

Map of Me

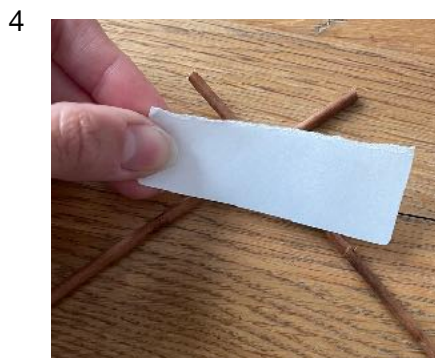
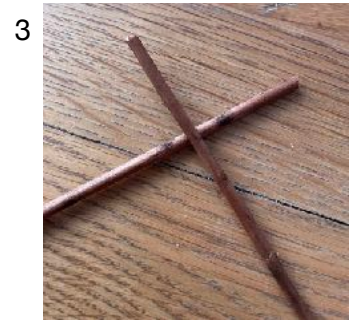
1. In your pack you have:

4 sticks of willow

Some stickers

1 bundle of natural string

A selection of coloured wool



2. Begin by making a square with the willow sticks.

3. Let the end of each stick cross over the next .

4. Use the stickers to join the corners together

5. Your square should look a bit like this.

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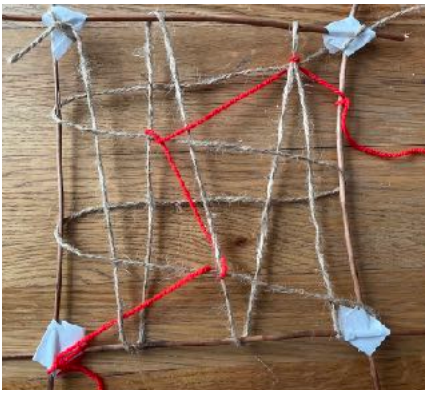


6. Knot the natural coloured string in a corner (you might need to ask an adult to help you with the knots)

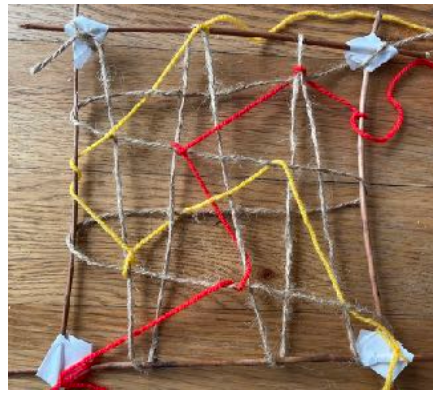
7. Zig-zag the string across the square frame, going up and down

8. Go round the corner and zig zag the string side to side, then ask an adult to help knot the end.

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9. Knot an end of a coloured piece of wool to a corner. This will represent a journey you make often - maybe your route to school. Weave the wool in and out of the string, over and under, round corners turning left and right, to the edge of the frame and back. Then tie it to the nearest stick.

10. Select another colour of wool for another journey you make - maybe to grandmas house, to the shops, to your best friends house, the bus ride to town... Start somewhere else on your frame, and weave the new path around the string and the coloured wool. Tie off.

11. Repeat for as many journeys as you can, letting the paths cross over, under and around each other. Some paths might be short, some may be long. These paths are the arteries of our lives - the connections we have that make us *US!*

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12. Find some pieces of nature from near where you live to weave into your map of you: leaves, twigs, flowers, grass stems, feathers... these make your map centred on your world.

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13. Make a loop with some of the wool you have to hang your map

14. Hang in your window or on you wall and celebrate you. (you can cut the long threads or leave them)

You are unique, there is no one else quite like you!

Share photos of your "map of Me" with us at #NCmaking