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# Colorful Egg Carton Lady Bugs

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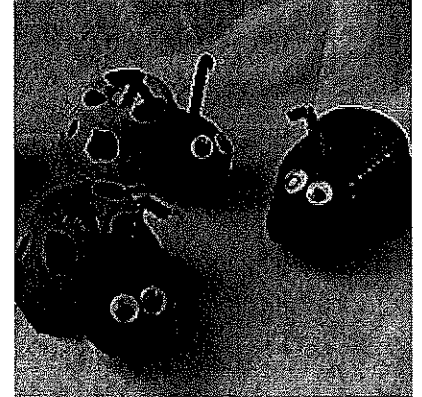
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Egg cartons make a great and inexpensive craft material. Recycle your egg cartons into these adorable Ladybugs. Be creative and make them out of various colors.

## Supplies

Empty egg carton cup  
Skinny black chenille, 2" piece  
2 Small wiggle eyes  
1 Medium black pom pom  
Colorful acrylic paint  
Black acrylic paint  
Paintbrush  
White craft glue  
Hot glue gun  
Scissors



**Note:** Use white craft glue for all instructions except where hot glue is indicated.

## Instructions

Use scissors to separate egg carton cups, trim the edges.

Paint egg cartons in desired colors and let dry.

Glue wiggle eyes on to black pom pom and let dry.

Glue black pom pom on to side of egg cup with white craft glue and let dry completely, making sure eyes are facing out and are where you want them.

Cut the 2" piece of skinny black chenille in half. Bend the end of each one to form the antennae. Use hot glue to attach antennae to pom pom head.

Use the handle end of a paintbrush to add black paint dots to the ladybug's back. Dip handle into paint and pick up a generous amount, then use a drawing motion to add the dot to the ladybug's back.

Let dry completely.

# K-Cup Bunny Craft

Supplies you will need:

- clean empty k cup
- pink and black paint
- white and pink construction paper
- hot glue
- elmers glue
- scissors



Instructions:

1. Start by removing the foil from the k-cup, then clean out the substance inside.
2. On your white piece of construction paper, draw 2 bunny ears to fit the back of the k-cup.
3. Then on your pink piece of construction paper, draw 2 smaller bunny ears for the inner part of the ears.
4. Then use elmers glue to attach the two bunny ears together.
5. After you attach them together, hot glue them to the back of your k-cup.
6. After your ears are attached to your k-cup, paint your pink bunny nose, the black whiskers, and the two eyes.
7. Now you have a festive Energy and Environment project!

# Pig Bottle Bank

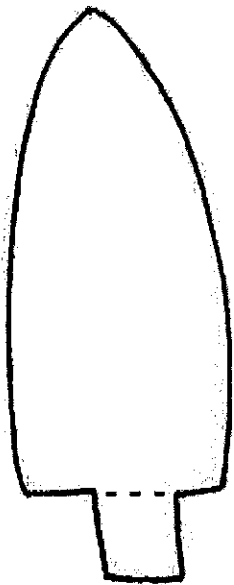
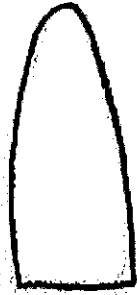
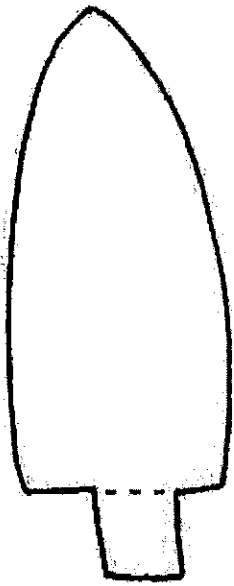
## Materials:

Empty bottle  
Scissors  
Hot glue  
Pipe cleaner  
Small Cotton balls  
Colored paper  
Googly eyes



