



TOP TIPS

★★★★★ GET SET UP ★★★★★



It's really easy to set up a simple animation studio at home.

BACKGROUND

A sheet of white paper makes a very simple white cove background, or you can draw a background scene.

MODELS

You can make your models out of absolutely anything.

LIGHTING

Get a desk lamp and aim it at your characters.

ANIMATION SOFTWARE

There are lots of different options when it comes to animation software. The Aardman Animator app is great for making stop motion animation. It's free to download from the App Store and Google Play.

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With most animation apps you touch the screen to capture a frame. To stop your device moving around, stick it to the table with sticky tack.

DEVICE

You can make animations on most phones and tablets. The Aardman Animator app is available in both iOS and Android.

STAND

You need to prop your device up to animate but you don't even need a proper stand, you can use a tin can. Make sure you don't obscure the camera view with the tin can.

TABLE

The co-founders of Aardman created their first animations on a kitchen table. You can do the same - just make sure you won't be interrupted by dinner!