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Toilet Paper Roll Binoculars

Go birdwatching in your neighborhood by creating some toilet paper roll binoculars! Use these to look in the tree tops for local bird species. How many types of birds can you identify?

Materials needed:

- Two used toilet paper rolls
- Glue—Elmer’s Glue or hot glue is best, but regular glue or glue sticks also work. You can also substitute with duct tape by wrapping it around the two rolls.
- String or yarn
- Scissors or hole punch



What to do:

1. Take your glue and put some on the side of one of the toilet paper rolls.
2. Take the second toilet paper roll and press it against the one with the glue exposed.
3. Hold the toilet paper rolls together for a minute until dry (you can also secure them even more with some tape).
4. Use scissors or a hole punch to cut a small hole on the outside of each roll about a half inch from the top. Take one end of your string and thread it through the hole you made. Tie a knot to secure it. Do the same thing with the other end of the string.
5. Now you’re ready for some birdwatching!



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