[Storycraft]

The Land of Shadows and Puppets

Prepare a puppet show and set the stage for the characters from The Battle Between the Sky and the Sea!

- 1. Pop out the pieces from the sheet.
- 2. Carefully tear along the perforated lines in the picture.
- 3. Insert the puppets in the slits.
- 4. Your mini puppet theatre is ready!

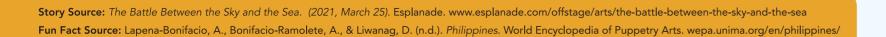
Storytelling Tip

When re-enacting the story, move the puppets as they speak in the story!

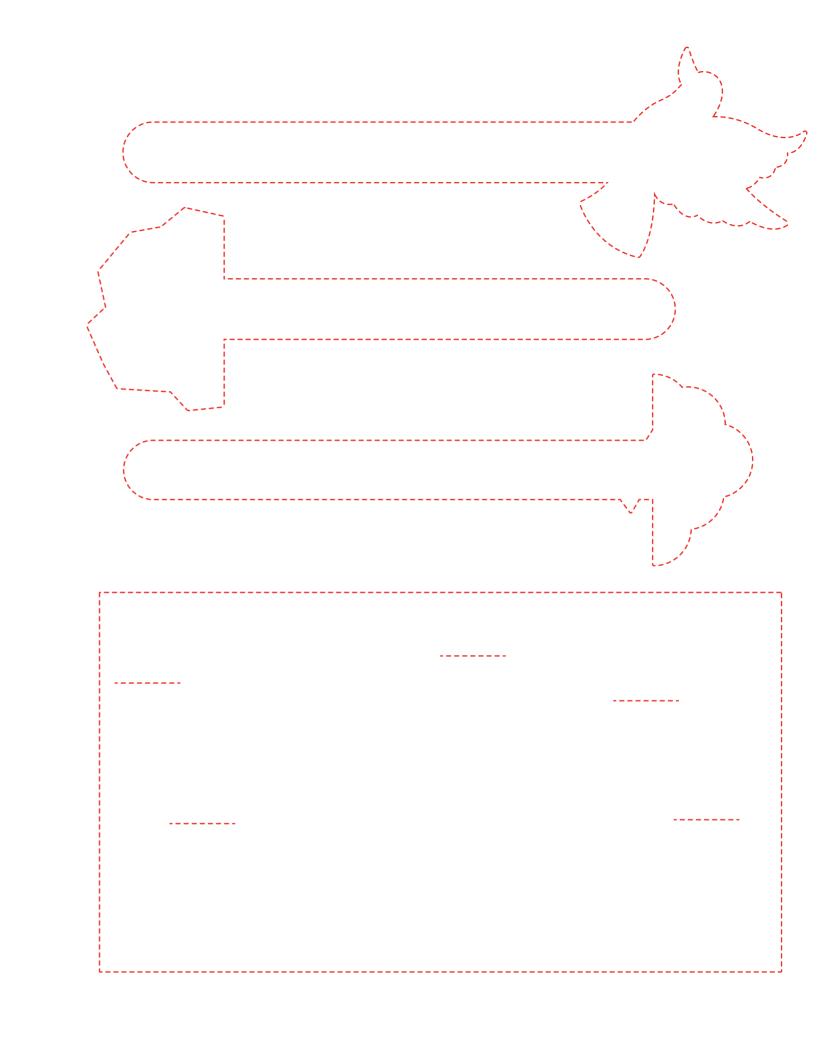
Fun Fact

Puppetry was uncommon in the Philippines until street shadow play performances called *Carrillo* began in the late 1800s. *Carrillo*, which means "small travelling cart", is made of cardboard shadow puppets held up against a white screen.









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Flipping Fun

Make a pop-up diorama card and help the fishes in A Fish Story come to life!

- 1. Pop out the piece from the sheet.
- 2. Carefully tear along the perforated lines.
- 3. Fold along the white lines so the fish, fire, and diorama card can stand upright.
- 4. Your diorama card is done!

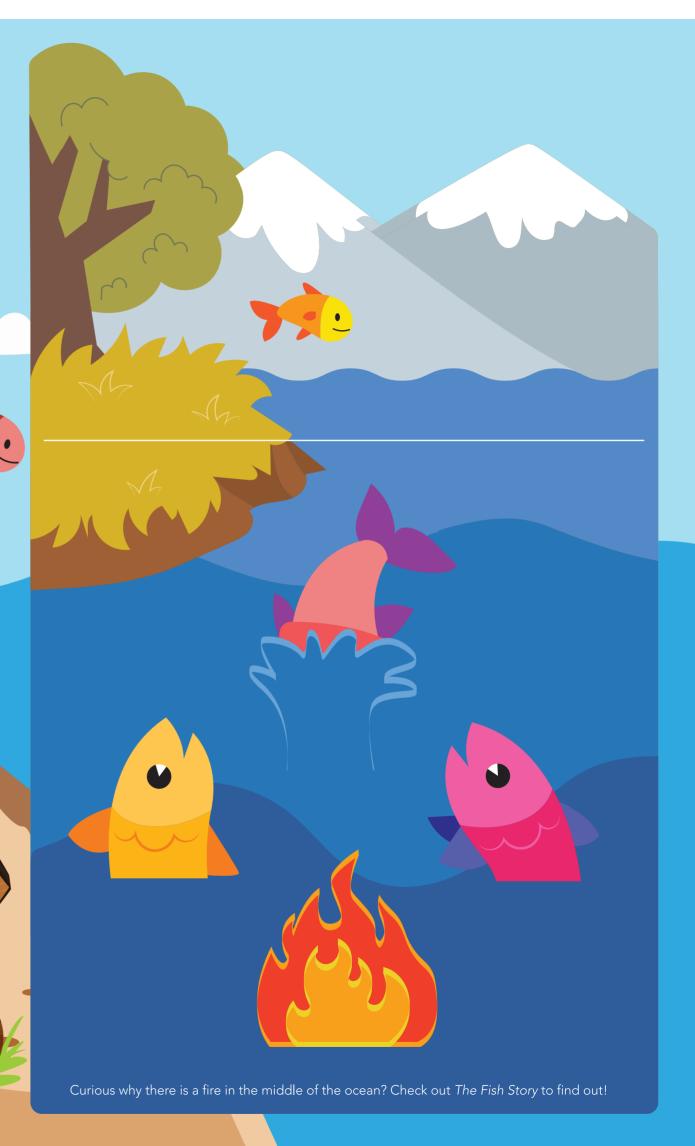


Crafting Tip

Try pasting other materials to give your diorama more texture and make it more enjoyable! For example, you can glue cotton wool on the snowy tips of the mountain to give it a 3D effect.

Fun Fact •

Did you know that in Australian
Aboriginal culture, the environment is
used to tell stories? In the same way,
dioramas also use the environment to
tell stories — almost like 3D storytelling!



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