



CRAFTING CONNECTIONS



MARCH

Let's explore the month of March together in this Crafting Connections pack.

How will you be spending World Book Day? Will you be sharing stories that you love or dressing up as your favourite character? This would be a great picture to include in your March snapshot.

Let's hear it for the girls! This month we see International Women's Day and Mother's Day in the same week. Can you think of someone special you would like to celebrate?

Some people celebrate Easter. Will the Easter bunny be paying you a visit? Perhaps you'll have something yummy to eat, like chocolate eggs or hot cross buns. If you have any special plans for the Easter weekend be sure to share them with your friend or tell them about any other traditions you have.

“Our residents look forward to getting their monthly packs, but it's not just about the artwork, it's about the friendships they've built up.”
Care home staff



YOUR CHALLENGE -

Decorate the Easter egg using paint or colouring pens/pencils. You could get creative and cover it in tissue paper or add bits to make it sparkle.

Remember this is just for inspiration. You could create something entirely different if you prefer. Whatever you choose to create will bring joy to your friend.

Tips for Carers

If you or your resident have been enjoying any Easter chocolate, why not save the foil and use it to decorate the egg template.

Friendship stories

We love sharing stories about special friendships, here's one between Joan and Maude. Resident Joan told us, *"I love the friendship I have built up with Maude and look forward to hearing her news and receiving her picture every month, it always makes my day"*.

Her friend Maude will be happy to hear this, as she said, *"I enjoy helping people who may be lonely"*.



Would you and your pal like your friendship to be featured in one of our packs? To appear in a future pack and on our website, nominate yourself and your friend! Email hello@craftingconnections.org.uk

Want to send extra goodies to your friend, like photos or other craft? Scan this QR code to find out what is (and isn't) OK to include.



Remember - 1st April is your last posting date
(your friend can't wait to see what you create!)

Share with us!

Use #CraftingConnections and tag @together_proj on Twitter and Instagram or 'The Together Project' on Facebook. Or, email hello@craftingconnections.org.uk

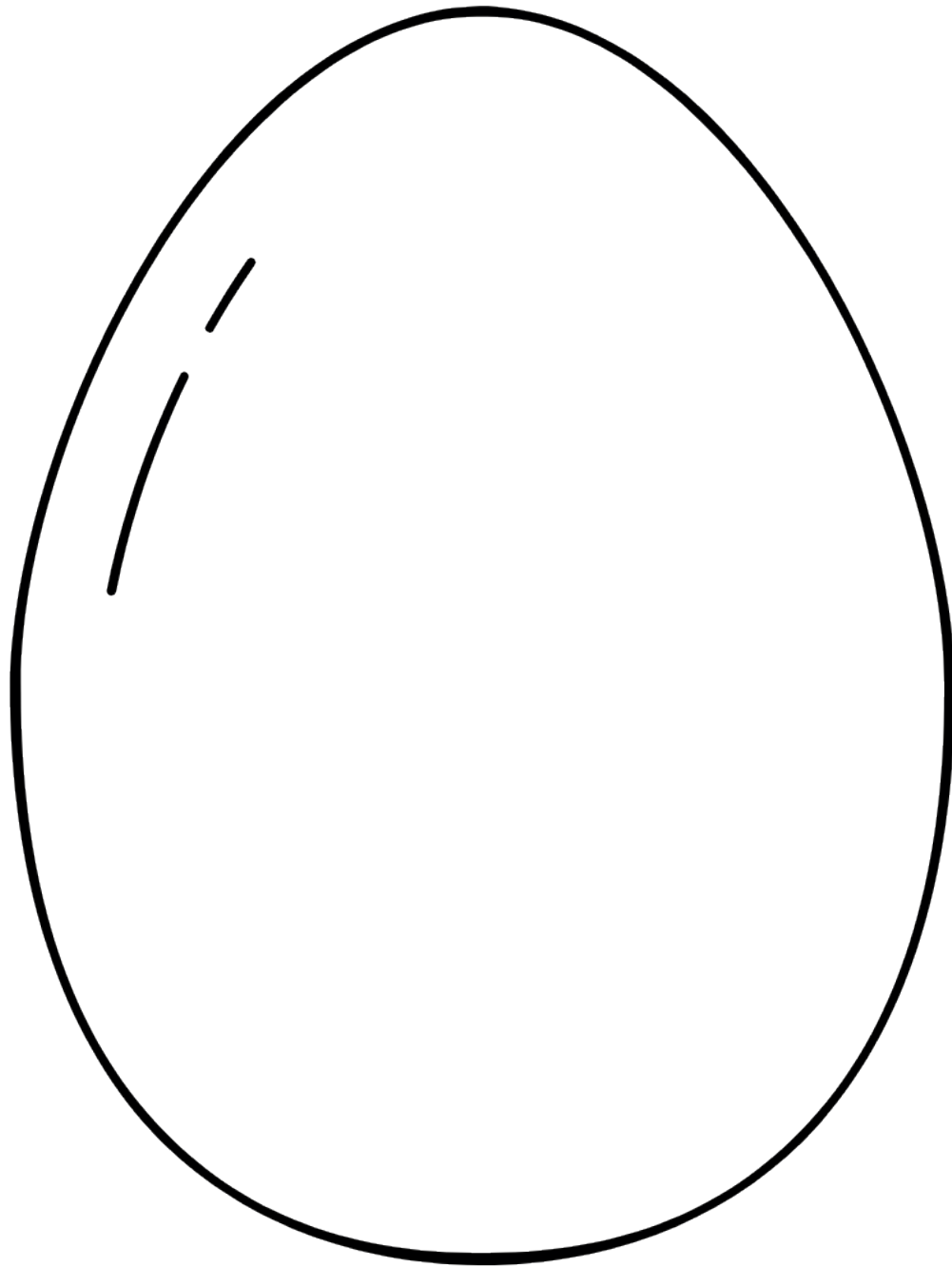
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Here's my Eggsellent Easter picture.

