



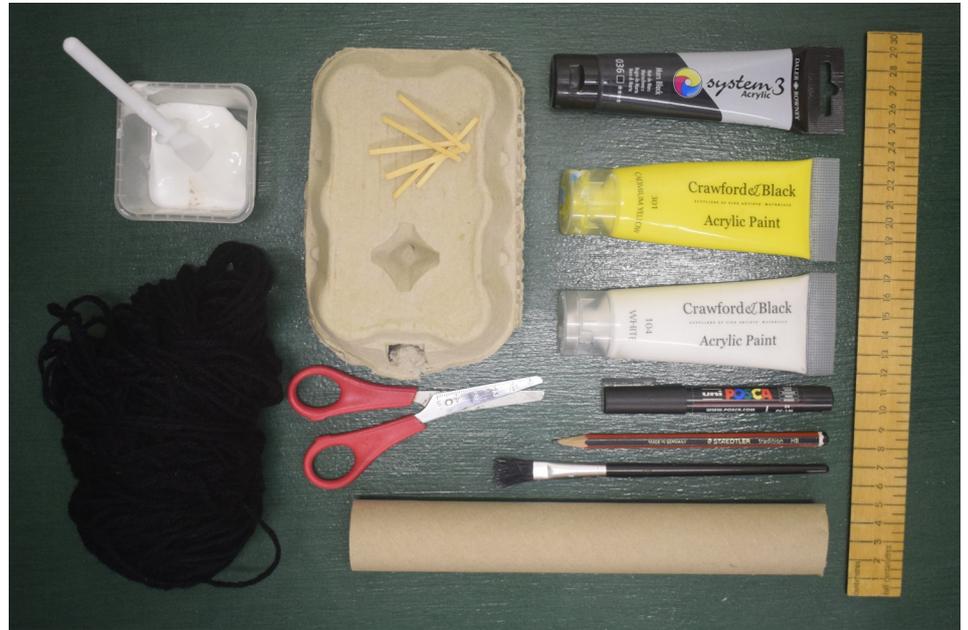
# How to make an egg-box bee

Follow these instructions to make your own cute little happy bee.



## You will need...

- An egg box
- Cardboard tube
- 6 matchsticks
- Black wool
- Yellow, white and black paint
- Glue
- Scissors
- Paintbrush
- Pencil and black felt pen.



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1. Use the bottom part of the egg box to cut out these shapes... then paint them in the following colours.



A short egg shape for the tail and a longer one for the head.



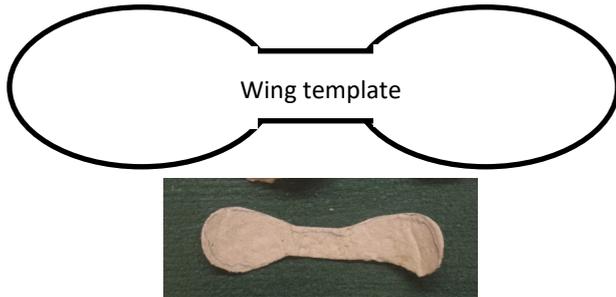
Two circles for the eyes.



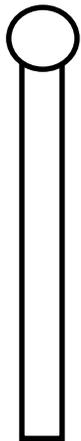
A pyramid for the sting.



2. Use the lid of the egg box to draw and cut out these shapes...  
then paint them in the following colours.



A bone shape for the wings.  
(8cm long)



Two lollipop shapes  
for the antennae.  
(5cm long)



A rectangle (1cm x 6cm) for the spine.



A rectangle (2cm x 4cm) for the 'Bee Happy' sign.



3. Cut 6cm from the cardboard tube and cut slits around each end,  
then paint it yellow.



4. Paint the matchsticks black.

## 5. To assemble your bumble bee...

Make a hole in the tail and push the sting through.



Glue the eyes onto the head and draw a smile underneath.



Glue the head and tail onto the body.



Slot the antennae behind the head.



Glue the wings in the centre of the body and glue the spine over the top, tucking it into the head and tail pieces to keep it in place.



To make the stripes, wind a piece of black wool around the body, between the antennae and wings, then tie it on the back. Wind a second piece of wool around the body, behind the wings.



Make six holes in the body and push the matchsticks in the holes to make the legs. Make sure one is pointing upwards.



Finally, stick the sign onto the matchstick which is pointing upwards.

*We hope your happy bee makes you smile!*

