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Sing along

five little monkeys jumping on the bed
one fell off and bumped his head
mama called the doctor and the doctor said
no more monkeys jumping on the bed

four little monkeys jumping on the bed
one fell off and bumped her head
mama called the doctor and the doctor said
no more monkeys jumping on the bed

three little monkeys jumping on the bed
one fell off and bumped his head
mama called the doctor and the doctor said
no more monkeys jumping on the bed

two little monkeys jumping on the bed
one fell off and bumped her head
mama called the doctor and the doctor said
no more monkeys jumping on the bed

one little monkey jumping on the bed
one fell off and bumped his head
mama called the doctor and the doctor said
no more monkeys jumping on the bed

no more monkeys jumping on the bed
none fell off or bumped their heads
mama called for daddy and daddy said
all you little monkeys
get back into bed

five little monkeys sleeping in the bed
snuggling in their blankets, pillow for their heads.
mama turned to daddy and daddy said
see you in the morning and we'll bake banana bread

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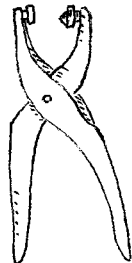# Make a jumping monkey

You will need:

4 x split pins
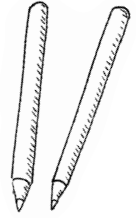
template printed onto card
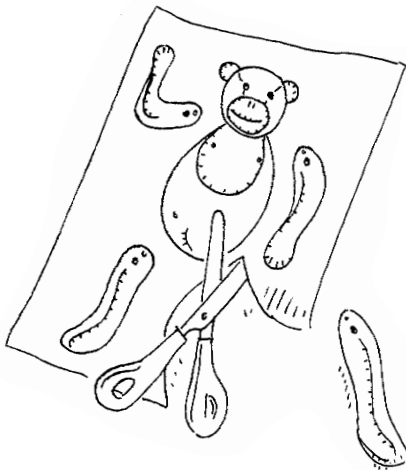
single hole punch

string or twine
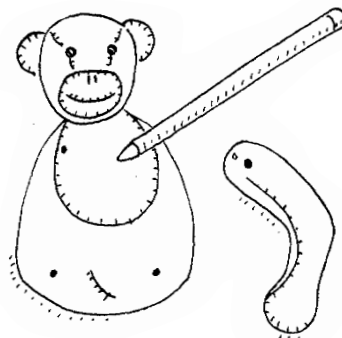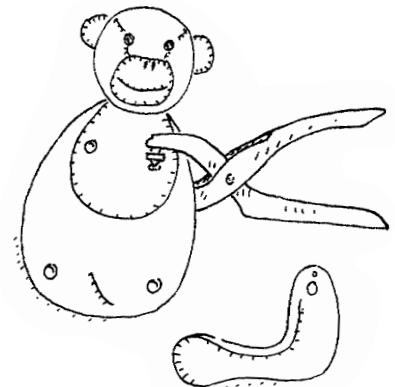
needle

scissors

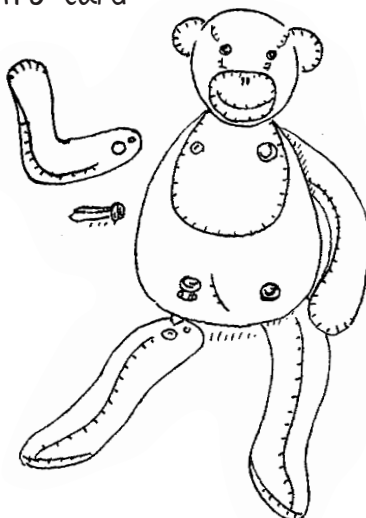colouring pencils

Instructions:

