

How to make... *Street Party Hats*



YOU WILL NEED:

Scissors
Stapler
Glue stick
Sticky tape
Ruler
Pencil
Hole punch
A strip of thick paper or card, cereal box would work approx 60 x 15cm to fit around your head like a crown.
3 x A4 sheets different coloured paper (we used red, white and blue)
3 x barbecue skewers, or paper straws or lollipop sticks.
Approx 1m string, or wool, or thin ribbon.

Have a look at our VE Day webpage to get in the celebration spirit! <https://headstonemanor.org/ve-day/>

1. Measure your strip of card so that it fits snugly around your head like a crown. Staple or tape into place.
2. Using the coloured paper cut 9 little triangles, 3 of each colour, about 5cm along each edge. (Save the leftover paper)
3. Using the hole punch make a hole in the top 2 corners of each triangle. Thread the triangles onto your string, alternating the colours to make bunting.



4. Staple the mini bunting to your crown so that it drapes in 3 swags with 3 triangles on each.

5. Using sticky tape attach the barbecue skewers to your crown to make flagpoles. Using leftover coloured paper cut 3 different coloured strips, 3 x 8cm. (Save the leftover paper). Using a glue stick fold in half and glue a strip around the top of each flagpole to make 3 flags.

6. For the finishing touch make a V shape by folding a 12cm square of leftover coloured paper in half. With the fold on the left, cut a diagonal line from the bottom left to top right corner. Open out and cut a tiny triangle out of the middle top to make a V. Cut out and stick on a 75, or draw on if you prefer. Stick the V to the front of your crown.

7. Wear with flair!



