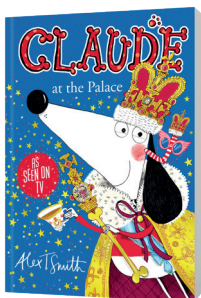
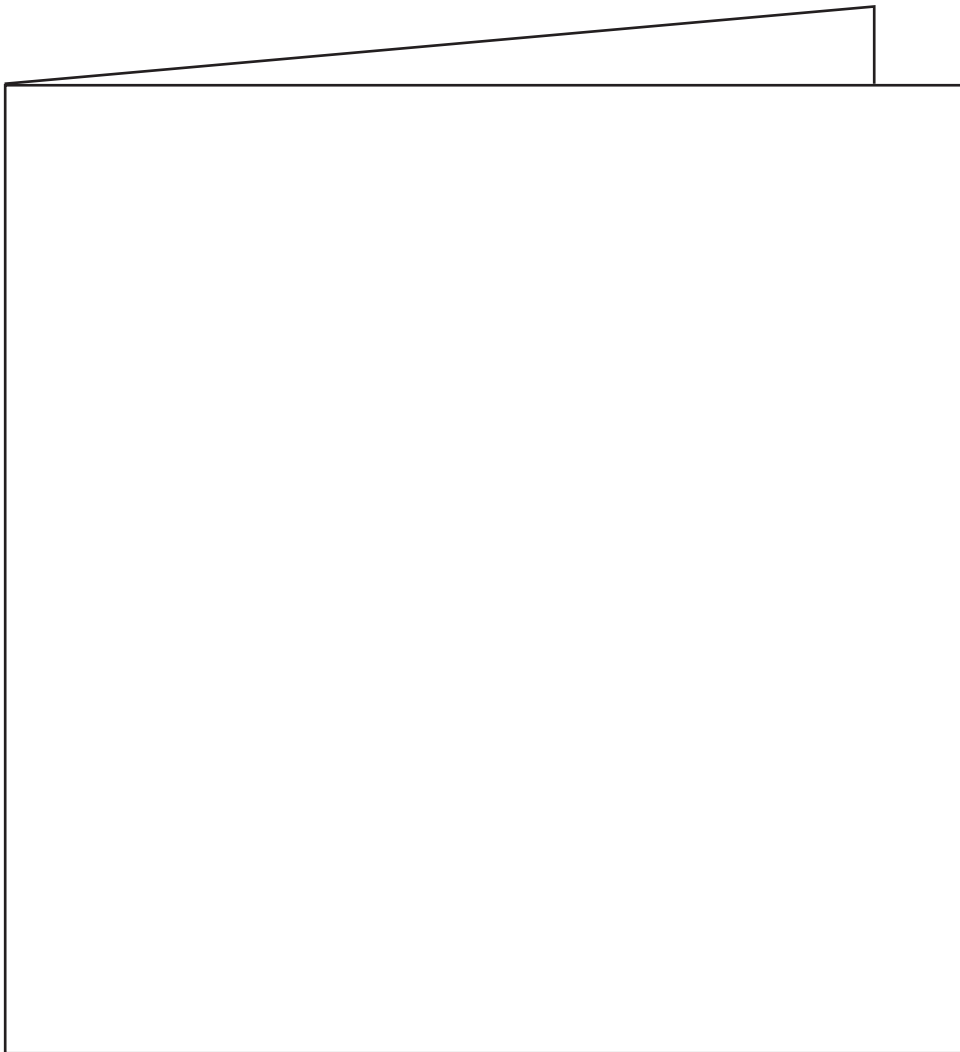


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Design Your Own Royal Birthday Card

Decorate a birthday card fit for a queen using your brightest colouring pens!



