

Cotton Stick Skeletons

YOU'LL NEED: COTTON SWAB STICKS, BLACK PAPER, WHITE CRAYON, GLUE

Start with a piece of black paper. The white bones and crayon will show up on the black background- this is called **CONTRAST**!

Draw a skull shape for the head with white crayon (or paste on a cut out skeleton skull).

Now lay out the bones for the body of your skeleton! You'll need a **spine** (back), **arms**, **legs**, and **ribs**. Some bones are longer and you can use a whole cotton stick. Some bones are shorter-- cut one in half to create a **joint** (bending place) like for our **elbows** and **knees**.



Once you've arranged your skeleton's bones, you can glue them into place.