

# Pinecone Birdfeeder



A great winter Project!

If you have a source of large pinecones, this is a great low cost activity to feed the birds through the winter.

## Supplies

- Pinecones
- Peanut butter
- Bird seed
- Utensils for spreading peanut butter, knives, forks, spoons all work
- Paper bags for wrapping at the end
- Twine
- Tags
- Gloves
- Pie pans or other aluminum pans



# Get started



## Tips

- Tie the twine on before you spread the peanut butter
- Don't open the bag with your pinecone in the house - the seed falls



## Create

- The pinecones have sharp points so use gloves to make them easier to hold
- Tie twine around the pinecone so you can hang it from a tree later
- Using your utensil smear peanut butter on your pinecone - make sure to get in in between the brackets
- Roll the pinecone in birdseed in the pans, you can also press the seed in between the cones bracts, shake the excess seed off the pinecone over the pan
- When you are content with your feeder, place in the paper bag, fold the top over or tie the bag with twine
- Add a gift tag if you like
- Hang outside and enjoy watching the birds have a snack