



Lil Partners Craft: Bolo Tie



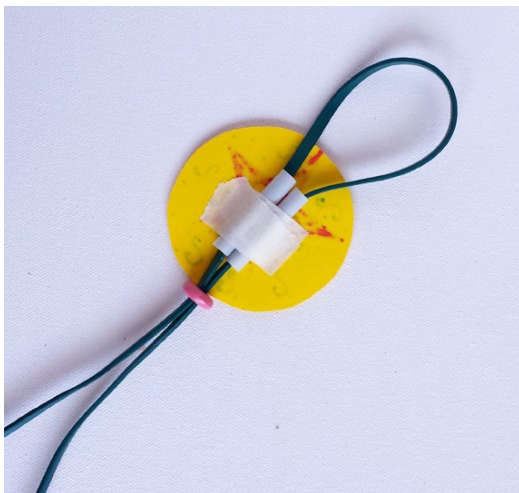
Make a quick, easy, personalized bolo tie! A bolo tie is perfect for a cowgirl or cowboy *and* great for everyday dress up.

You Will Need:

- cardstock circle
- markers, crayons or pencil crayons
- stick-on gems
- masking tape
- drinking straw
- leather string
- plastic beads

Instructions:

1. Decorate your cardstock circle with bright colors and stick-on gems.
2. Cut two pieces from the straw. (Mom & Dad should help) The pieces should be slightly smaller than your decorated circle. Tape the pieces of straw to the back of the circle.
3. Thread each end of the string through one of the straws. The end with the loop will go around your neck—make sure it is the right way up before moving to the next step!
4. Thread both ends of string through one bead. This will let you adjust the length of your bolo tie.
5. Add beads to both ends of the string—three or four or more! Tie a knot at the end of each string.



Ta da! A brand new bolo tie for all your Lil Partners adventures this summer.

