

A walk on the wild side

Nature Day at home

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Make a wise ones wand

All the pressing, twisting and winding is good for making fingers strong for other jobs like when we are drawing or writing. There are lots of different ways to make your wand so this is just a start.

Think about what you would like your wand to look like.

Choose your things and then start to attach them to your wand

You could...

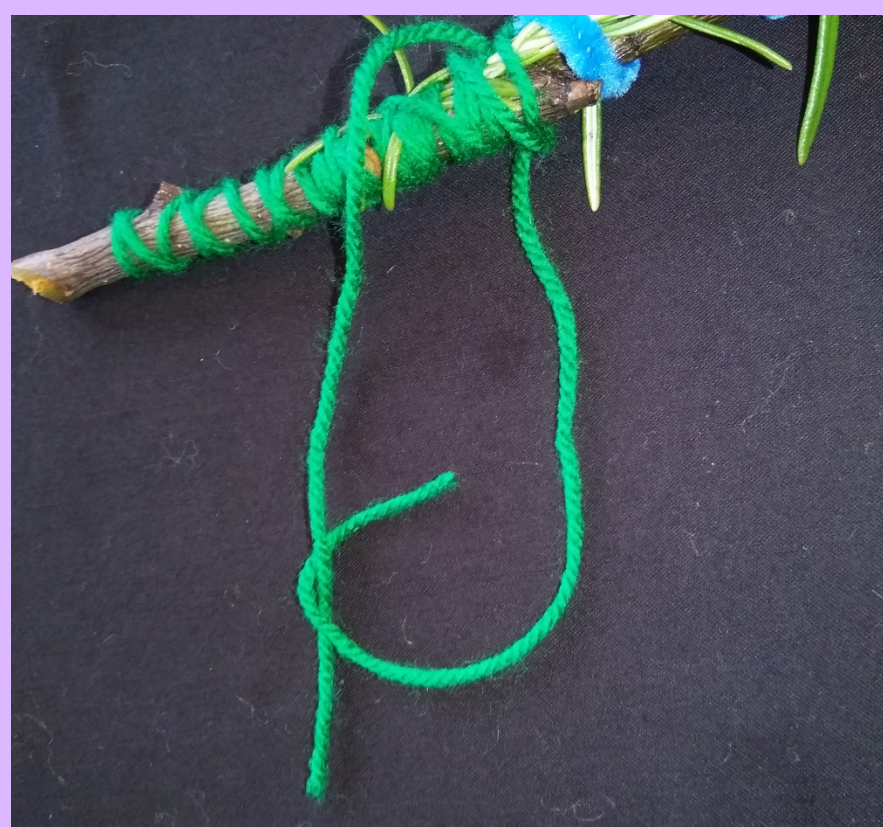


You will need:

- a twig the right length for you
- scissors
- pencil
- wool
- ribbons
- pipe-cleaners
- leaves or flowers (herbs are good because we know those are safe)



Make a pipe-cleaner spring by winding the pipe-cleaner tightly around a pencil. Then slide it off and twist it onto your twig.



Make a handle by winding wool around the bottom of your twig and finish it off with a knot. Make a knot by making a circle. Cross over. Tuck through. Repeat and tighten.



Make a loop of ribbon by folding the ribbon in half. Put it under your twig.



Stick your fingers through the loop. Pick up the tails part and thread them through. Pull tight.



Now make a wise wish and remember to send us a picture of your wise wand.



Here's some other examples