

Woven String Egg

You will need:

Water Balloons

PVA glue

Paint brush

Scissors

Large paint pot or bowl

Brightly coloured paints

A long length of string



Instructions



Blow up a water balloon. Also prepare the glue mix in a large container by mixing PVA glue and paint.



Put a large length of string into the glue and use the paint brush to ensure that the string gets completely covered.



Pull some of the string out, loop the end around the knot at the bottom of the balloon.



Wind the string around the balloon, criss-crossing it and keeping it as tight as possible. Continue until there are only small gaps between each line of string.



Once complete, secure the string around the end you began with and cut the excess off. Then place the balloon somewhere to dry completely.



Use a sharp pin or pair of scissors to snip a hole in the balloon. This will deflate it and leave the hollow shell of an egg.



Loop ribbon or string through to hang the egg or place in a bowl or nest.