

DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

Making Moving Pictures

Part 2.

Today, you are going to create your own moving design that is based on any part of the life cycle of an animal or plant.

You will need to think first of the kind of movement you would like to see in a picture keeping in mind the vertical and horizontal sliders that you made last week. You can have either or both of the mechanisms.

You will need: paper or card, scissors, sticky tape, sticky fixers, coloured crayons, glue

Activity: Making a moving picture

1. **Make a drawing of your design:** Use the design sheet provided. You will need to plan where to put the slider and decide how the moving article will work with the rest of your picture. Think about the scale of the moving parts.
2. **Construct your picture:** Draw your design onto paper or card. Use a ruler to mark out the position of the slider slot. Cut out the slot carefully. Cut out a strip to attach to the article. Put the slider in place and don't forget a guide attached to the back.
3. **Make your picture move:** Slide the slider through the guide to make the movement in your picture.
4. **Evaluate your moving picture:** Show your picture to someone at home and ask them for their comments. Are you pleased with the results? Is there anything that you would do differently another time? What was the trickiest part of the process? What do you like best?

Well done! Please send in a picture or video of your moving picture.