## Directions:

- Peel the label off of the clean, empty bottle
- Paint the bottle
- Use scissors to cut a strip of paper long enough to wrap around the bottle, glue it on the bottle where the bottle label would be
- Then cut out the slip for the money
- Cut out the ear and inner -ear templates once they are cut out fold on the dotted line and glue the tab down
- Trace around bottle cap on paper, cut out and glue it to the cap
- For eyes, hot glue the googly eyes on
- For legs, glue the cotton balls on the "belly" side
- For tail, cut the pipe cleaner, curl it and glue it on



# How to make a Cereal Box pencil Case?

## Materials:

Cereal box

Pencil case template

pencil scissors

ruler

scoring tool (like a butter knife or bent paper clip)

clear tape

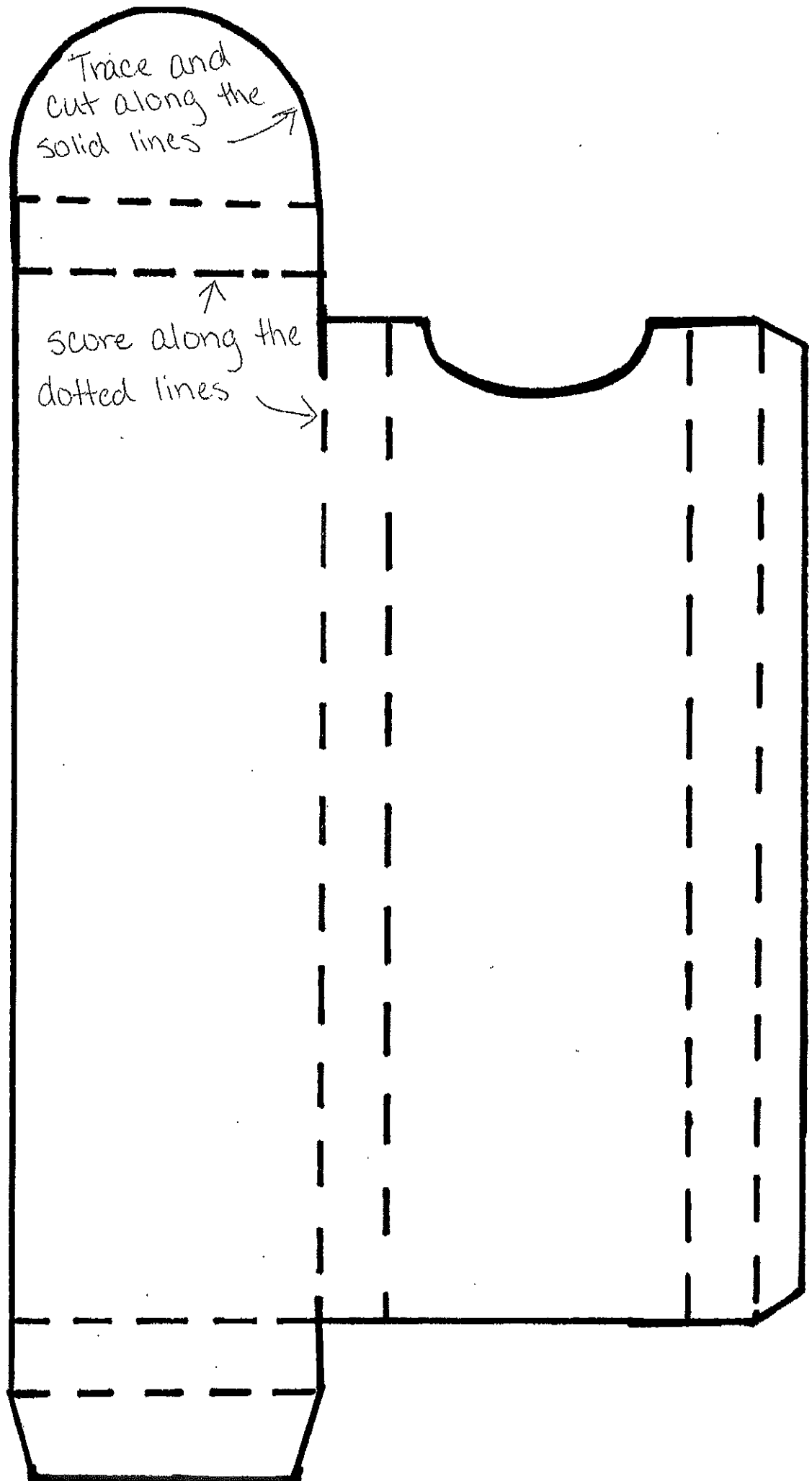
Hook and loop fastener

## Steps:

1. Open a food box at the seams and flatten it out.
2. Cut out the pencil case template and place it on top of the flattened box. Trace onto the cardboard around the edge of the template and cut the shape out of cardboard.
3. With a pencil, mark the score lines on the cereal box where they are
