

D.I.Y. Bird Feeder

***Please watch the tutorial first + then gather your ingredients + supplies**

What's included in your kit:

- An unfinished wooden bird feeder
- Foam Brush for paint
- Seeds *Mixed seed bag + bag of corn for shingles *YOU WILL HAVE SOME LEFT OVER
- Gelatin pack (for the edible glue for the roof *see below)

You'll need these items for your bird feeders:

- All Surface or Outdoor Paint *I like the Folk Art brand
- Newspaper for a messy surface
- Paper Plate for painting
- Bowl for water
- Wear an old t-shirt or dress for a mess!

Items For Your Bird Seed Glue:

- I have included 1 package of Knox Unflavored Gelatin

You'll need these items for the edible glue

- A Large bowl for ingredients
- plastic knife for the roof
- Wipes or paper towels for messy hands
- Measuring cups: 3/4 cup, 1/2 cup, 1 teaspoon
- 3/4 cup of flour, 1/2 cup of water + 3 teaspoons of corn syrup

Instructions:

- Grab yourself a large bowl and add:
3/4 cup of flour, 1/2 cup of water and then mix them together.
- Add 3 teaspoons of corn syrup and mix all ingredients
- Add your unflavored gelatin and mix again.
*Be sure to mix well to get rid of all lumps.

To add the glue to the roof:

- Using a plastic knife, add the glue to the roof of your bird feeder.
 - You can also add glue to the front and sides of your bird feeder.
 - Add mixed seeds, sunflower seeds, and corn over the glue to secure them to the roof and sides. *YOU WILL HAVE SOME LEFT OVER
 - Use corn to create “shingles:
 - OPTIONAL: Add cranberries for color!
- Once the birds eat all of the seeds, create the glue again!**

The birds will thank you!