

Transforming used plastic bottle into bird feeder

What you'll need:

- One plastic drink bottle with cap
- Two willow sticks about 20cm long
- A drawing pin and nail scissors for punching and cutting the holes in the bottle
- String 40 to 45cm long

Instructions:

1. Clean and dry the bottle thoroughly, removing any labels. Allow the bottle to air dry for several hours or overnight to ensure the no moisture remains inside, which could cause the seeds to spoil.



2. To make perches, use a drawing pin to punch 2 holes opposite each other near the bottom and cut small holes with scissors.

3. Insert a stick so that it passes through one hole, through the bottle, and out the other side. Repeat this to make the other perch just above the first.



4. Now you're ready to make feeding holes. Use a drawing pin and scissors to make a small hole about 4cm above each perch (about 3/4cm wide). Keep in mind that the seeds will just fall out if the holes are too big.



5. To make the hangar, poke a hole in one side of the bottle's neck and then the other. Thread the string through the holes in the bottle's neck and tie them together at the ends.



6. Slowly fill the feeder with the desired seeds. If the feeding ports are too big, placing a piece of clear tape over them and recutting smaller holes in the tape can fix the problem



7.Screw the cap back on and hang the feeder from a tree branch or hook outside your house. Keep clean and replenished.



Personal comment:

I made this bird feeder by myself and it was really easy ,my cousin who is 7 years old made two of them alone. I think everyone should try and make one by themselves because it's not that hard and that helps keep plastic out of oceans and seas.