

## MUDDOCH GARGOYLE'S

To make Muddoch Gargoyles all you will need is some clay, you can buy clay or you can dig clay if you know a particularly squidgy spot where you might find some.

Start by working your clay into a ball then choose an interesting looking tree trunk to mount it on.

Press your ball of clay into the bark of the tree and start to smooth the edges to help it stick more.

Once you feel the ball of clay is stuck sufficiently you can start shaping it into an interesting looking face or creature.

Look around you! Is there things from nature you can use to make it look even more interesting? Leaves as ears or hair maybe? Little stones or nut shells as teeth? Petals? Feathers?

Mud gargoyles won't last forever, like all nature they will pass with the season.

You can take a photograph or draw a picture of yours when you are done if you want to remember it, or like the flowers in spring you could just enjoy it in the moment while it lasts, accepting that part of what makes it special is it wont be there forever.

