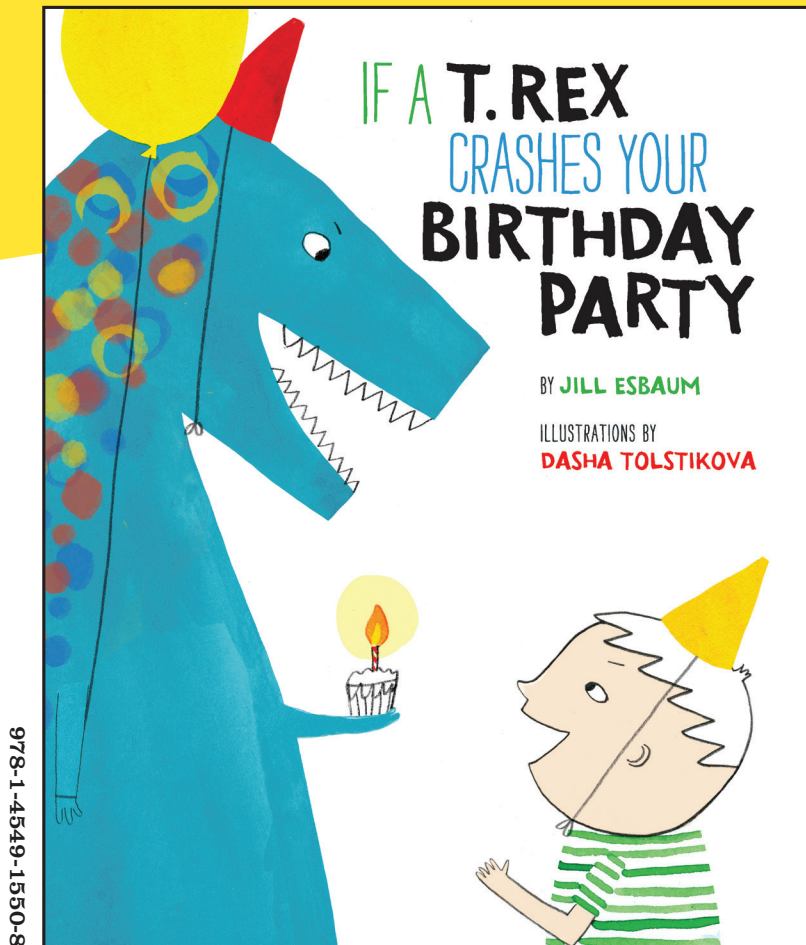


PARTY KIT!



IF A T.REX CRASHES YOUR BIRTHDAY PARTY

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If a T.rex crashes your birthday party, you'll probably be super excited. But someone should warn you about a few things. Someone who knows. Like me.

If a *Trex* crashes your birthday party, it will definitely be exciting! But maybe not in the ways you might think . . .

In the first place, a *Trex* is as big as a klutzy, crashy school bus. And he'll look at you like he's wondering how you'd taste with a little mustard. If that's not bad enough, he's got horrible breath. And his ten-inch nails are trouble in a bouncy castle. The list goes on and on!

But there *is* something special about a *Trex* hug—even with those tiny little arms.

Jill Esbaum's sweet picture book will delight young readers and leave them wishing that maybe, just maybe, a *Trex* might surprise them this year.

**Use the fun activities in this kit to throw your own *T.rex* party!
You never know who might crash it . . .**



PLEASE COME TO A T.REX PARTY!



TREATS!



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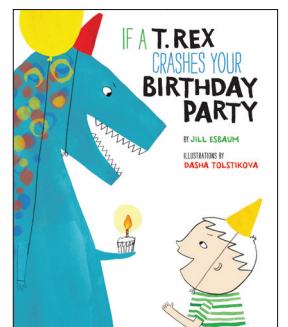


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PARTY CRASHER

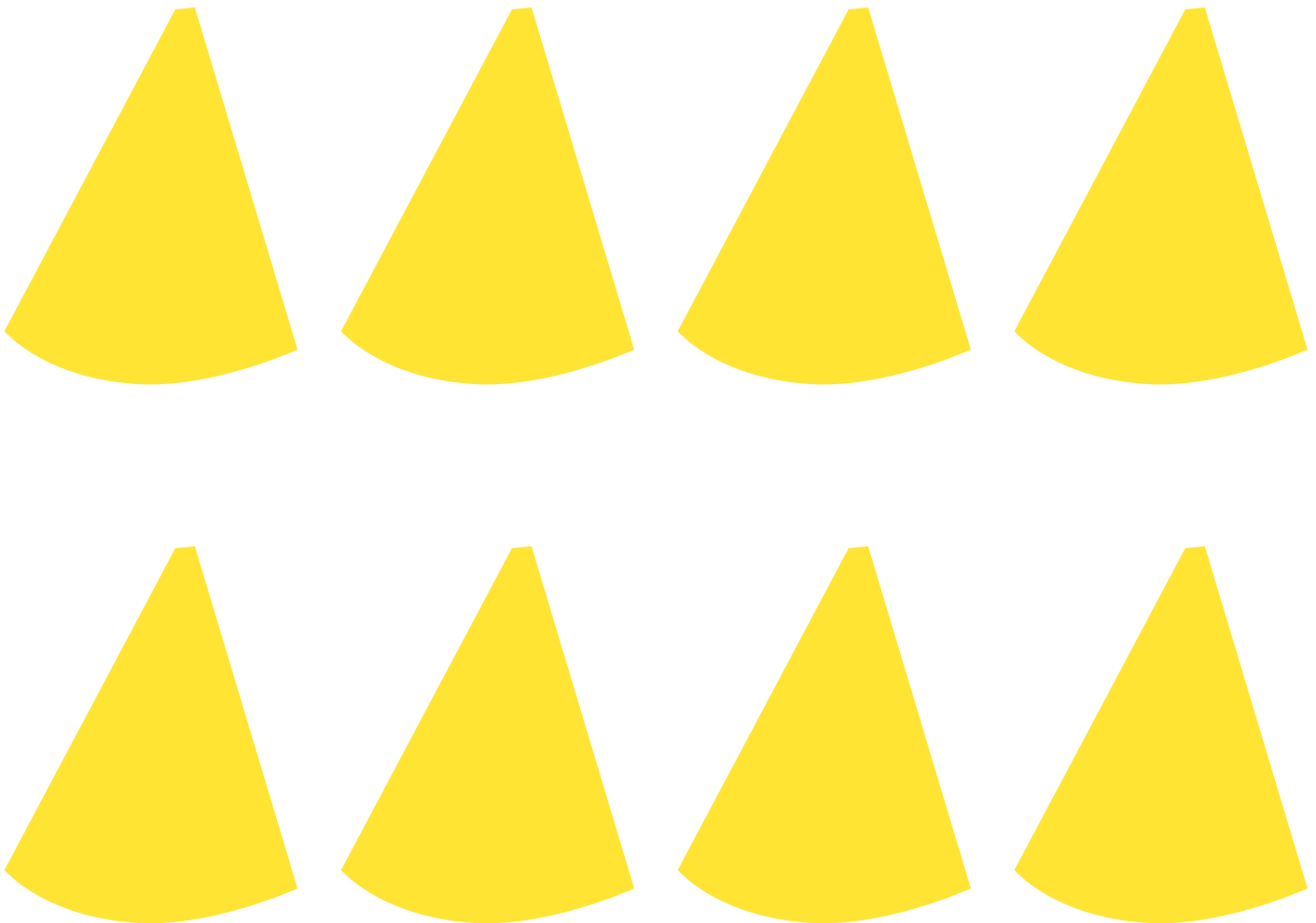
If a *T.rex* crashed your birthday party, what would you do?



PIN THE HAT ON THE T.REX GAME



Print this page and the *T.rex* on the following page using a color printer. Tape the *T.rex* to a blank wall at a child's eye level. Cut out the party hats and write each child's name on a hat. Put a circle of tape on the back of each hat. One by one, blindfold the party guests and give each the hat with his or her name on it. Spin each guest three times and direct him or her toward the pinned up *T.rex*. The child who places his or her hat closest to the *T.rex*'s head wins!

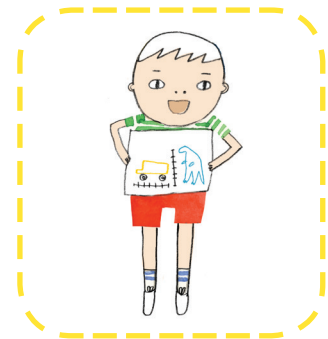
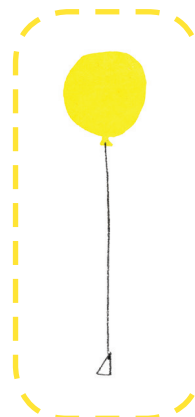
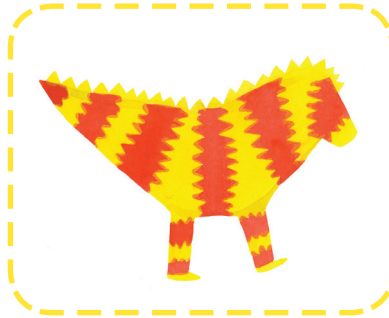
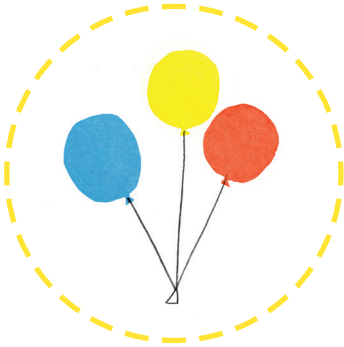


Bonus idea: Print the *T.rex* page on card stock using a color printer. Cut out the *T.rex* and affix a craft stick to the bottom to make a puppet!



CUPCAKE TOPPERS

Print this page on card stock using a color printer. Cut each image as indicated and tape a toothpick to the back of each so that the pick extends below the image. Insert each topper into a frosted cupcake. If you want your toppers to be two sided, just print two copies of this page and tape the images back-to-back with a toothpick in between.



Print this page on white paper using a color printer. Cut along the outside edge of the red border. Hold the semicircle (plain side facing up) with the flat edge along the top. Pull the two corners toward you to meet along the straight edge. Tape the two edges together to create a cone-shaped hat. Cut two 18-inch pieces of yarn and tape the end of each piece to the inside edge of your hat at the two sides. Place the hat on your head and tie the yarn under your chin. Now a klutzy *T.rex* can't knock it off your head!

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