

S.W.A.P. Box

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Recycle Materials:

discarded cd
2-liter pop bottle (clean with label removed)
yogurt lid with lip (recommend 6 ounce lid)
yarn scrap (atleast 6" long)
foam scraps
fabric remnant (cutting 13" diameter circle - iron to remove creases)
pony beads

Supplies:

Marker and Pencil	Glue
Scissors	Fine Sandpaper

NOTE: Adult supervision is recommended when cutting 2-liter pop bottles and ironing! For younger girls or to save time, an adult may want to precut the 2-liter pop bottles and iron fabric remnants prior to construction.

1. Carefully cut the 2-liter pop bottle in half and place top part of bottle in recycling bin. On the bottom part of bottle determine your desired height for the S.W.A.P. box. With the marker draw a line around the bottle slightly above your desired height. Carefully and slowly trim the bottle to your desired height keeping the cut as even as possible.
2. Gently remove any sharp edges or small cracks from the edge of the pop bottle with fine sandpaper. Set aside.
3. Lay the cd in front of you. Lay the yogurt lid in front you with the lip side down (you should be able to read the company logo or type of yogurt). Place glue evenly across the entire top of the yogurt lid. Glue to the center of the cd. Set aside.
4. Place your fabric remnant on the table in front of you, good side down. With a pencil draw a 13" diameter circle. Cut out circle. Lay the fabric circle down on the table in front of you, good side down. Gently pick up the cd/yogurt lid and place it in the center of the fabric so the cd is on top. Starting from opposite sides, gather the fabric evenly and tightly to the center of the cd. Secure the gathered fabric by tightly tieing with string. Gently arrange fabric to desired shape.
5. Place pony beads on multiple ends of string. Place a foam tag on one end of string and knot.
6. Decorate the bottle by cutting shapes from foam. (NOTE: an alternative to foam is covering the bottle with scrap pieces of tissue paper using a water/glue mixture.
7. Place lid on bottle to create a S.W.A.P. box!