

# DAZZLE DEN

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Nagada II-Dynasty I (c. 3600-3000 BC), Egypt

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Chameleons and octopuses change the colours of their skin to blend in with their surroundings, but some other animals use dazzle camouflage, like zebras.



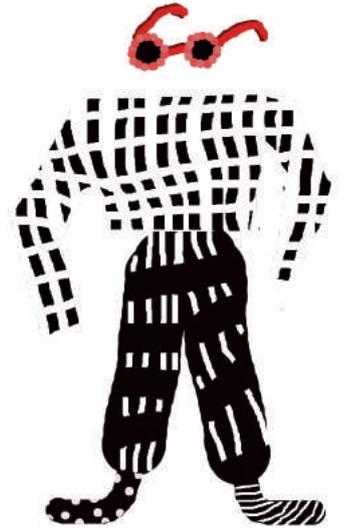
Dazzle camouflage is made of strong patterns that dazzle our eyes and confuse our brains. Some dazzle patterns are black and white, and others are full of colour. We're going to wear dazzle clothes and make dazzle dens - structures with lots of pattern and colour to play in.



# Instructions

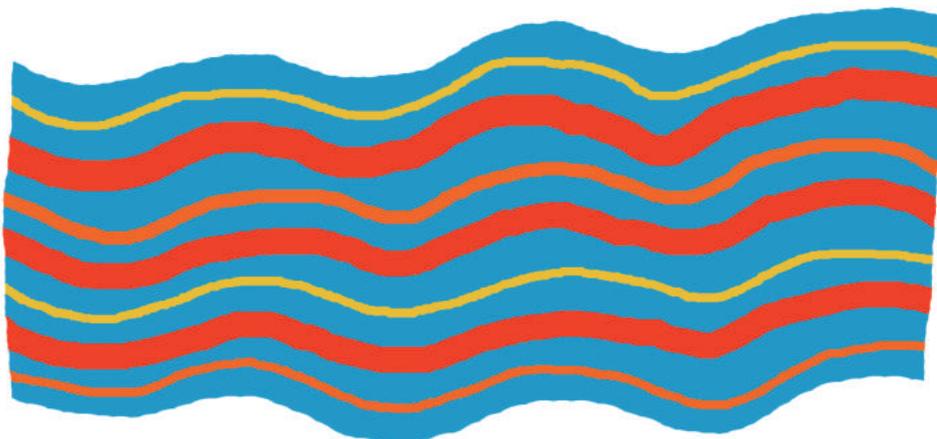
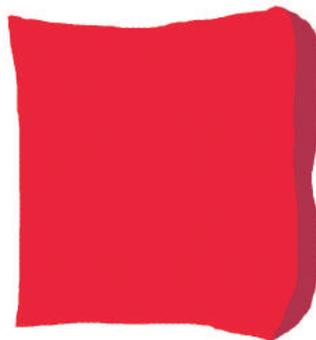
## 1. Choose your dazzle clothes

Wear black and white or bright colours or clashing patterns! Stripes, zig zags, polka dots, animal prints. Wear odd socks! Accessories: do you have a hat, a cape, a hairband? How about some sunglasses to stop your eyes being dazzled?



## 2. Collecting

To make the dazzle den find some duvet covers, sheets, blankets and cushions that are colourful or have a pattern.





### 3. Assemble!

Construct your den - it could be outside or inside, on the sofa, under the table, in your bedroom. Drape your blankets and duvet covers, arrange your cushions.



## 4. Play!



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