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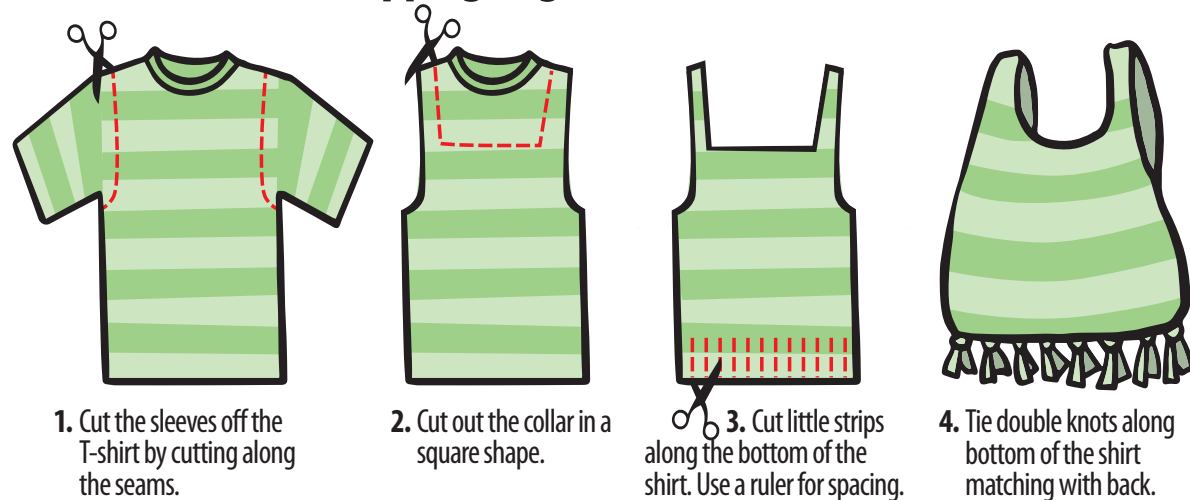


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Re-Think Holiday Gift-Giving: Make a Gift from a T-shirt!

Have you outgrown a favorite T-shirt and you don't want to get rid of it? You can turn it into a gift for a friend or family member and give it a new life!

Make a Reusable Shopping Bag



Memory Jar Gift



1. Clean out a jar.
2. Use paints and stickers to decorate the jar and the lid.
3. Tape these instructions on the inside of the lid:

TO: _____

This is your 2022 Memory Jar! Each day, write down at least one good thing that happened on that day and place the slip of paper in this jar. If you're having a bad day, open the jar and relive a happier memory. At the end of the year, you'll have at least 365 reasons to smile as you look back at 2022!

