## Talking Sock Puppet

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**Materials:**

Stretch sock, any size

Lightweight cardboard Buttons

Felt tip marker

Ball fringe

Ribbon scraps,

Yarn

Rubber cement for gluing

**Directions:**

1. Use the stretch sock to make the puppet's head and body.

2. Lay it flat on the table, heel side up.

3. Tuck about 2" of the toe back into the sock to form the puppet's mouth.

4. Sew a short seam on each side of the mouth opening to hold it in place.

5. Fold lightweight cardboard in half, sizing for the mouth, slip into puppet's head, forming top and bottom of mouth.

6. Slip the sock over your hand; your fingers will go above the cardboard at the top of the mouth, your thumb below the cardboard. Open and close your hand, puppet talks.

7. Add buttons for eyes, yarn for hair, and ball from fringe for nose.