

# DIY PUPPET THEATRE

Create your own mini puppet theatre and put on a show about the plants, bugs and other wildlife in your local area, and how we can protect them.

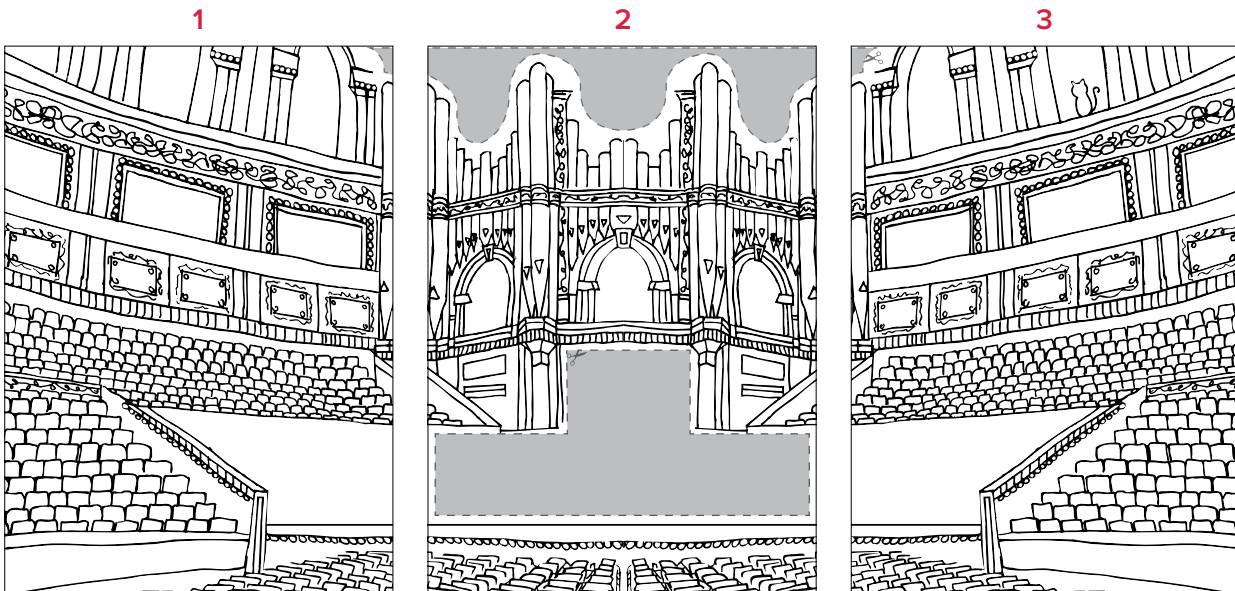
## YOU WILL NEED:

- Puppet theatre template
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- Colouring pens or pencils
- Lolly sticks
- Tape
- Scissors
- A4 card or paper for printing on
- A printer
- Glue stick

