

# Make A Water Bottle Gnome



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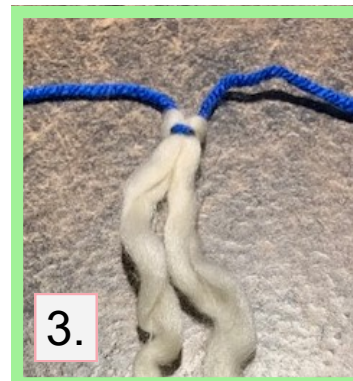
**Materials:** plastic bottle, colored construction paper, yarn (**yarn contains wool-if you need alternative ask staff**), cotton ball, glue, and scissors.

## Directions:

1. Wrap and glue the smaller rectangle piece of paper around the water bottle.
2. Separate chunky yarn into individual strands. The yarn naturally untwists, do not force it. You should have 6 strands.



3. Lay thin blue yarn flat on table. Make "larks head" knots with chunky yarn. Try to place the knots in middle of thin yarn. Use the pictures to help with knotting. \*Young kids may need assistance.



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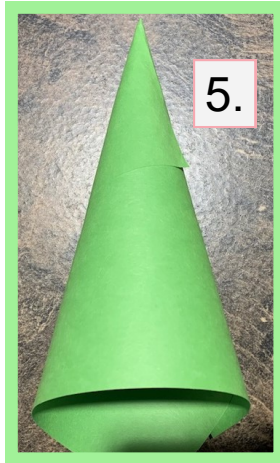


4. Tie the blue yarn around the top of the bottle. This is the gnomes beard or hair. Get creative!



5. You can decorate the large piece of paper, this is the hat. Roll the construction paper into a cone shape.

You can trim the bottom of the cone to create a flat end.



6. Set the cone on the bottle for the hat. Glue the cotton ball on for the nose, just below the hat.



\*You can glue the hat to the lid of the water bottle if you would like. You can also put sand or small rocks in the bottle to help weigh it down.

7. Your done!!

Don't forget to give your gnome a name.



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