



# PLAYING WITH PUPPETS

*Discover all day fun and try your hand with puppets while talking about the importance of hand washing!*

## Morning Craft Project

# Shadow Puppets

## Supplies

- Paper
- Scissors
- Decorating Supplies (color pencils, crayons, markers, etc.)
- Flashlight
- Popcycle Sticks
- Tape

## Directions

How many shadow puppets can you make using only your hands?

1. Tape a single piece of paper to the wall at a desired height to trace your shadow puppet for later.
2. Turn on your flashlight and face it towards the paper taped to the wall & turn off all other lights.
3. Using just your hands, manipulate the shadows to create animal shapes against the paper on the wall.
  4. Trace the shadow against the paper
  5. Cut, tape, and decorate each shadow puppet
  6. Tape a popcycle stick to the back of each puppet

## Afternoon Activity

# Puppeteering Play

## What is Subject 2?

- Homemade Puppets
- Piece of Notebook Paper
- Paper

## Write Your Own Play!

Using your new puppets for inspiration, write your own play, then move the sofa around to perform for family and friends.

Be sure to take a video of your play and share it with Oak Island Parks & Recreation on Facebook!