

# Parent Guide: Pets – Fish

## Diving Fish, Rainbow Fish Foil Painting, Poppin' Bubbles

# 1

### Diving Fish

How do fish rise and sink in water? The answer makes sense when you think about it. And hopefully your fish will sink (not float – yikes)!

#### Supplies Needed:

- clear water bottle
- vegetable oil
- ketchup packets (the more the better)
- permanent marker
- hot glue gun and glue sticks (adult use)

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# 2

### Rainbow Fish Foil Painting

Such a fun and colorful painting project engaging fine motor skill practice to create friendly fish friends! Make one or make a whole school.

#### Supplies Needed:

- aluminum foil
- paper fish templates from website (or draw your own)
- paint
- qtips
- paint brushes
- scissors

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### Poppin' Bubbles

Grab a partner, some bubbles, and/or some sidewalk chalk. One person is the fish that blows the bubbles (or draws them in a pattern on the sidewalk) and the other is the shark that tries to catch the fish by following the trail of bubbles – popping them (or jumping on them) as they chomp their way around! Each bubble "popped" counts as 1 point. Bonus points if you can make fish lip sounds or shark jaw motions while you're at it! Then role reverse and see who wins!