

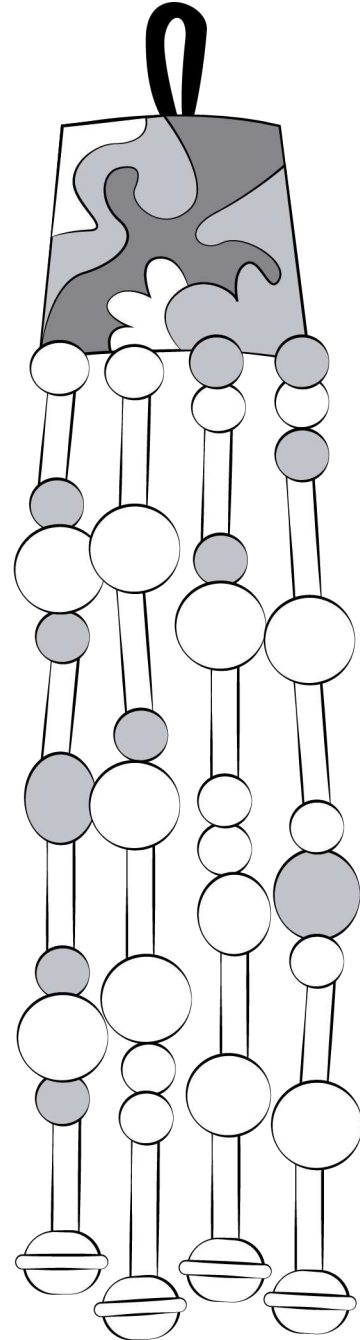
What you will need

- Medium & Large beads
- Paper cup
- 4 or more jingle bells (3/4" or 1")
- Metal washer
- Acrylic Paint
- Paint Brushes
- Pipe cleaner
- Scissors
- Hole Punch
- String

Let's get creative

- 1** Recycle a used paper cup to make the top of your wind chimes. Clean the cup and wipe it dry. Trim the paper cup to a height of about 2 to 3 inches.
- 2** Punch 4 or more evenly-spaced holes around the cup's mouth.
- 3** Paint the paper cup and set aside to dry
- 4** Decorate the cup as you please by using paint. Feel free to add other craft materials too!
- 5** Cut four or more strings approximately 12 inches long. The number of strings should correspond to the number of holes on the cup. Cut an extra string that is 2 inches longer than the others.
- 6** Tie a jingle bell at the end of each string except for the longer extra string. Set this extra string aside for the wind chime's pendulum
- 7** Cut drinking straws into 3/4 to 1-inch long pieces.
- 8** String beads and drinking straw pieces through each string, stopping about 1 to 2 inches from the top end of the string.
- 9** Tie the top of each beaded string to a hole on the paper cup.
- 10** Cut a pipe cleaner in half. Take one piece and make a small loop on one end.
- 11** Create the pendulum. Take the extra string. Tie one end to the loop on the pipe cleaner and the other end to a metal shank button or metal washer.
- 12** Punch a small hole at the center of the paper cup.
- 13** Position the pendulum. Insert the straight end of the pipe cleaner from inside the cup, through the center hole. Pull all the way through—the loop on the pipe cleaner serves as a stopper.
- 14** Loop the pipe cleaner on top to make the wind chimes' handle.
- 15** Check if the metal button or washer is at the same level as the jingle bells. The button or washer should be able to hit the bells when it catches a breeze. Adjust the length of the string if necessary.
- 16** Hang your wind chimes where it can catch a soft breeze

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