

## DIGUISES BONUS

## MAKE YOUR OWN STENCELS

Why not try making your own stencils for face painting. This is a terrific way to learn face painting. Especially if you are not happy with your free hand designs. Or you are a beginning painter.

Get a piece of clear acetate or rigid plastic at a local craft store.

Draw or sketch your design on a piece of paper. Or find and print out a design you like on your computer.

**Pick** a simple design to start, like a star. This will be your stencil design. It might fit on a kid's cheek or forehead.

Tape your paper design to the piece of acetate along the edges. You should be able to see your design.

Place the taped paper and acetate on a cutting board.

Use a sharp craft knife and begin to carefully cut the stencil out. You might cut the paper too, and that's



