

HARVEST CROW

This little crow is very cute and can be enjoyed in lots of ways.



You will need:

- 2 x black pom-poms
- Wiggle eyes
- Small piece of yellow card

Options to make the wings:

- Small piece of black felt, or
- 2 x black feathers

Other things you'll need:

- Glue
- Scissors

How to make it:

- 1 If you're using felt to make the wings, start by cutting two wing shapes from black felt. A template is provided opposite. Glue these shapes to the top of one of the pom-poms, so that they stick out either side similar to the photo above.
- 2 If you're using feathers for the wings, begin by gluing the feathers to the top of one of the pom-poms, so that they stick out either side similar to the photo above.
- 3 Glue the second pom-pom on top of the wings so that the wings sit between the two pom-poms.
- 4 Next, glue on a pair of wiggle eyes.
- 5 Cut a triangle from yellow card and glue this beneath the eyes to make the crow's beak. Set aside to dry.
- 6 You can enjoy your harvest crow in a variety of ways, for example:

- Sit your crow on a shelf – or make several and sit them in a row.
- Thread the crow onto a length of cotton and hang up as a decoration.
- Glue on a twisted pipecleaner to make a fun, seasonal pen topper.
- Make the Autumn Scarecrows project and include the crow as part of a role-play activity.

IDEA: A more ambitious project would be to create the pom-poms from scratch. Substitute the ready-made black pom-poms for black wool or yarn and hand make two pom-poms, one slightly larger than the other.

