



Yarn Butterflies

STEP
1

Place popsticks into a 'X' shape and wind the first colour of yarn around the middle to hold the popsticks in place. (TIP: wrapping the yarn in a cross shape through the middle helps to keep sticks in place).

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2

Wind some more yarn around the middle, working from the outside to where the gap between the sticks starts.

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3

Start weaving a figure 8 pattern in between the sticks on one side. Once you have woven as much of one colour on one side, switch to the other and do the same figure 8 pattern.

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Begin your next colour and continue with the figure 8 pattern, similar to step 3.

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To finish off simply tie the end of the yarn into a double knot.

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6

To create the body use a pipe-cleaner, bend it in half and place the popsticks in the middle. Wind the pipe-cleaner around the body and twist at the bottom for the tail and the top for the antennas.

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7

Thread a large bead on top for the head and curl the pipe-cleaner for the antennas, then thread two smaller beads onto the bottom. Now you have yourself a yarn butterfly!

