Ribbon Bookmarks Easy Paper Clip Bookmark



# Items needed (quantity per creation)

- Paper clip
- Ribbon pieces longer than 10cm

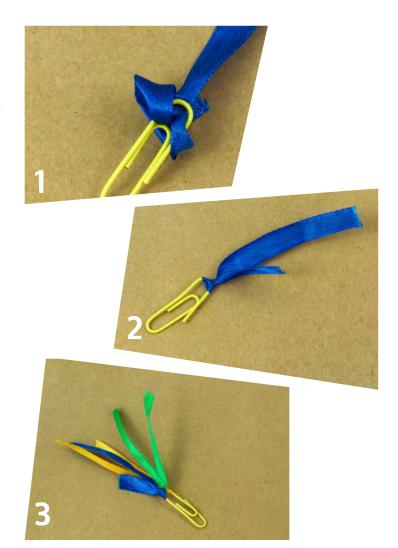
#### **Optional**

- Feathers
- Embellishments

## **Instructions**

This is a great little craft for younger children or as a quick activity.

- 1- Make a loop with your ribbon and thread it through the paper clip. Then thread your two ends of ribbon through the loop.
- 2- Pull tight
- 3- Add as many colours as you want or can fit. Add other embellishments to make it more fun like feathers, beads... etc.





Ribbon Bookmarks Hair tie Bookmark



## Items needed (quantity per creation)

- 1 piece of wide ribbon approx 32 35cm long
- 1 hair tie
- Thin ribbon 10cm approx
- 1 button (with large enough holes for thin ribbon)
- Hot glue

#### **Optional**

- Embellishments
- Needle and thread

## **Instructions**

This activity can be changed to suit most age groups, if its older children doing it you may want to skip the hot glue sections and sew the elements instead. This will make for a much stronger bookmark.

- 1- Start by looping the ribbon over the hair tie and gluing down, you want the glue to attach back to the ribbon and not onto the hair tie.
- 2- On the opposite end make a loop to match the hair tie end. Then using your thin ribbon, tie the button on by threading the ribbon through the button holes, through the loop and then tie a knot.
- 3- Put your book mark on a book by putting it on the page you want. Shut the book then loop the hair tie through the button.

### Tip

The bookmark should be tight enough that the hair tie stays on the button but not too tight that it bends the book or damages it. If you find the bookmark is too loose then simply untie the button and make a new loop on that end to fix the button.

