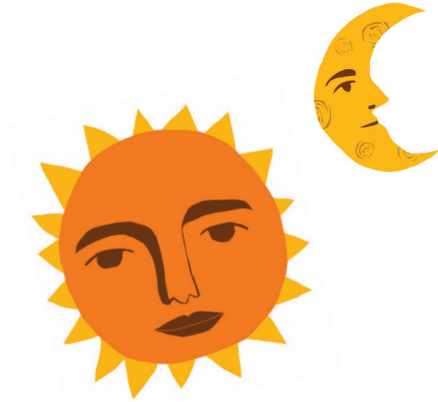


The Magic Flute is an opera by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart which was first performed in 1791. It is a fairy tale filled with themes such as good versus evil, love and friendship, light and darkness, and is still one of the most popular operas performed today! To learn all about the story, tune into **Play Opera** and use our resources to make your own *The Magic Flute* themed props at home.



Sun and Moon

Create your own sun and moon props in time for your next performance! Inspired by *The Magic Flute*, make your very own colourful and shiny moon, sun and star to dangle and twinkle at home.



Print out the files for the sun and the moon.

Glue the print outs to pieces of thin card. Maybe use an empty cereal packet? Ask an adult for help.

When the glue is dry cut carefully around the sun, the moon, and the little star shape which is next to the moon.

First let's make the sun. Cut some thin strips of yellow or golden coloured paper. If you haven't got any then paint or colour in some plain paper.

You'll need:

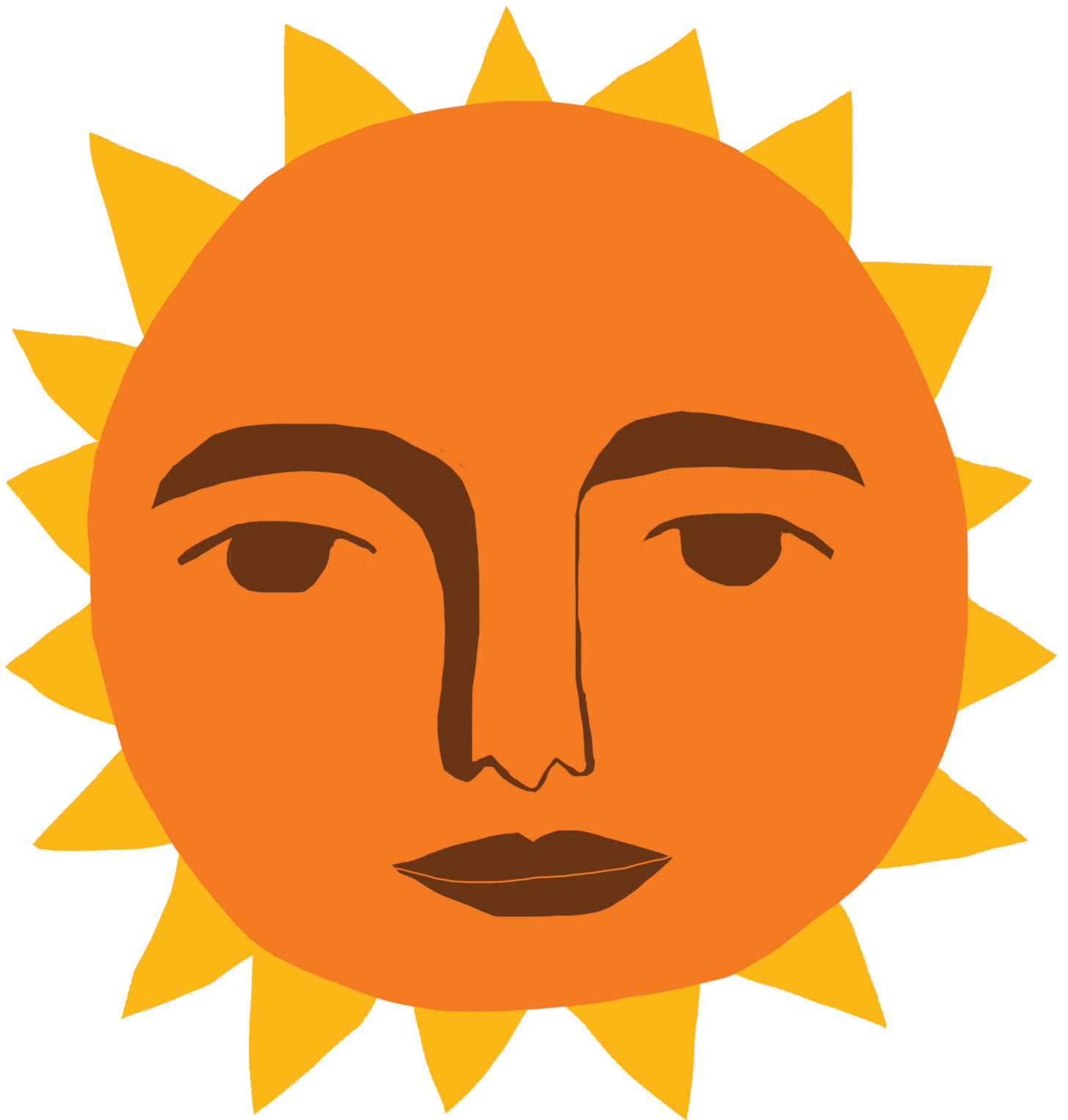
- A printer and printer paper
- Scissors
- Very thin card
- Glue
- Sunshine coloured paper (paint or colour some in if you like)
- Tin foil or grey paint and glitter
- String, wool or ribbon
- Sticky tape

Use tape to attach the strips of paper to the back of the sun, so they hang down like sun beams.

Next cover the little star shape in tin foil. Or use grey paint or pens and pencils to colour it in and add glitter, or anything sparkly. Hang the star from the back of the top point of the moon using string, wool or ribbon.

Decide if you'd like to hang your sun and moon with string, or use tape to attach something like a wooden spoon or a long cardboard tube so you can hold them up.

Your sun and moon props are now ready for your next performance!



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