



## Farrington Nature Linc: At Home Activity Guide

Name of Activity: Bird Wing Craft

Time: 30 min

Goals:

- Exploring nature through a connection to birds, bird wings, and creating a set of cardboard wings to pretend to be a bird

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Supplies needed:

- scissors
- markers
- duct tape, or any sturdy tape
- glue
- cardboard or brown paper bags
- feathers, tissue paper
- colored construction paper

Additional options:

- coffee filters
- string or ribbon
- light natural objects, leaves, pine needles, etc

Photo of finished craft:





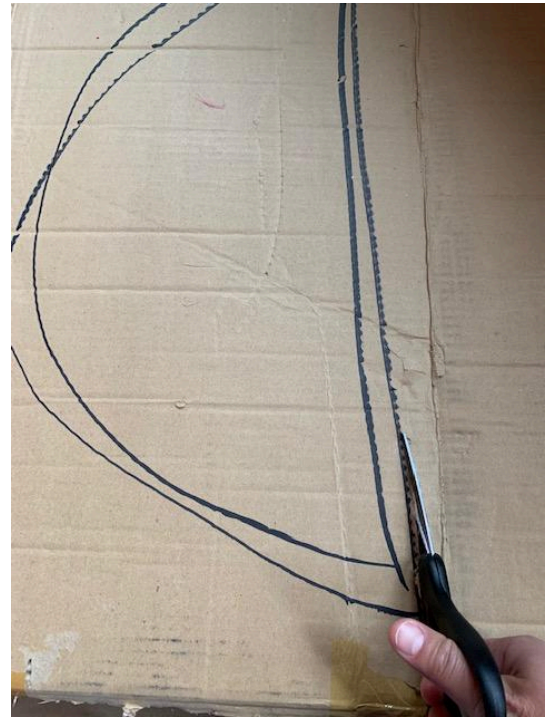
### Step by Step Directions

\*This is only a craft activity- wings are not intended to help you fly for real\*

#### 1. Gather your materials



#### 2. Draw and cut out your wings



#### 3. Make arm bands



#### 4. Trace your design





### 5. Decorate your wings



### 6. Try them out!



### Scale it Down:

Using a doll or stuffed animal, create wings to help it fly! Using any colored paper, create small wings and put them over the arms of your doll. Pretend it is a bird!



### Scale it Up/Extensions:

In addition to bird wings, you can try and see if you can make a paper airplane. Try different types of paper, different folding patterns. You can try to predict which plane will go the furthest. Measure the distance and compete with your friends!