4. *Fold up the pencil case at the score lines and tuck the bottom tab inside the bottom of the case. Put a small piece of clear tape securing the tab in place. Then, place tape along the long side of the case.*
5. *Attach the self-adhesive hook and loop fastener to the top flap on the inside of the case. Fold the flap down so the other side of the hook and loop fastener attaches to the front of the case*

Trace and cut along the solid lines

score along the dotted lines



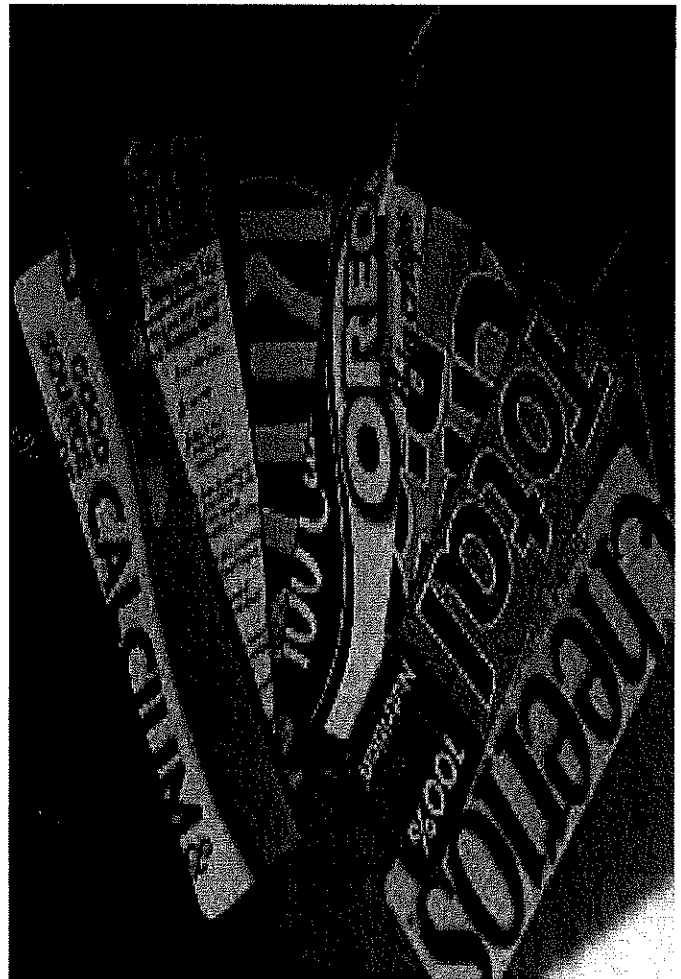
# Back to School Recycled Bookmarks

## Materials needed:

- Colorful cardboard boxes
  - Cereal boxes, granola boxes, soda boxes, etc.
- Ribbon
- Hole puncher

## Instructions:

- Cut out your desired cardboard box by following one of the options on the template
- Punch a hole at the top of the bookmark
- Thread a ribbon through the hole and tie it
- You can add a cute label or saying on the front of the bookmark with a label maker or cardstock
- Now you have a cute and easy E&E Project for your students on the first day of school!





## Bookmark Templates

