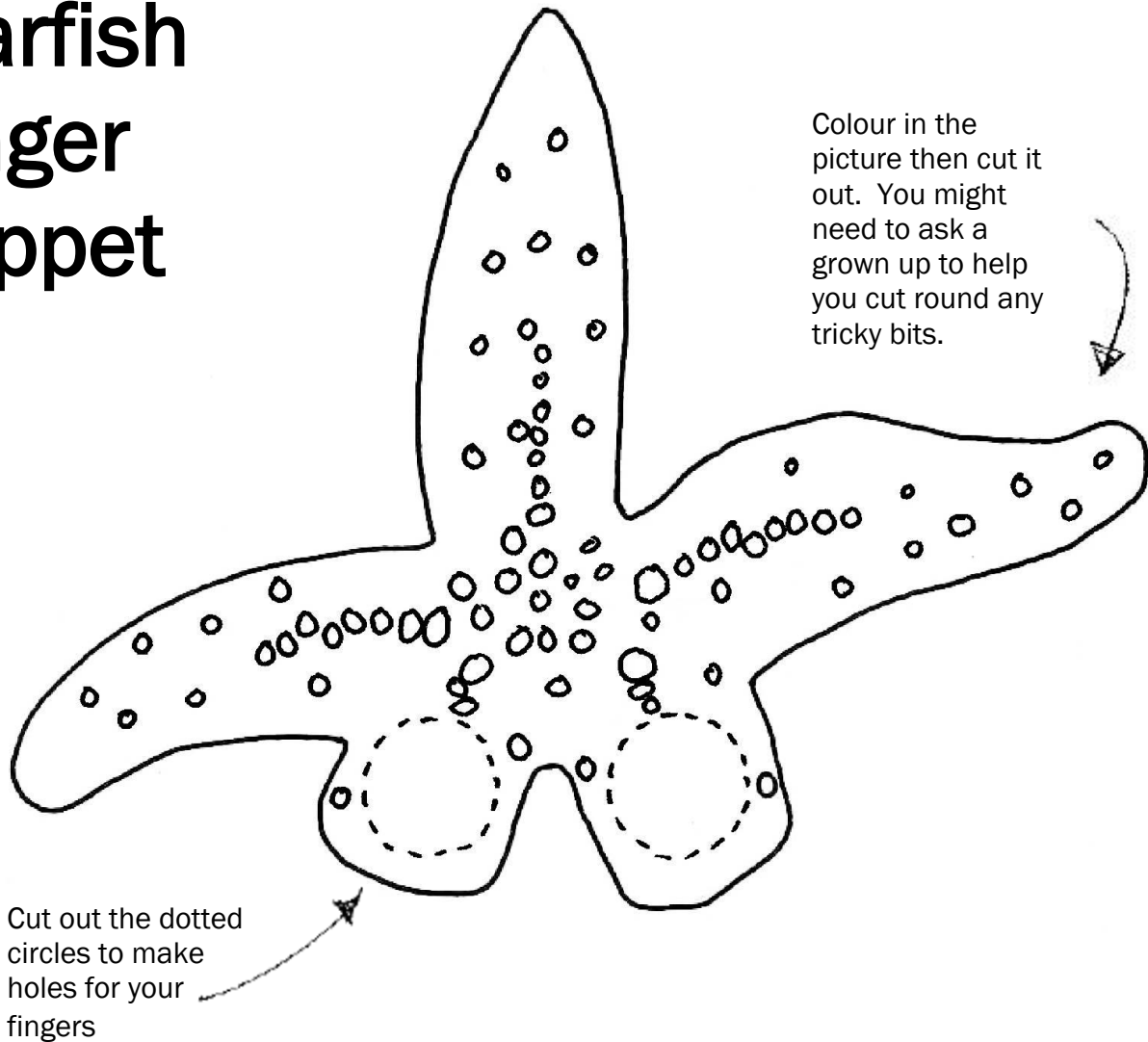


Common Starfish Finger Puppet



Common Starfish - facts

The Common Starfish is our commonest starfish. It has 5 'legs' and usually measures 10 to 30 cm across, but can sometimes grow up to 50 cm across.

Found from the lower shore and further out. Usually orange in colour, with many small pale spines, but sometimes pale purple or brownish.

It is a predator, feeding on shellfish including cockles, mussels and barnacles.