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Enrichment is an activity for animals to encourage their natural behaviours.



MAKE AN ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY FOR YOUR CAT OR DOG

Use the below steps to create a simple enrichment activity for your cat or dog at home as the zookeepers do for the animals at Dublin Zoo.



STEP 1:

Gather your materials

- Colouring pencils or crayons
- Treats for your cat or dog
- Cardboard tube
- Tape
- Scissors



STEP 2:

Take the cardboard tube and fold in the ends of the cardboard so that they look like two v shapes.



STEP 3:

Take the opposite straight sides and tape together as shown in the picture.



STEP 4:

Decorate the tube with some crayons or colouring pencils. Place some cat or dog treats into the tube.



STEP 5:

Seal the other end of the tube as before using some tape.

Give the enrichment toy to your cat or dog and watch how they use their amazing animal instincts to seek out the treats from the parcel.