



RECYCLE IT YOURSELF

PLASTIC

BOTTLE

BIRD FEEDER



Even if you don't have recycling facilities where you live, you can use plastic bottles to make other things. With an adult's help, you can make a bird feeder from 100 percent reused materials.

What You Do:

1. Near the bottom of the bottle, cut two small holes on opposite sides of the bottle. They should be just big enough for the chopstick.
2. Insert the chopstick so it sticks out on both sides of the bottle. The stick is the birds' perch.
3. Two inches (5 cm) above the perch, cut two ½-inch (1.25 cm) diameter holes. This is where the birds will get the seed.
4. Make a funnel with the paper, and put it over the bottle opening.
5. Pour in the birdseed. (This should be done outside, as a little will spill out of the food holes.)
6. Put the cap on the bottle to keep out the rain.
7. Tie the string around the top of the bottle and hang up your bird feeder!

What You Need:

- Used water bottle
- Used wooden chopstick
- Used piece of paper
- Scissors or knife (to be used by an adult)
- Recycled string or ribbon
- Birdseed