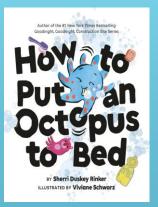


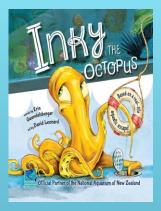
## **Books on Overdrive**



How to Put an Octopus to Bed by Sherri Duskey Rinker <u>Check it out!</u>



*Roof Octopus* by Lucy Branam <u>Check it out!</u>



*Inky' the Octopus* by Erin Guendelsberger <u>Check it out!</u>



Take Your Octopus to School Day by Audrey Vernick Check it out!



## Mr. Octopus Song

Once I saw an octopus In the deep blue sea.

I called, "Mr. Octopus, Won't you swim with me?"

*Then out came his tentacles, Oh so long and straight,* 

One and two and three and four, Five, six, seven and eight. SEA ANIMALS pinkfong

> Ooh La la, Octopus by Pinkfong <u>Click here to sing along!</u>



## **Pipe Cleaner Octopus**

- 1) Gather all your pipe cleaners together, bind up one end with a rubber band.
- 2) Splay out the gathered pipe cleaners, then rearrange them so that they alternate colors. Then wrap the pipe cleaners around the Styrofoam ball.
- 3) Bind the pipe cleaners together on the other side of the ball with the other rubber band.
- 4) Take two pipe cleaners of different colors and wind them together so that they create a swirl pattern like a candy cane. Repeat for the rest of the pipe cleaners to create 8 legs.
- 5) Take a pencil or pen, then wrap a leg around it. Repeat for each leg until all of them are curly.
- 6) Glue the googly eyes to the head of your octopus.

**ENJOY!** 

## <u>Materials</u>

- 1 Styrofoam Ball
- 16 pipe cleaners (8 of one color, 8 of another)
- 2 Googly Eyes
- 2 Rubberbands
- Glue and Scissors

**OCTOPUS CRAFTS** for kids to make

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