



## LAYC Training Scheme Using Paper Mache



### **Introduction**

Aimed at anyone using arts and crafts with children and young people, but this session is particularly aimed at Play Workers looking for ideas for more advanced arts and crafts activities perhaps with older children (P4-P7/8-12 years)

Find out a little bit about the history of paper mache in Cuba and then inspire the kids you work with to think through their own arts exploratory session.

### **Content**

The course is very informal and hands on (clothing should be appropriate) including learning how to prepare a basic paper mache glue mix and following a basic design to create an arts and crafts model.

### **Outcomes**

By the end of the course participants will have:

- Appreciate the potential of paper mache as a low cost and versatile arts medium
- Understand the importance of materials preparation and space set up when facilitating an arts and crafts session with children
- Demonstrate hands on experience of working in paper mache