

You will need:

- Cardstock or pasteboard (cereal box)
- Scissors
- Glue
- Yarn or string
- Hole punch
- Markers, colored pencils, or crayons



Directions:

1. Print out the provided templates onto white cardstock and cut out. If you don't have any cardstock, just print out onto regular paper and cut out. Then trace the circle onto a cereal box and cut out the circle.



Step 1

2. Cut out the black circles on the templates with a hole punch.



Step 2

3. If the spinners are on cardstock, turn one bird upside down and line up the holes and glue the two blank sides together. If on paper, glue one of the birds to the circle of the cereal box and then punch holes through the box where they are in the paper. Then glue the other bird template upside down onto the other side of the box.



Step 3

4. Decorate your birds but make sure to decorate them the same on both sides of the spinner.



Step 4

5. Cut two 24" pieces of yarn or string. Fold the string in half and push the loop through the hole about an inch then bring the opposite ends of the string through the loop and pull tight. Repeat for the other hole.



Step 5

6. To make your bird fly, hold a string in each hand and swing the bird towards you 10 or more times to twist the strings. Once twisted, pull the strings outward in opposite directions to make it spin!
7. Now that you have a migrating hummingbird, share you bird on our Facebook page “Adventures in EdZOOcation” or tag the North Carolina Zoo at #NCZOO or #NCZOOED.

