



## Hilliard At Home Play Day Recycled Materials Party Hat



Great for Ages 5 (with adult assistance) and up!  
Time: between 20-45 minutes

### Supplies list:

Round plastic container (A whipped topping or large yogurt container work great, but can be substituted with other types of containers or shapes as needed)

Fruit/vegetable packaging (the netting that grapefruit or oranges come in)

Tape

Scissors

Stapler

Magazines, junk mail, candy wrappers, catalogues, old calendars, craft paper  
hair clips or bobby pins

Polly and Lou want you to know that any of these items can be substituted as needed to best suit your project and availability of supplies. Just take a look around your house and see what you can find!

Want some inspiration? Try searching for images of “fascinators” online.



## STEP ONE

Gather all of your supplies.

Carefully cut the bottom off of the plastic container.



## STEP TWO

Use the cut-away bottom of the container to form decorative accents. Simply cut into longer strips, twist, and staple.



## STEP THREE

Cut oval, or circular-shaped piece of sturdy paper or cardboard for the top of the hat, and secure with tape.



## STEP FOUR

Begin cutting decorative shapes from your scrap paper and secure those with tape too. Make whatever shapes you want!



## STEP FIVE

Attach fruit netting, or other light-weight decorative items that you have found around your house.



## STEP SIX

Secure hat with hair clips or bobby pins. Now you are ready to party!