

No need for Bow cutters – make it freehand

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Making a bow freehand is not hard and it allows you to be a lot more creative, as well as save money. (fig 1)



Requirements

Flowerpaste

Trex

Edible Glue

Rolling out board

Rolling pin

Textured rolling pin (optional)

Glue brush

Instructions

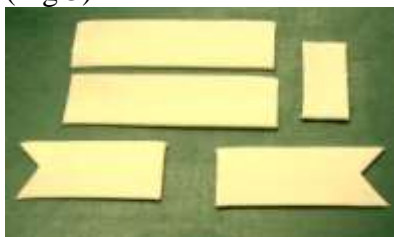
Roll out a piece of flower paste (it's optional to use a textured rolling pin, but if you do opt to use one then it's important that the design/grain is going in the right direction).

(Fig 2)



The pieces for the bow can be of any size, but for this example the long strips are 3 inches x 1 ¼ inch, the knot is 1 inch x 2 inches, the tails are 2 ½ inches x 1 ¼ inch.

(Fig 3)



Firmly pleat the cut ends, as per example

(Fig 4)



Create the loops
(Fig 5)



Join the two loops together (overlapping slightly) and securing with a tiny spot of edible glue. Attach the ties at the same point.
(Fig 6)



Paint a tiny spot of edible glue on the join and position the knot over this and tuck the ends underneath.
(Fig 7)

