

## Recycled Paperboard Box Decoration

*This activity is suitable for younger children with adult supervision*

### Materials Needed:

Snack/Cereal boxes (paperboard)

String/yarn

Your Choice of Embellishments (glitter, stickers, markers, etc.)

Hole Punch



Begin by printing out the bird template below (or create a template of your choice by drawing shapes onto cereal/snack paperboard boxes; nature templates like turtles, bunnies, trees, flowers, leaves, and so on are great for this craft). Cut the shapes out, and have fun decorating with paint, glitter, markers, googly eyes, pipe cleaners, and so on. Let your imagination run wild!

Punch a hole in the top of the shape, loop some string through, and use as a door hanger, hang in your window, hang on the Christmas tree, etc. When you decide you're done admiring your work, you can recycle it with mixed paper/cardboard even with paint/glue/glitter!

Just remove the string you used to hang it.

