

Green Frog pen topper.

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You will need:

2 x very small white pom-poms
and 1 x medium green pom-pom
(catalogue no. 209314)

Green felt pieces
(catalogue no. 209637
or 209338)

2 x pipecleaners – at least
one of which is green
(catalogue no. 204151
or 204450)

Glue (e.g. Power Pritt Gel,
catalogue no. 701702)

Black pen or felt tip

1 Begin by winding a pipecleaner around a pen or pencil to form a spring. Leave about 2cm at the top and coil the pipecleaner back on itself. This will form a base on which to glue your design.

2 Take a piece of green felt and cut out your frog's legs and feet as shown:



3 Apply a drop of glue to the top of the pipecleaner spring (at the point where you coiled the last 2cm back to create a base) and attach the back legs to the pipecleaner.

4 Glue two very small pom-poms to a medium-sized green pom-pom to create the frog's eyes, as shown. Draw a black dot in the middle of each eye.



5 Take a green pipecleaner and, using scissors, snip off a length about 4cm long. Fold the piece of pipecleaner in half and bend it into a curve. Glue the pipecleaner curve to the green pom-pom to create the frog's lips.



6 Glue the frog's feet to the bottom of the green pom-pom



7 Glue the completed frog's body onto the back legs as shown in the photograph. Allow to dry.

8 Thread the pen topper onto your favourite pen or pencil!



For further advice on completing this project, please contact Helen White in the Marketing and Information Team at helen.white@hants.gov.uk