



## Bird Feeders

As Spring begins why not get back to nature making these bird feeders with your Cub Scouts.

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**30/45 mins**

### EQUIPMENT

#### Per Six/ Group

Lard

Bird Seed

Cookie Cutters

String

Paper Plates

Spoon

Skewer

### INSTRUCTIONS

Gently melt 100g of lard in a saucepan.

Add 250g of bird seed, ensuring that all the seeds are covered.

Place the cookie cutter on a paper plate, fill it with the seed mixture and press down with the back of a spoon, making sure it is packed tightly.

Use a skewer to make a hole through the shape.

Send home for Cub Scouts to put in the fridge and leave to set overnight.

Once it has become solid ease the mixture out of the cookie cutter and thread the string through the hole.



### Risk Assessment Considerations

**Leader support per group recommended**

**You may want to wear gloves when working t**

**Take care when using hot ingredients**