

## You will need:

- A toilet roll inner
- Paint, paintbrush, pot
- Marker Pen
- Scissors
- Messy apron



## Make Your Own Toilet Roll Octopus



Ask an adult to help you with scissors and cutting out



- From halfway down the toilet roll inner, use the maker pen, to divide the toilet roll inner into eight strips
- To space them evenly. it helps if you draw one line then the next the opposite side of the toilet roll inner.
- Then draw the next line in between the two and the next opposite that etc.





- Cut along each line to divide the bottom half of the toilet roll inner into eight tentacles
- Roll up each tentacle around a pencil to make it curl.
- If necessary, bend it further by hand.

- Give your octopus a coat of paint and leave it to dry. Don't forget the bottom edges of the tentacles – you will see them!
- With the marker pen, draw some eyes and a smiley face
- Now, give your octopus a name!





Take a look at the other eggbox and toilet roll sea-life characters you can make. You could draw or write a story about them. Have fun!