

Tom and Marshall

The two brothers in today's story – Tom and Marshall. Do you remember what they were arguing about?

What if you could change the ending? How could you change the ending of the story so that Tom and Marshall care for each other?

We are going to give you a chance to re-do the storyline! There are a couple of options in this craft. If you have access to the necessary craft supplies, we will show you how to create two pipe cleaner men. You can then either photograph them and make a cartoon using your photos OR you could create a stop animation story!

If you don't have access to pipe cleaners and straws. We have created a cartoon grid in the following page. Use your creativity and cartooning skill to make your own cartoon.

If making pipe cleaner men you will need (for 2 men):

- Six pipe cleaners
- Two straws
- 10 pony beads
- 2 wooden beads
- Scissors

If drawing a cartoon you will need:

- Cartoon template (following)
- Pencil/pen

Instructions – Pipe cleaner men

1. Take 3 pipe cleaners and twist them together in the centre.
2. Spread the pipe cleaners out so you have two legs, two arms out either side and two pipe cleaners pointing up towards the head.
3. Take 3 pony beads and thread them over both legs until they reach the arms (this will be the body)
4. Cut eight pieces of straw – four about 1-1.5 cm, and four about 2 cm in length.
5. Thread two of the 1.5cm pieces of straw along one arm and fold the rest of the pipe cleaner into a hand – a large loop for the hand, and a small loop for the thumb. Chop off any excess pipe cleaner. Repeat on the other arm.
6. Thread one piece of 2cm straw followed by a pony bead, followed by another 2 cm piece of straw onto the leg. Loop the remaining pipe cleaner into a foot shape. Repeat on the other leg.
7. Take the large wooden bead and thread it through both pipe cleaners facing upwards (forms the head). Curl the excess pipe cleaner into hair and trim off any you don't need.
8. Repeat the above for a second pipe cleaner man.