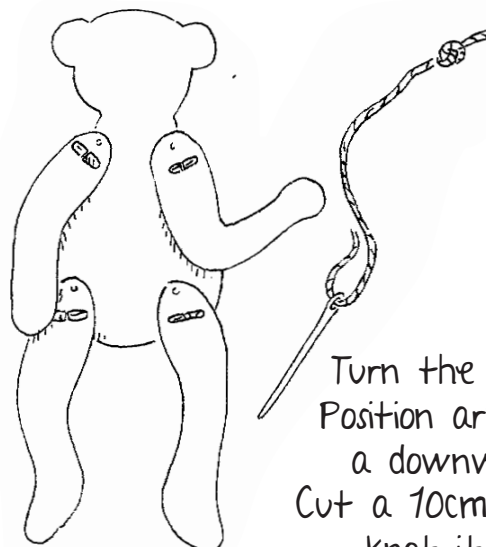Cut out the pieces of monkey printed onto card

Colour in

Use the hole punch to make holes for the split pins. Make smaller holes with a needle where indicated
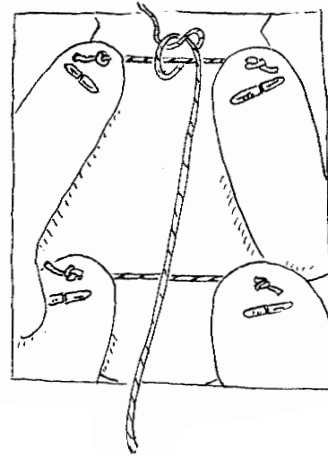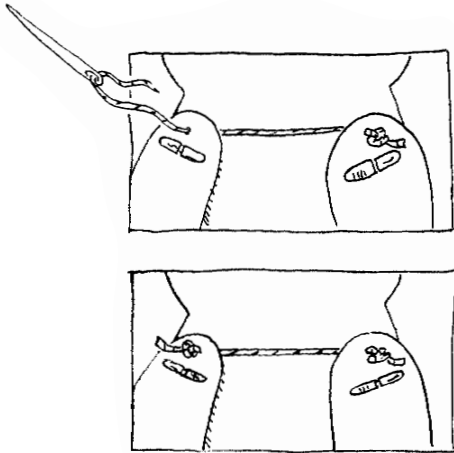
Attach the arms and legs with split pins, the arms and legs should be behind the body

Turn the monkey over. Position arms and legs in a downward position. Cut a 10cm piece of string, knot it at the end
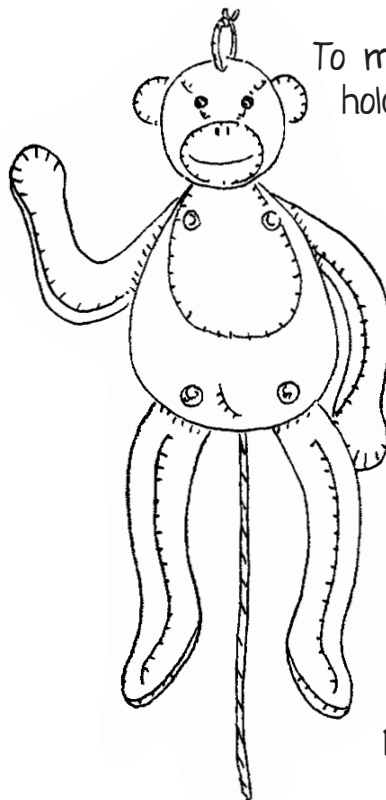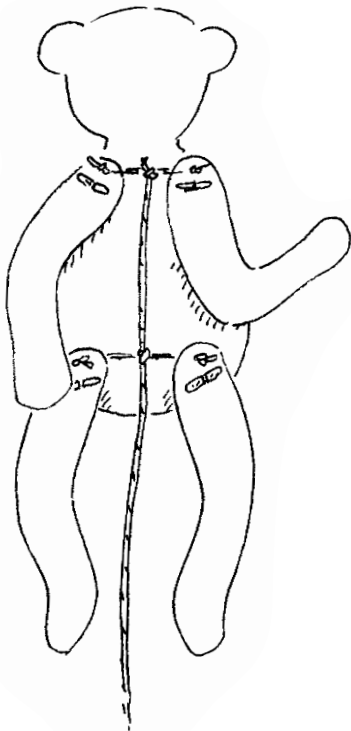
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Instructions continued.........

