

Abacus

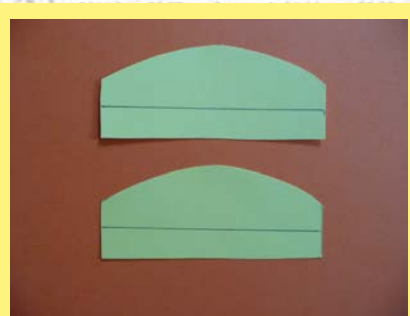
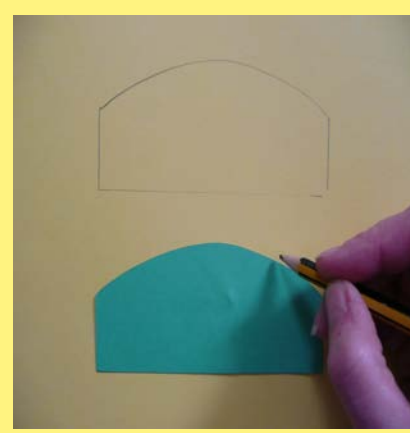
Resources:

- Card
- Template
- Pencils
- Blu Tack
- Pens
- Scissors
- 190mm Straws
- Beads

Instructions

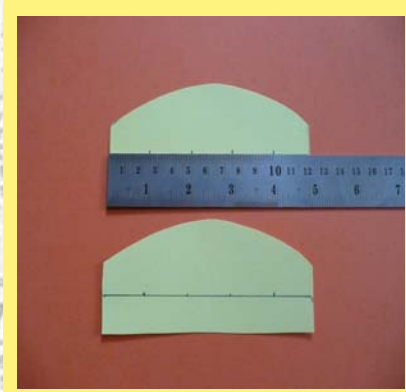
1 Draw around template twice. Cut out.

2 Using a ruler, draw a line 1 1/2 cm up from the bottom. Repeat on other cut-out.

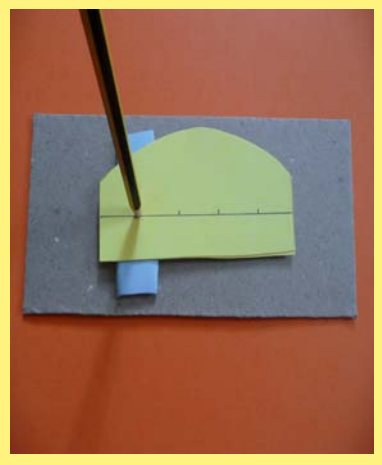


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Lay ruler along line and mark dots at 2 ½ cm, 5cm, 7 ½ cm and 10cm.



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Place both cut outs on top of each other on card or a hard surface. Place blu tack under the first dot and pierce with a pencil. Repeat until you have four holes.



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Decorate cut out ends using pencils. Outline in pen.



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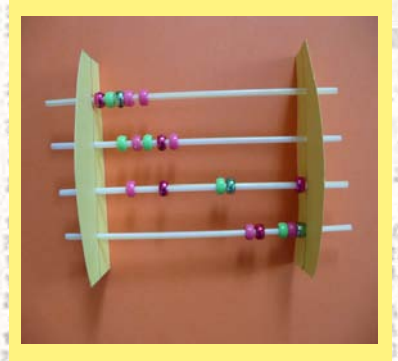
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Thread beads onto four straws.



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Push straws through holes on each abacus end.



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Your abacus is now ready to help you solve all kinds of sums! Create your own sum cards to be used with your abacus and challenge a friend!

