

TOILET TUBE BINOCULARS



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Directions:

1. Measure a strip of wrapping paper or construction paper that's long enough and wide enough to cover your toilet paper tubes.
2. Using the scotch tape, cover your tubes with wrapping paper or construction paper. (You can also paint the tubes or leave them as is).
3. Optional: Roll a piece of masking tape with the sticky side out until it's about $\frac{1}{2}$ an inch thick. Place these between the toilet paper tubes to separate them.
4. Wrap a piece of masking tape around the tubes to hold them together.
5. Cut a strip of construction paper that's about half as wide as toilet paper tube. Wrap this around the center and secure with tape.
6. Cut a piece of string or twine about 2 feet long.
7. Use the masking tape to secure the ends of the twine inside each tube.
8. Optional: Glue a water bottle cap onto the center of the construction paper to "focus" your binoculars.
9. Go on an adventure!

A note from Page Adventurers need to be prepared for anything. Today we're going to make a common tool many adventurers bring.

Every good adventurer needs their pair of binoculars! Did you know typical binoculars are just two small telescopes, side-by-side. Ours aren't going to help us see farther, but they will help us look the part of being an adventurer.

Materials:

- 2 Toilet Paper Tubes
- Construction Paper
- Wrapping Paper
(construction paper can also be used)
- Scotch Tape
- Masking Tape
- Marker or Pen
- Scissors
- Twine, Yarn, or String
- Water Bottle Cap (optional)
- Glue (optional)

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