By:



Let your friend know what is your favourite thing to eat at Easter time? Do you love chocolate or prefer something different?

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Residence Name

A snapshot of my month!

Share a peek into your life with your Crafting Connections friend. Describe what you have been up to this month. Feel free to add photos or draw pictures in the space provided below.

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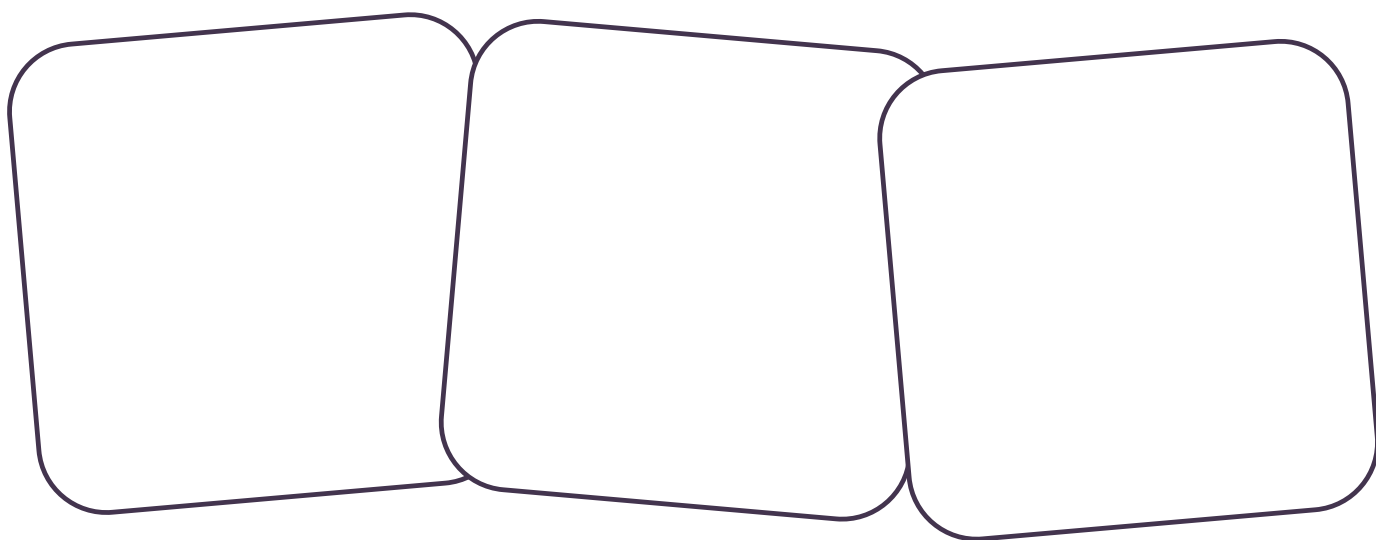
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ASK & TELL

Answer your friend's questions here, then ask them something else.

You asked me:

My answer:

Here's a new question for you: