Rubber-band figurine

You can create colourful 3D sculptures using nothing but regular rubber bands. Get your friends making them too, and you could set the record for the largest display of rubber-band figurines!

1. The building blocks for your figurine can be made by bunching together groups of about 20 bands.

2. Secure these bunches with more bands, then repeat as necessary to make your figurine’s arms, legs and torso.

3. Make a classic rubber-band ball for a head (see p.133 for instructions).

4. Use more bands to tie the arms, legs and head to the torso. Keep looping the bands until the body parts are firmly attached.

Guidelines

- This record is for the most rubber-band figurines displayed in one place simultaneously.
- The figurines can be made by an individual or a team.
- Each figurine must be made only from rubber bands – there can be no internal support structure. You may not use any form of glue or adhesive in the making of your figurines.
- The rubber bands must be standard, commercially available bands; any size and colour of band may be used.
- The figurines may be of varying sizes, but each sculpture must be in the shape of a human – i.e., with a minimum of a head, torso, two legs and two arms. The shape of the figure must also conform to the standard proportions of a human body. Guinness World Records reserves the right to disqualify any figurine that fails to demonstrate the classic body proportions or the necessary degree of artistic effort.
- To achieve the record, you must display the fully completed figurines in a public place.
- Two independent witnesses must oversee the final count.
- For full guidelines, and to register your application, please visit www.guinnessworldrecords.com/2019

You will need:

Lots and lots of rubber bands – they should be the regular, commercially available variety.