

## Fun Flossing Art Project

*Learn how to floss with this interactive art project*

### Goal(s) Addressed

- Student will learn important dental hygiene.
- Student will be able to use “pincer grasp” (thumb and pointer finger) to pick up items.
- Student will use hand eye coordination.



### Materials Needed

1. Construction paper
2. Egg carton
3. White paint
4. Play-Doh (green and brown)
5. Floss and toothpicks
6. Glue

### Layout

*How should the room look? Where are the student's placed? When will this be taught?*

- Students should be seated at a table with newspaper underneath.

### Activity

*Describe each step in detail. Include key vocabulary.*

1. Cut a part of an egg carton and paint white.
2. Let dry, then glue down to the construction paper into the shape of a mouth.
3. After it has dried, put Play-Doh in between the egg cartons.
4. Use the floss and toothpicks to remove the Play-Doh.

### Accommodations/Modifications/Adaptations

*How can this lesson be adapted by kids with special needs?*

- Students can watch parents first attempt the activity.
- Assist students on how to hold the floss.

*Post a picture or video of your students completing the activity and don't forget to tag us!*