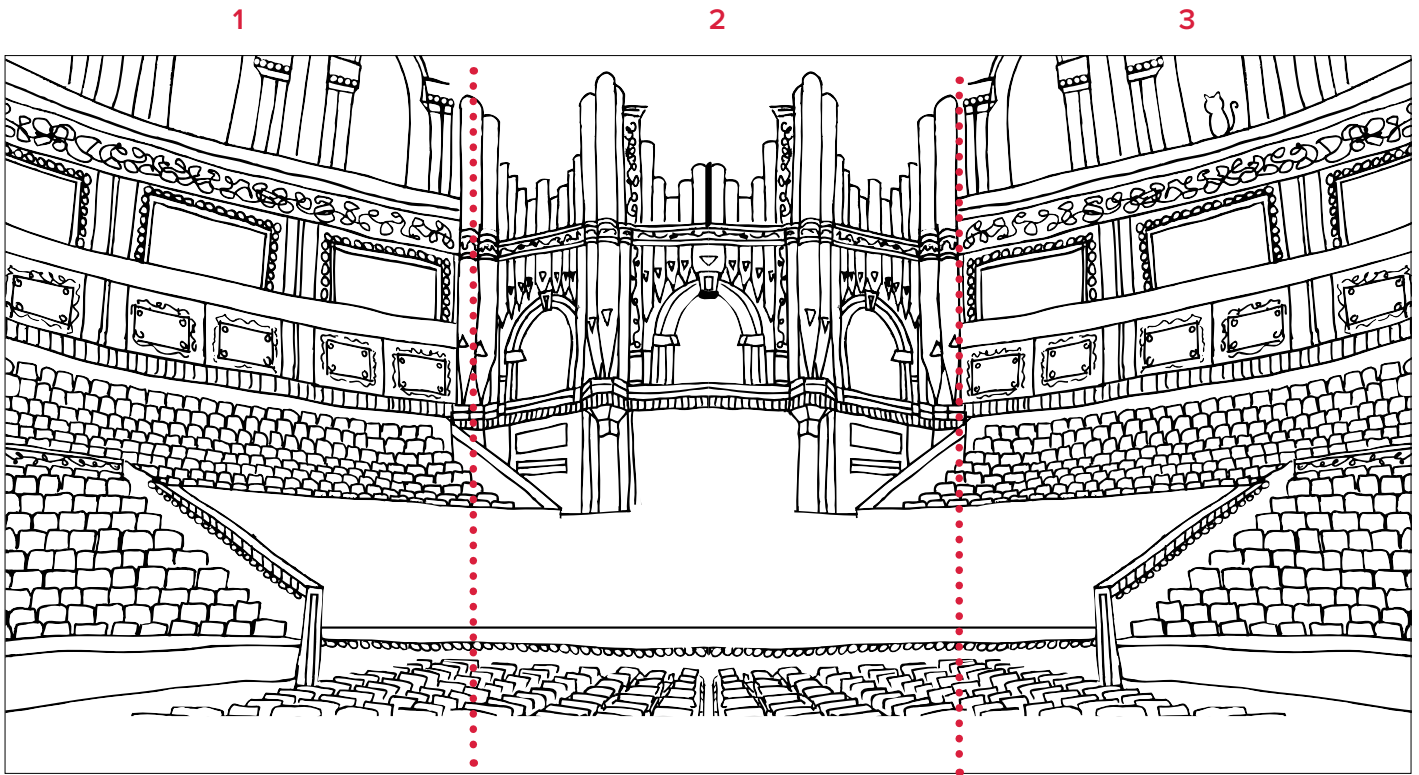


**1** Print the three puppet theatre template sheets on the following pages. Colour them in if you like.

**2** Carefully cut out the areas shaded in grey, as shown in **Picture A**.



Picture A



Picture B

3 Line up the pages to look like **Picture B** above.

4 Use tape to stick the pages together, taping along the dotted red lines in **Picture B**.

5 Bend panels 1 and 3 so that the puppet theatre stands up, as in **Picture C**.

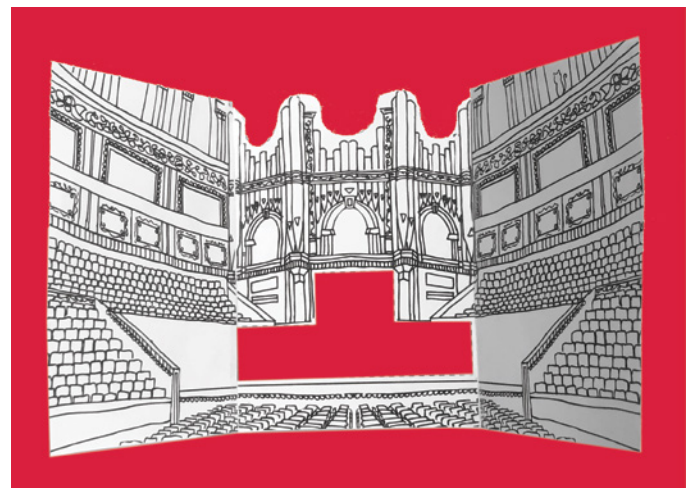
6 Print the puppet template in this pack.

7 Cut out the puppets along the dotted lines as in **Picture D**.

8 Tape a lolly stick to the back of each puppet as in **Picture E**.

9 To make a science show, draw your own wildlife characters and plants, cut them out and add a lolly stick as you did before, as in **Picture F**.

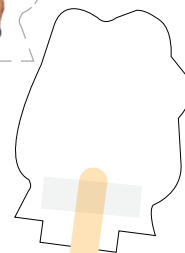
**Now you are ready to host your own Royal Albert Hall show!**



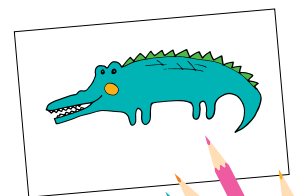
Picture C



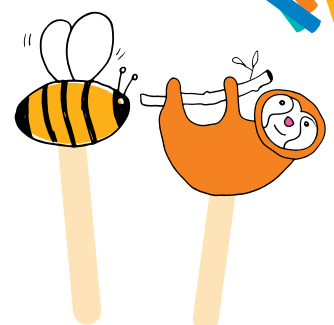
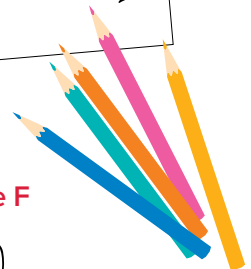
Picture D



Picture E



Picture F



## TOP TIP

For extra support, glue the puppet theatre onto some clean card from your recycling bin – an empty cereal box is ideal!

