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Clothespin Airplanes

Component: Art

Time: 30 minutes

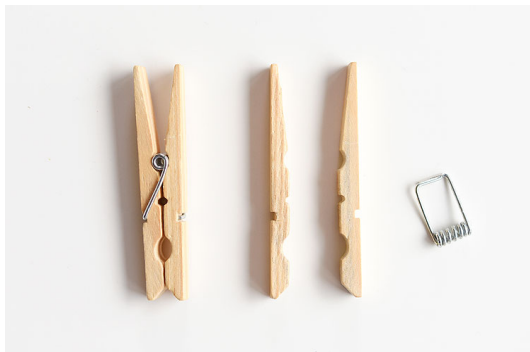


Materials:

- clothespin
- Jumbo popsicle sticks
- mini popsicle sticks
- button
- watercolors
- tacky glue

Procedure:

1. Carefully remove the metal spring from the clothespins.

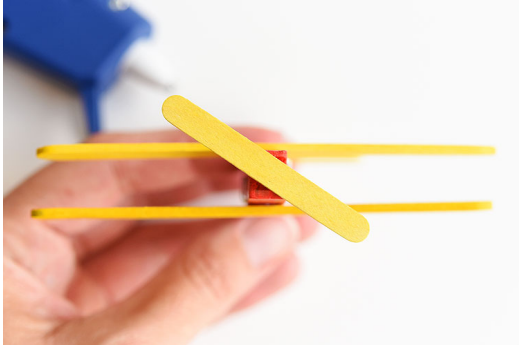


2. Paint each of the clothespins, then set them out to dry. Only put light layers of paint.
3. Once the paint is dry, try to get the spring back onto the clothespins.
4. Glue two jumbo popsicle sticks to the top and bottom of the clothespin to make the plane's wings.
5. Then glue one mini clothespin to the top/back of the clothespin for the plane's tail. Try not to get glue right on top of the clothespin spring, otherwise the clothespin won't open.
6. In order to make that happen, you have to glue the front propeller onto just the top part of the clothespin.



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7. Then attach another mini popsicle stick onto the glue, on a bit of an angle to make the propeller.



8. Finally, glue the button to the middle of the propeller.

- empty water bottle
- black and white pipe cleaners
- black, red & brown construction paper
- 1 glow stick
- tape
- Glue