

How to...



Maké à Haring sport scene

What you need

- Card
- Pencil
- Scissors
- Coloured paper
- Blu Tack
- Black marker
- Glue stick



Olaf Falafel is a children's author, illustrator, dad of two daughters and a comedian. During the first lockdown he created an online Art Club (tinyurl.com/TWJ-olafart). Each episode is filled with jokes (such as: What's made of leather and sounds like a sneeze? A shoe!), useful tips, animations and facts about his favourite artists. Over to you, Olaf...

"The artist I'll be looking at today is Keith Haring. You can tell that I genuinely love his paintings because I have a Haring print hanging up in my front room. If it was an original painting it would be worth millions of pounds and I would be relaxing on my own private Caribbean island. As it is only a print, I'm sitting at home with a cup of tea writing this!

"Keith Haring is a street artist who started out making comics and cartoons. He wanted his art to reach as many people as possible so he created posters, T-shirts and graffiti art in New York, US. The work is easily recognisable, with its simple, brightly coloured outline characters and symbols. They have an energetic feel too, thanks to the movement lines he puts around his people and animals. He tried to get across ideas that promote love and equality.

"The Keith Haring print I have hanging up at home has two characters kicking a ball on it so I thought it would be fun to make my own Olympicthemed, Haring sport scene."





Put everything in front of you and get some card to draw on.



2 Draw the head, body, two bent and two straight arm and legs.



Carefully cut out all of these shapes with scissors.



Put them into a sporty pose and Blu Tack to coloured paper.



Trace around your figure with black marker pen.



6 Cut it out and glue it to another coloured background sheet.



Add in extra details. This character is now a fencer.



Repeat with different sporty poses until your sheet is full.

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