

Spoon People



What are spoon people?

Spoon people are made from a spoon, decorated with googly (or permanent marker) eyes, pom-pom hair and as many other accessories as you can find.

Required Materials

- Wooden spoon (12)
- Self-adhesive googly eyes (24 total 12 pairs)
- Fabric squares (12)
- Collage materials (feathers, pom poms, pipe cleaners, lollypop sticks etc).
- Wool or Pom-poms for hair (12)
- Felt-tip pens (12)
- PVA glue (12)
- Scissors (12)
- Optional: Party bags (paper)
- Optional: Plant pots (12)

Preparation and how to do it

Before the session, lay out the materials in groups (spoons, eyes, wool, pens etc) so that materials can be easily distributed when the session starts. Pre-cut wool for hair based on needs of the group. Create your own spoon person to show the group or find example pictures of spoon people online.

Show the group your spoon person or the pictures you've found. What features do you want your spoon person to have? What expression will they have?

Distribute materials and make the spoon people. Attach the googly eyes, use felt tip pens to draw eyebrows and a mouth, strands of wool for hair, and lollypop sticks for arms. Give them a fancy bow-tie with a fabric square or pipe cleaner.

Does your spoon person represent anyone? Do they have a name?

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