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Make Your Own Jam Tarts

No royal tea party is complete without jam tarts. Here's a quick and easy recipe to make your own at home

You will need:

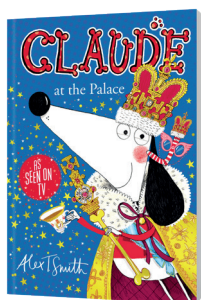
- 85g unsalted butter or margarine
- 170g self-raising flour, plus extra for dusting
- Jam or your chosen filling
- A cupcake baking tray

Method:

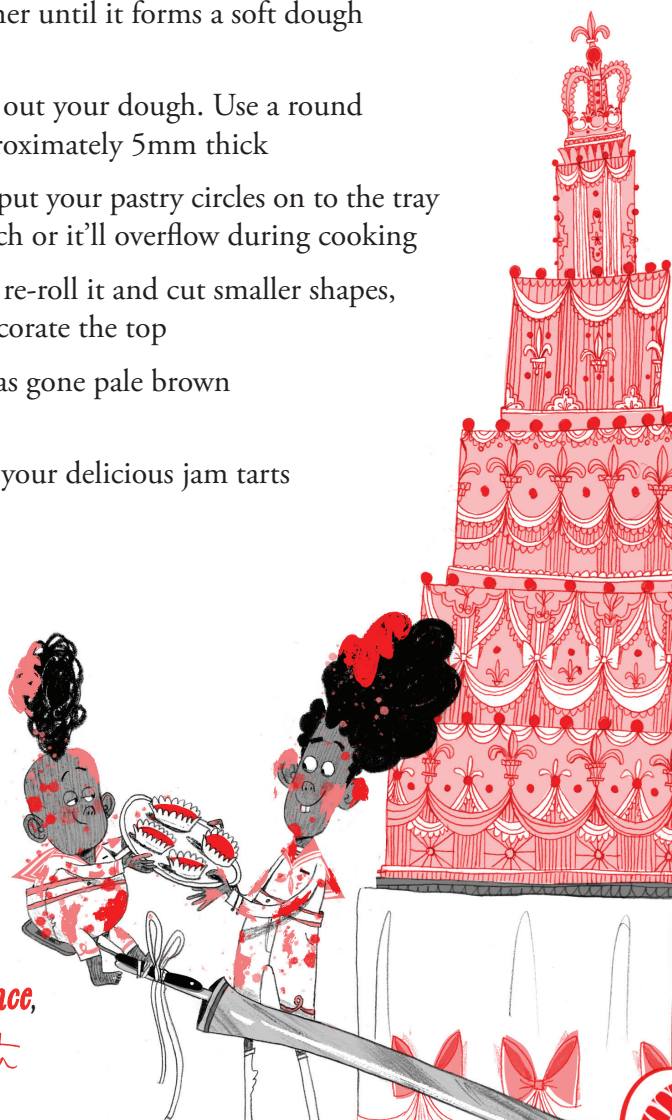
1. Ask an adult to preheat the oven to 200C/180C Fan/Gas 6
2. Rub together the butter or margarine with the flour in a bowl until it resembles breadcrumbs
3. Stir in a few tablespoons of water and mix together until it forms a soft dough – you don't want it to be too sticky!
4. Add a little bit of flour to your worktop and roll out your dough. Use a round pastry cutter to cut out about 20-24 circles, approximately 5mm thick
5. Grease the cupcake baking tray with butter then put your pastry circles on to the tray and add a spoonful of jam to each – not too much or it'll overflow during cooking
6. If there is any leftover pastry, you might want to re-roll it and cut smaller shapes, either circles or stars, and put over the jam to decorate the top
7. Bake for about 30 minutes, or until the pastry has gone pale brown – ask an adult to help you use the oven
8. Now, have a nice sit down and a cup of tea with your delicious jam tarts

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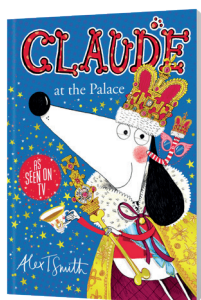
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Design your Dream Wellies!

Decorate your own wellies in the template below, using your favourite colours.

You could even add some more sparkle with glitter, tissue paper or any art supplies. Remember to ask an adult's permission first.



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