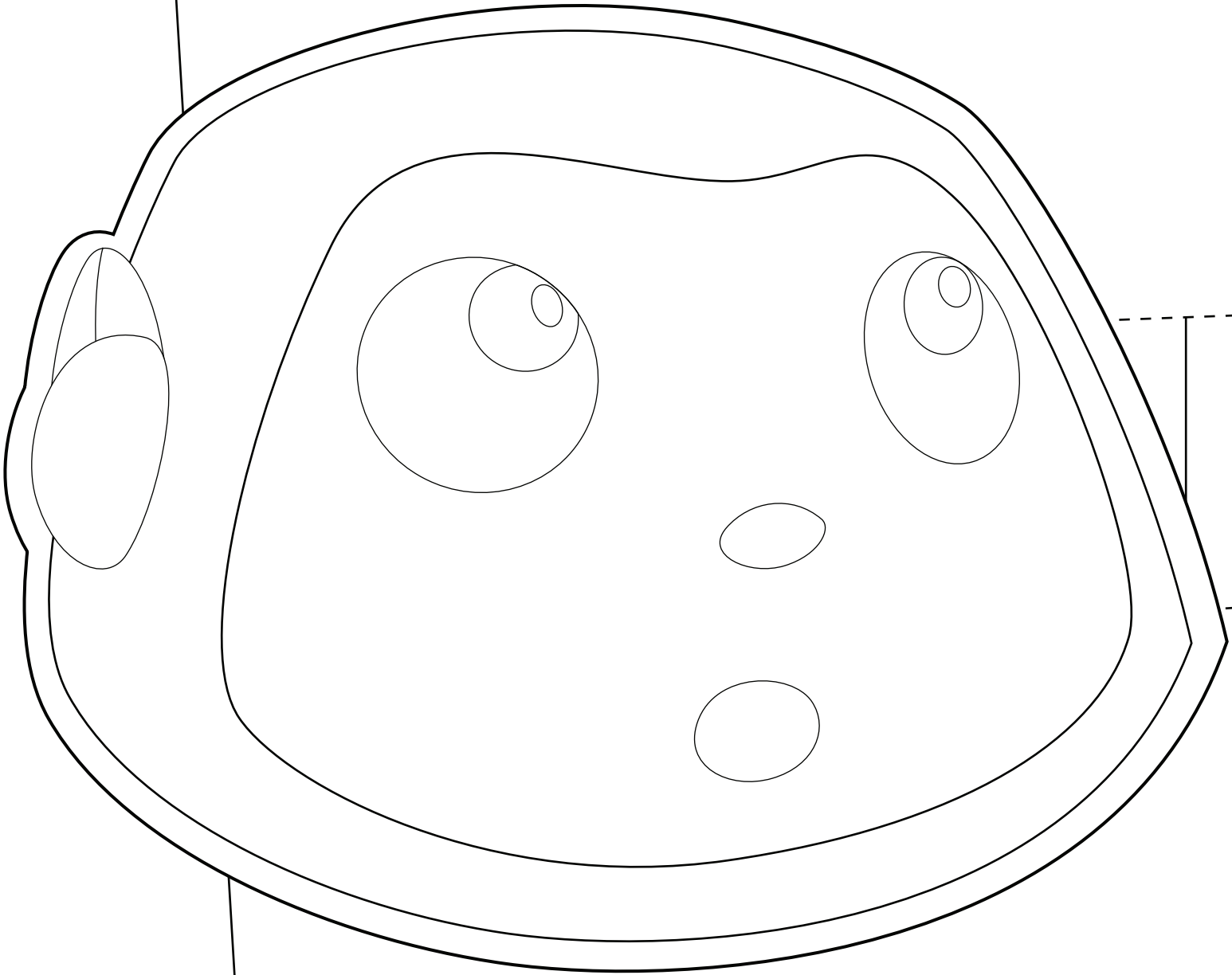


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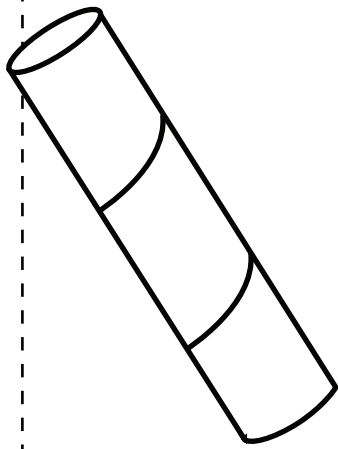


STEM ACTIVITY

WHAT YOU NEED

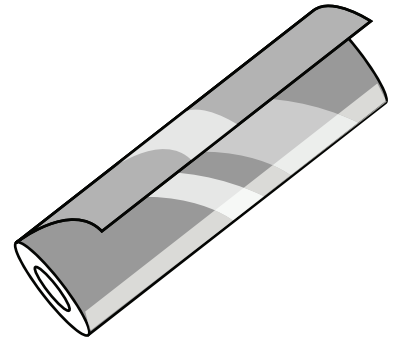
PAPER TOWEL TUBE

Or you can make a roll out of cardstock.



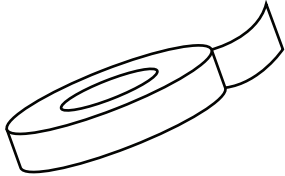
ALUMINUM FOIL

You'll need a sheet about the size of printing paper.



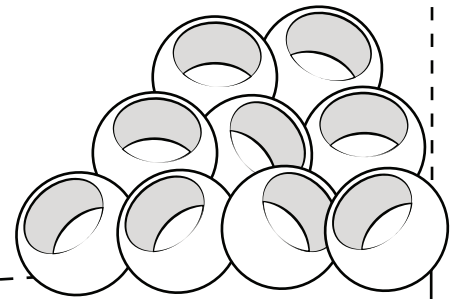
TAPE

Packaging or duct tape works best.



CRAFT BEADS OR DRIED BEANS

Many different things can be used.
Just make sure that it's small and safe for kids.



DIRECTIONS

STEP 1

Tape one end of the paper towel tube shut. Scrunch up the aluminum foil into about the length of the tube. Pour your beads or beans into the tube, then slide the aluminum foil on top.

STEP 2

Tape the other side of the tube shut; then decorate the rainstick with construction paper, crayons and any other art supplies.

STEP 3

Slowly turn the rain stick upside down. Alternate to make the sound of rain.

MIMICKING SOUND

A foley artist is someone who uses everyday items to recreate the natural ambient sounds for film and TV. Our everyday objects make a sound that sounds like rain. What are some different ways you could make storm sounds?

