

Lesson Ideas – Make a mummy

You will need:

- ☑ 12 pak rolls of toilet paper
- ☑ lots of trinkets for amulets (sweets, CDs, old computer games, coins, pens etc)

Have the class split into groups of at least 3 students per group or about 6 groups for a class.

You are to select the “amulets” and discuss what ideals they represent before starting the mummification process.

Each group shall select a deceased to be mummified. The remaining members are to wrap their deceased neatly in toilet paper just like a mummy leaving the mouth and eyes uncovered. While they are wrapping their mummy they are to place the trinkets as amulets under the wrappings, naming the representation of that amulet as they do so. A sweet as an amulet can represent food as a blessing for the afterlife, a CD as a blessing for music in the afterlife and so on. The rest is up to your imagination. Remember to make sure you have your camera as this will make a great display at the next parent teacher night!

