

Shampoo Bottle Desk Organizer

Skill Level:



Time:



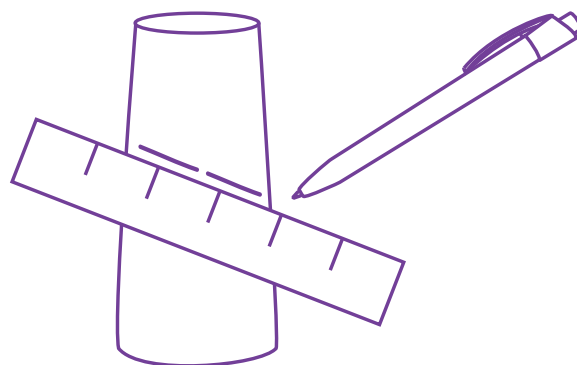
Materials

- 5 Shampoo Bottles
- 5 Brads
- Scissors
- Marker
- Awl
- Tape
- Small Hole Punch

Instructions

1 Cut the tops off of each of the bottles and rinse.

2 Start with your first bottle and determine your desired height. Mark the lowest height on one side of a bottle, and mark the slightly higher point at the opposite side and draw a line to connect the 2, creating a diagonal line. (Fig A) Repeat on the other side.

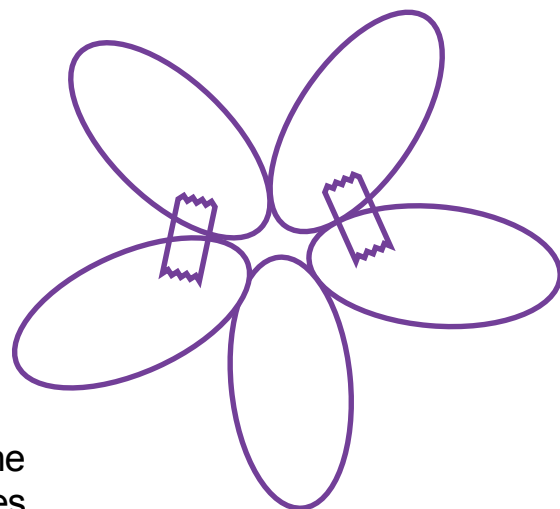


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Cut along that line. Repeat for the rest of the bottles, gradually increasing in size.

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Arrange the cut bottles together with their higher back sides at the center. Use pieces of tape to hold them together at the top.



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Use your hole puncher to make a hole in 2 of the bottles at once, where they connect. Sometimes the hole puncher is not strong enough to go through both, but by squeezing it tight enough you can mark the location on the bottles and then punch them separately.

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The hole puncher usually doesn't work for the last bottle because it won't descend far enough. In this case, punch the hole in the shorter bottle, then line them up and mark the taller bottle through the punched hole, then pierce the mark with an awl.

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Remove any remaining tape and slide a brad through the adjacent holes. Repeat steps until all of the bottles are connected.

If you have completed this project and still have more materials to upcycle, be sure to sign up for the TerraCycle Brigades at www.terracycle.com and send them in. These items will be transformed into new products, and better yet, your collection will earn money for your favorite charity!

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