 10cm slits in the shorter sides to be able to feed through your characters, flames and smoke.
- 3. You can decorate the box if you wish.
- **4.** If you don't have any lolly sticks, you can use the lolly stick template on page 3 to cut 20 lolly stick shapes out of the piece that you just cut out of your box.

Now for your Great Fire performance!

- 1. To make your puppet characters and scenes, cut out the people, buildings, flames and smoke (follow the dotted guides on the A4 sheets). Then, stick each cut out item on to a lolly stick using glue or tape.
- **2.** Make up your performance based on your own research. There is lots of information on our Great Fire page:

www.museumoflondon.org.uk/museum-london/great-fire

3. Record your performance and upload it tagging **@museumoflondon** and using the hashtag **#FireFireTheatre.**

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