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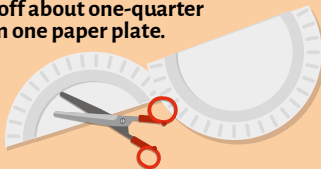


# Bag Of Fun

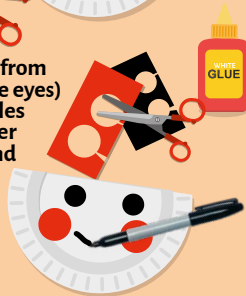
Gear up for class with this back-to-school craft.

## Follow these steps

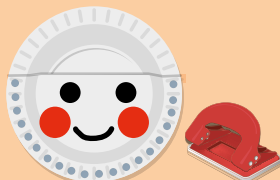
1. Cut off about one-quarter from one paper plate.



2. Cut out two circles from black paper (for the eyes) and two larger circles from red/pink paper (for the cheeks), and glue on the back of the paper plate. Draw on a smile with a marker.



3. Position the two plates with the insides facing each other. Holding them together, punch holes about an inch apart along the edges where both plates meet.

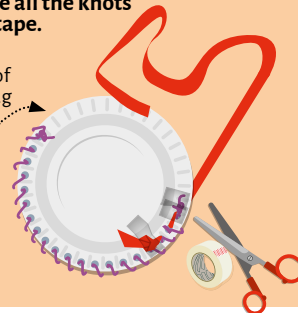


4. Cut a long piece of yarn. Knot it on one end of the plates, weave it through the holes, and tie a knot at the other end.



5. Cut ribbon to desired strap length. Knot it on both sides of the bag at the back. Secure all the knots with tape.

Back of the bag



6. Your bag is ready! Use it to store classroom stationery (e.g., pencils, erasers, rulers) or other small items.



### Bag Of Many Colours

**HEY PARENTS!** Through this craft, children can nurture their **creativity**. Let them design or decorate the bag freely using materials found at home (e.g., paint, crayons, pipe cleaners, glitter, cotton wool, buttons). The extra flap on the back plate can also be folded over to close the bag. Through this craft, children can also learn to take care of their belongings and develop **organisational skills**.



### Snap & Show

Your child's masterpiece could be featured in the next issue of *Beanstalk!* Submit a picture of your child with his/her paper plate bag online at [go.gov.sg/beanstalk-craft-submission](http://go.gov.sg/beanstalk-craft-submission) or scan this QR code.

