

Jumping Dolphin

An at home, fun mammal themed, craft activity for Ages 7-12 (can be modified for younger or older children). Provided by Gumbo Limbo education staff.

Parental Supervision/Assistance may be needed

1. Gather your materials: You will need 2 paper plates, paint in different colors, paint brushes, a brass fastener, a printed/drawn picture of a dolphin, a pencil, scissors, markers.
2. Prepare your materials: Cut 1 plate in half with a wave pattern.
3. Have your child paint the first (whole) plate light blue (like the sky). Next, paint the second (halved) plate, blue/sea foam (like the ocean)
4. Let the plates dry.
5. Take the dolphin cut out and paste it on the sky plate. You can also decorate the sky with clouds, stars, birds, planes, etc...
6. Place the wave/ocean plate and place it on top of the sky plate. Fasten the plates together with the brass fastener.
7. Turn the sky plate and see your dolphin jump out of the water!
8. Your child now has a cool dolphin craft!

