



124 Creative Ways To Reuse The Newspaper

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Newspapers in Education Department

1. Cover your head when it rains
2. Line your bird cage or other pet cages (rabbit, hamster...etc)
3. Use as an apron
4. Use as a bib
5. Cut into pieces and make a puzzle
6. Make a fireman's hat
7. Shade the sun from your eyes
8. Make mulch for your garden
9. Potty train house pets
10. Wrap fish and other goop in it
11. Clean fish on it
12. Practice writing capital letters
13. Use to pack with when moving
14. Roll into fireplace logs
15. Use as a blanket for bench sleeping
16. Roll up to make telescope
17. Practice your cutting skills
18. Clean car windows
19. Make spit balls
20. Hang as temporary curtains for your home
21. Put on floor when painting
22. Use for wrapping gifts
23. Use as emergency toilet paper
24. Use as insulation
25. Clip & paste letters for writing ransom notes
26. Create a rustling sound effect for home movies
27. Start a fire with it
28. Make into house slippers
29. Roll up to make a megaphone
30. Stand on pile to appear tall
31. Make a collage
32. Use as a temporary cast
33. Use as a shoehorn
34. Make a fan
35. Empty vacuum cleaner on it
36. Fix hole in shoe
37. Keep flowers fresh until you get them into a vase
38. Put on floor when you shell pecans
39. Spank your dog
40. Make confetti
41. Scoop up dead bugs
42. Finger-paint on it
43. Stuff in wet boots to help them dry
44. Insulate water pipes in winter
45. Swat flies
46. Use rolled up to beat rug
47. Line the trash can
48. Make a kite
49. Paper your friend's yard
50. Clean your feet on
51. Use as funnel for filling gas tank
52. Make patterns for sewing
53. A must for silly putty users
54. Keep kitchen clean when transferring potted plants
55. Use for ironing ties
56. Make printer's hats
57. Stuff in shirt to make muscles
58. Feed a goat
59. Absorb things you spill
60. Make paper dolls
61. Hide behind at dinner table
62. Use for tablecloth at picnic
63. A source for rubber bands
64. Collect as a hobby
65. Make yourself look important by carrying it
66. Use as a doorstop
67. Use as disposable plate when eating watermelon
68. Use in magic tricks
69. Tear strips for birthday party streamers
70. Save the seat next to you
71. Make a Christmas wreath
72. Take out frustration by tearing and throwing
73. Collect hair when cutting
74. Blot your lipstick
75. Pack the ice cream freezer
76. Test out your new paper weight
77. Practice stapling
78. Make people think you're not at home
79. Stuff pillows
80. Use under the car when you have an oil leak
81. Backing for wax transfers
82. Make a dummy for Halloween
83. Stuff a scarecrow
84. Place under kitty litter box to catch litter
85. Make paper mache'
86. Make a paper chain
87. Cut out a comic and use as a bookmark
88. Use as temporary bases in baseball
89. Make Origami
90. Mask your car for painting
91. Use as a coaster for cold drinks
92. Use as a dartboard
93. Make a paper boat
94. Use to fix holes in your wall
95. Make a book
96. Clean chalkboard
97. Use as a place mat when eating messy food
98. Cover your paper during tests
99. Make comic books
100. Use paper as a bulletin board background
101. Clean eyeglasses
102. Practice for big-league basketball
103. Fold up a page and make your wallet look impressive
104. Make your hat fit better
105. A wrapper for used chewing gum
106. Collect the yellow from the sun
107. Good for breaking windows, screen doors, etc.
108. Exercise your grip
109. Teach dog to fetch
110. Use as backing for magic marker art projects
111. Sit on it at football games in the rain
112. Use as a place mat for office coffee pot
113. Use as a dust pan
114. Use as a book cover
115. Protect your shoes from the rain
116. Make a paper airplane
117. Give subscription as a gift
118. Tape up as temporary replacement for broken window
119. Fill Santa Claus' belly
120. Use as worm food
121. Roll into tubes to build geodesic dome
122. Create a scrapbook of important stories
123. Use the comic pages to wrap up birthday gifts
124. Re-read it!

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