Using the needle, thread the string through the small holes at the top of the arms. Pull tight keeping the arms in a downward position. Tie a knot at the other end to secure

Repeat the process with the legs. Cut a piece of string about 30cm long. Tie the top of the string to the string that runs between the arms. Pull tight making sure the arms stay in place, then tie the string to the string that runs between the legs
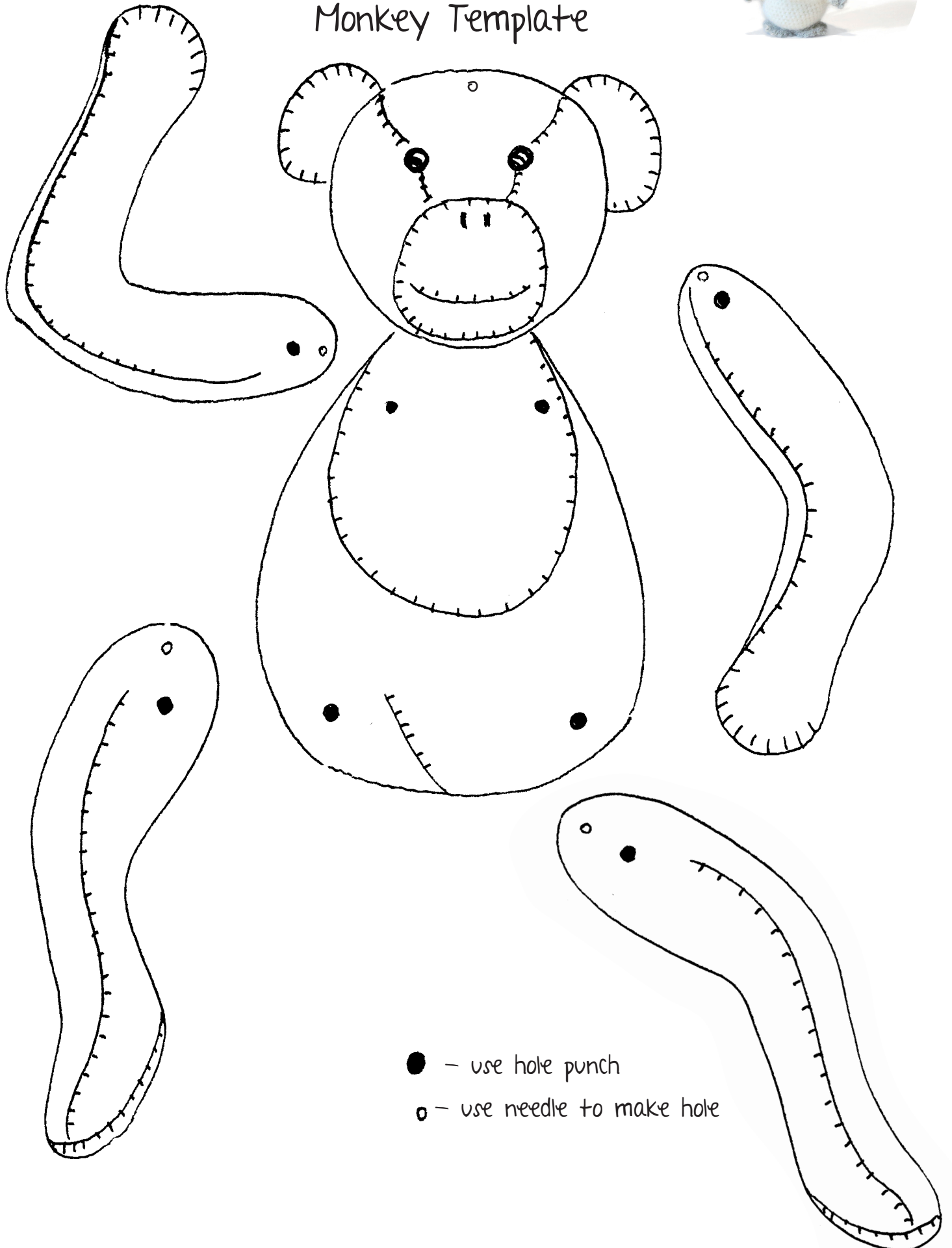
To make the monkey easier to hold, thread a loop of string through it's head
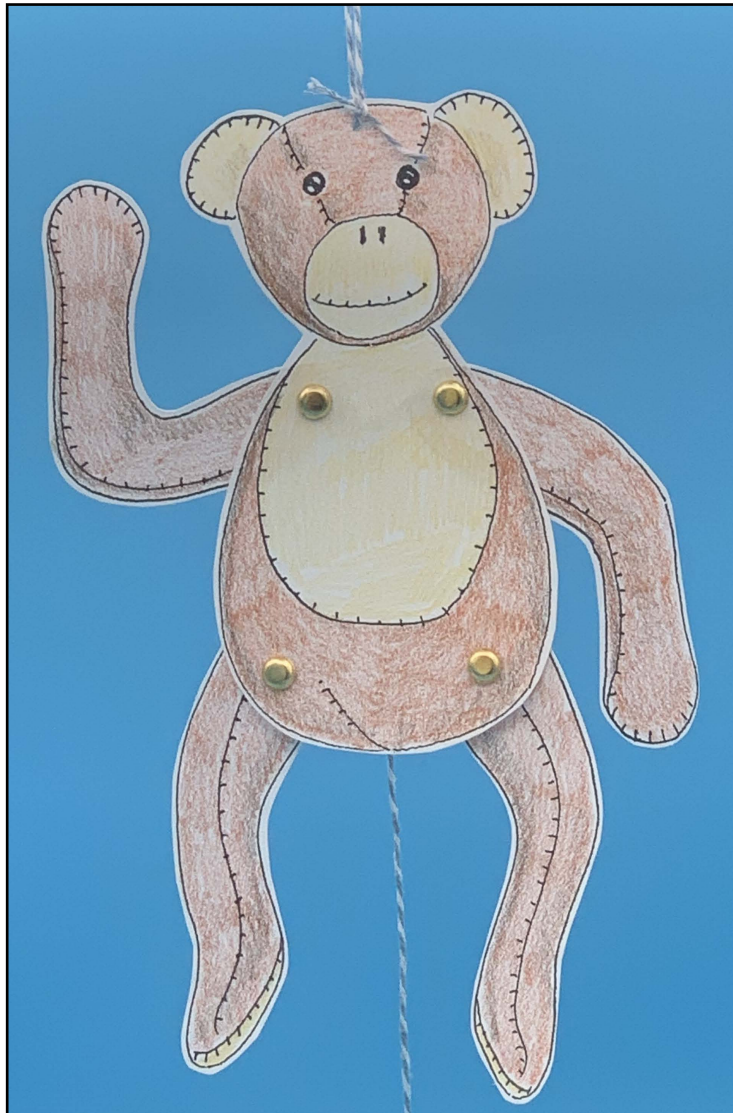
Pull on the string to make the monkey jump!

