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BIRD & SQUIRREL ICE-POP!

This bird and squirrel feeder craft is so easy you may want to make them in all shapes and sizes!



Supplies in kit

- 2 tin pie pans
- 2 pieces of twine

What you'll need from home

- water
- a mix of any of the following: bird seed, sliced orange or apple, raisins, cranberries, dried fruit, sunflower seeds, pumpkin, seeds, or berries

Directions

1. Begin by gathering your ingredients. In this instance a mix of bird seed, apple pieces, an orange slice, and dried cranberries.



2. Layer your ingredients, nestling the twine in the tin about halfway through. Finish the layers, leaving some room near the top of the tin before adding the water.



3. Add water to the mixture and gently pat the ingredients down to help settle them in the pan. Place the pie tin in your

freezer. When the mixture is completely frozen, remove the ice-pop from the pan. The twine will have frozen into the ice-pop and will stay put so that you can hang it outside on a branch for our winged and furry friends to enjoy!



BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

Cat and Rat: The Legend of the Chinese Zodiac by Ed Young

Moonbeams, Dumplings, and Dragon Boats: A Treasury of Chinese Tales, Activities, and Recipes by Nina Simonds

My First Chinese New Year by Karen Katz

Bringing in the New Year by Grace Lin

A New Year's Reunion by Li-Qiong Yu



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