Hot Air Balloon 1

What you will need:

- one blown up balloon
- water
- strips of newspaper (cut or torn up)
- one bowl
- two pipe cleaners, each cut in half
- sticky tape
- one disposable or recycled light container (such as a paper cup or small yoghurt container)
- craft paint
- PVA glue

What to do:

1. Mix the PVA glue and water together in a bowl to make a paste.

2. Put the newspaper in the glue and water mixture, a few strips at a time.

3. Starting at the top, stick the paper onto the balloon several layers thick. Leave a hole at the bottom to form the mouth of the hot air balloon.
4. When the paper is dry you can paint it.

5. Once the paint is dry, pop the balloon with a pin and carefully remove it from the paper shell.

6. Decorate the container to make it look like a balloon basket.

7. Stick one end of the pipe cleaner on the inside of the paper balloon. Do this with the remaining pipe cleaners.

8. Stick the other end of the pipe cleaners into the inside of the container.

You have now constructed a model of a hot air balloon!