Monkey Template

● — use hole punch

○ — use needle to make hole

Your finished monkey!

Tips:

Use embroidery thread instead of string or twine

If you can't print onto card cut out the pieces
on paper and then stick them onto card

To make the monkey bounce more, loosen the split
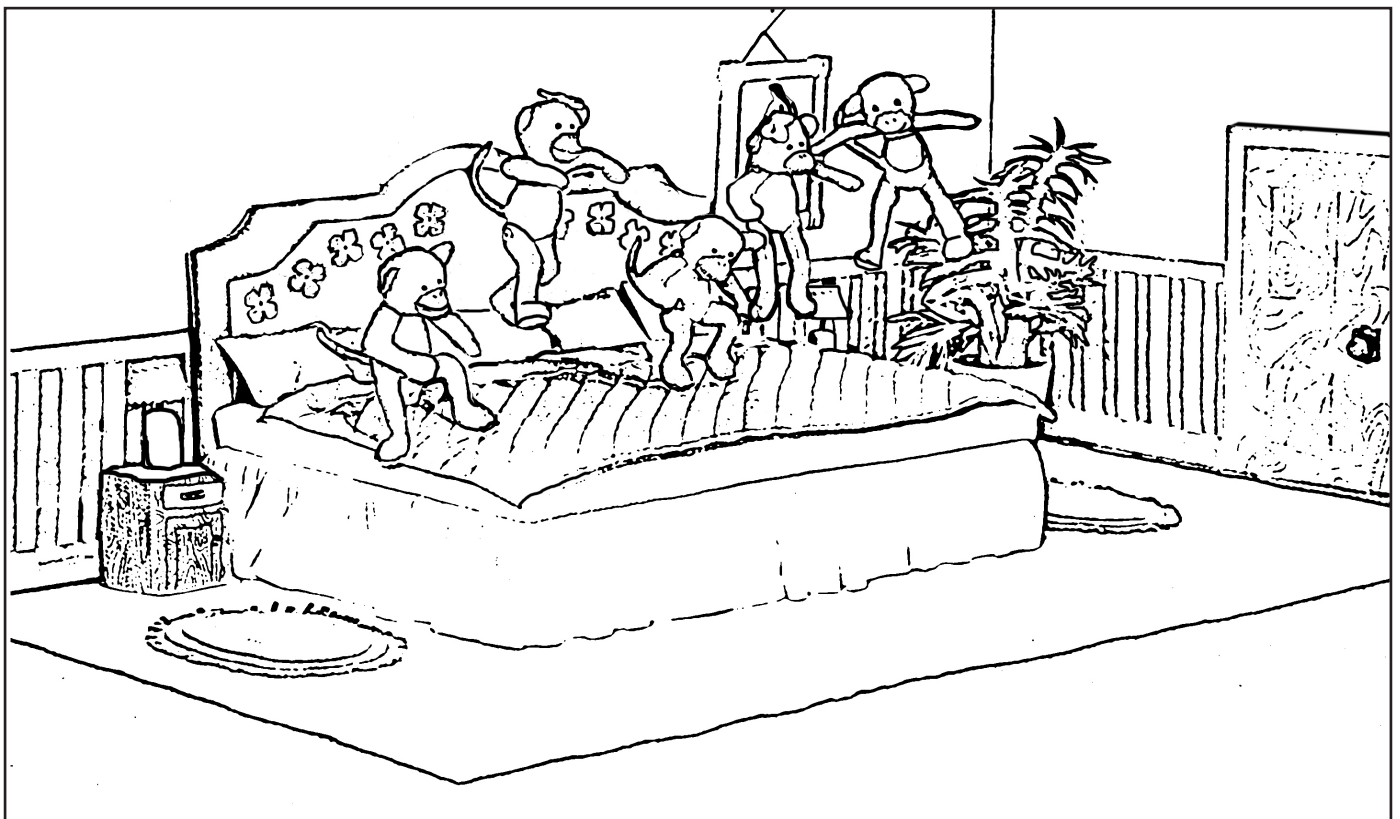pins around their holes and away from the card

Spot the difference

Can you find the five differences between these two pictures?

Colour in the picture

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Bonus Activities!

When did you last see the doctor? What happened?

Doctor Monkey is treating a gorilla with some medicine and a bandage on his head. What accident do you think the gorilla had?

Try being a doctor to your toys or dolls. Find out where it hurts and give them a plaster

Make your own play plasters by cutting the sticky bit off a post-it note

Use a spoon or an old medicine syringe to pretend to give them medicine