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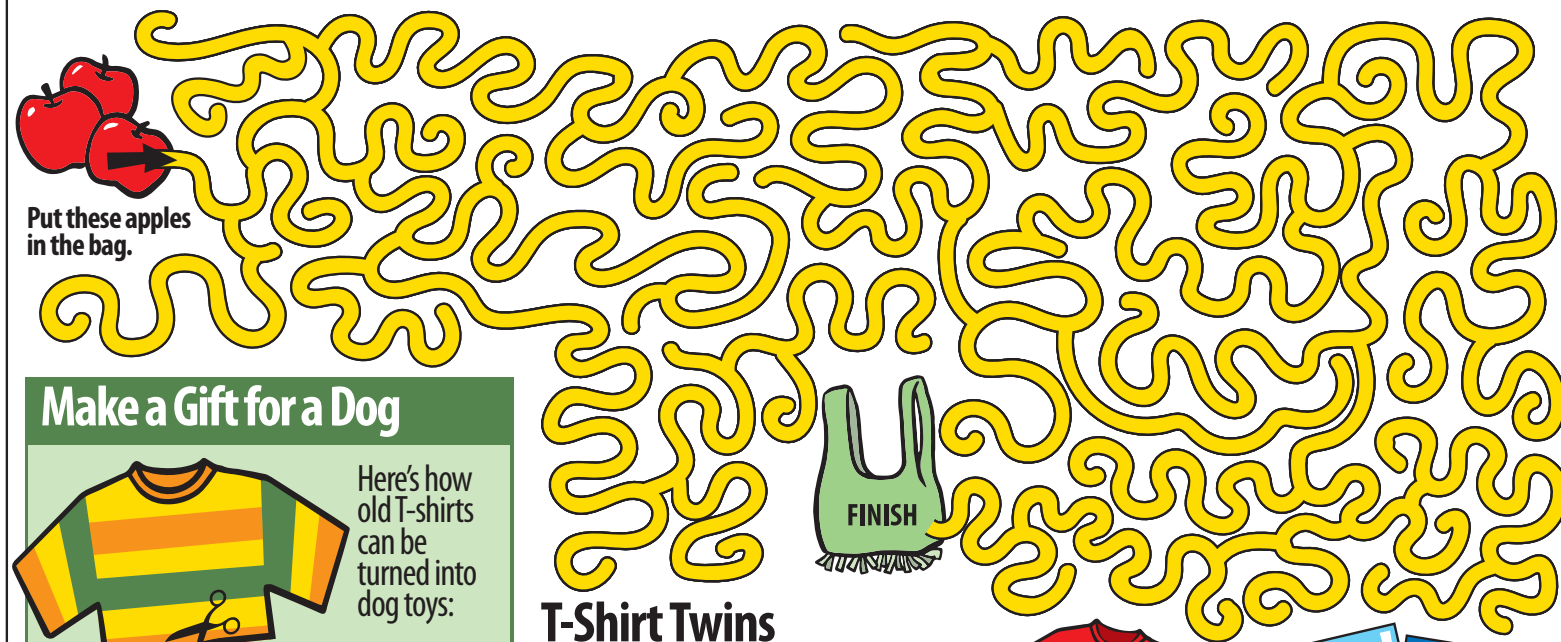
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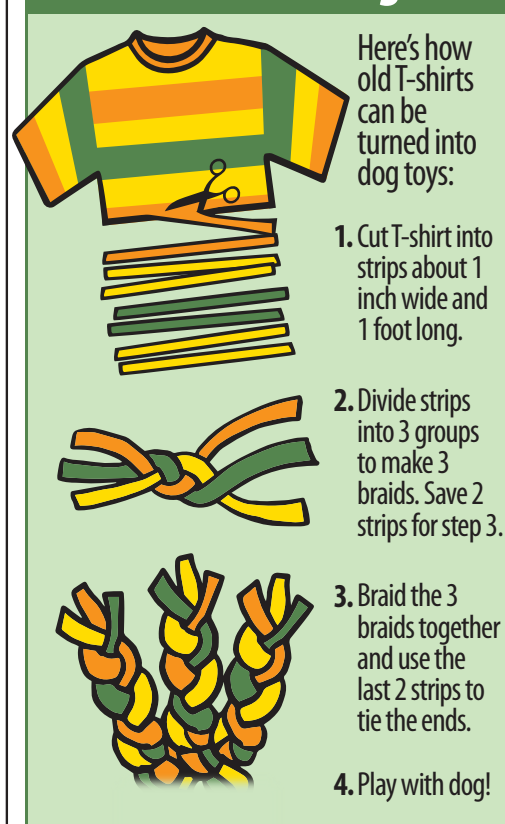
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Put these apples in the bag.

Make a Gift for a Dog



Here's how old T-shirts can be turned into dog toys:

1. Cut T-shirt into strips about 1 inch wide and 1 foot long.
2. Divide strips into 3 groups to make 3 braids. Save 2 strips for step 3.
3. Braid the 3 braids together and use the last 2 strips to tie the ends.
4. Play with dog!

T-Shirt Twins

Can you find the two T-shirts that are exactly the same?



Extra! Extra! Holiday Scavenger Hunt

How many of the following can you find in today's newspaper?

- Christmas Tree
- Reindeer
- Elves
- Wrapped packages
- Happy faces
- Cookies

Standards Link: Research: Use the newspaper to locate information.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

How many T-shirts do you see?



Double Double Word Search

- FAVORITE REUSABLE SHOPPING OUTGROWN HOLIDAY FRIEND SQUARE SHIRT BRAID KNOTS GIFT TOYS NEW DOG OLD

Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?

F	G	N	I	P	P	O	H	S	O
A	E	I	B	R	A	I	D	U	H
V	O	L	D	O	G	E	T	H	
O	T	L	B	I	R	G	O	S	O
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I	I	T	U	D	S	O	A	Y	I
T	H	Q	W	G	N	U	G	O	D
E	S	N	I	K	F	W	E	N	A
T	D	N	E	I	R	F	S	R	Y

Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognize identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

Newspaper Search Game Gift

Create your own newspaper scavenger hunt game. For example: Smile search, Sports search, Animal search, etc. Then give the game instructions and a newspaper as a gift.

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written instructions.

What does Mrs. Claus say when it's cloudy on Christmas Eve?



ANSWER: "Looks like rain, dear!"

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