

# Orange pomander



### This activity kit contains:

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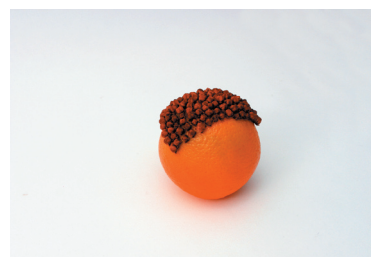
### Things you need:

- a ripe, thin skinned orange (or other citrus fruit)
- tissue paper
- toothpicks
- cloves
- orris root powder and cinnamon powder
- scissors
- bowl
- coloured ribbon

**1** Starting at the stem end, use a toothpick to pierce the skin of the orange and push a clove into the fruit.



**2** Continue to stud the orange with cloves, placing them very close together, until the surface of the fruit is completely covered.



**3** Mix one tablespoon of orris root and one tablespoon cinnamon powder. Roll the orange in the mixture, pressing in the powder so it is well covered.



**4** Wrap the orange in tissue and put it in a dark, dry cupboard. Check every few days to make sure it's dry, and re-wrap if necessary.



**5** After about two weeks, unwrap your hard, dry pomander and tie a coloured ribbon around it. (Or you could put the pomander into a small net bag.)



**6** Hang your finished orange pomander in your wardrobe to keep the moths away!

