

How to Make Your Own Flying Fox

You will need:

- Wooden dolly peg
- Felt wings shape (see template)
- Small piece of blu-tac
- Paper clip
- Felt pen
- Thin elastic



Instructions:

1. Cut a length of elastic (about 15 cm), fold in half and tie a knot at the cut ends to make a loop.
2. Thread one “leg” of peg through first slit in felt (closest to head).
3. Loop the elastic around body of peg.
4. Thread “leg” of peg through second slit in felt.
5. Pull elastic through to back through slit.
6. Attach felt to peg at each end with blu-tac.
7. Bend open paper clip and poke ends through felt tail, then bend back to create claws.
8. Draw on eyes and nose with felt pen.

Your flying fox is now ready to fly!

When she is tired, fold up her wings and loop the elastic around to hold them in place. Hang her upside down for a sleep on a nearby branch.

