Make art with the Art Gallery of New South Wales
Magical masks
Artists love to create. They make drawings, prints, paintings, sculptures and other things for us to look at. They use colours, patterns and shapes and all sorts of different materials. Looking at their art can encourage us to get creative too.

Do you love to make things?

Create your own mask inspired by these colourful artworks from the Gallery’s collection.

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Cut out the shapes on the following pages and have fun decorating them!
left: Norman Lindsay
Harlequin 1926, watercolour, Art Gallery of New South Wales, gift of Howard Hinton 1927;
above: Derby Harlequin c1772-75, soft-paste porcelain, Art Gallery of New South Wales, on loan from Kenneth Reed;
cover: Thea Proctor
The mask c1935 (detail), pencil, watercolour on silk, Art Gallery of New South Wales, purchased 1968
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You will need:
Scissors
Sticky tape
Textas or colouring pencils
Feathers
Stick-on gemstones
String or elastic so you can wear you mask
Your imagination!