

# FATHER'S DAY PENCIL HOLDER

Create and decorate a pencil holder for Father's Day.

## What you will need:

Approximately 25 popsicle sticks (use more if needed)

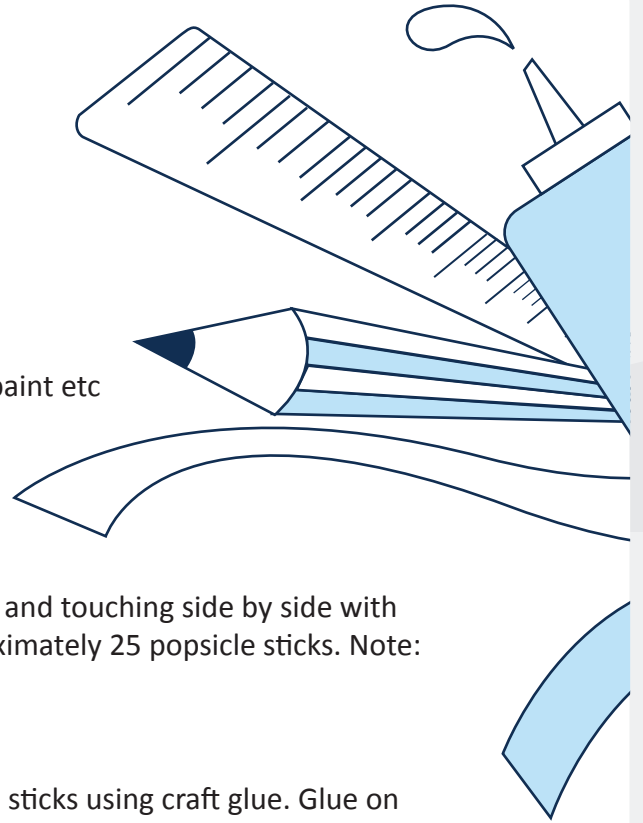
2 rulers

Craft Glue

Fabric Ribbon

Average 15 oz. tin can as a base

Items to decorate eg: colouring pencils, ribbon, glitter, paint etc



## Directions:

### Step 1:

In between two rulers lay your popsicle sticks down flat and touching side by side with the ends touching the rulers. This should require approximately 25 popsicle sticks. Note: the rulers are just to keep the sticks in line.

### Step 2:

Glue two lengths of the fabric ribbon along the popsicle sticks using craft glue. Glue on length of ribbon near the top and the other length near the bottom of the sticks. This is so the popsicle sticks will all be joined together. Let this dry for at least 1 hour.

### Step 3:

Once dry, trim one end of each of the fabric ribbons holding the sticks together. Then curl the popsicle sticks into a circle and glue the other ends of the ribbon to the inside of the opposite side. You can secure this with a paper clip until the glue dries.

### Step 4:

\* Optional: Paint an empty, clean 15 oz. tin can and let it dry.  
(You can leave the can unpainted if you wish).

### Step 5:

The popsicle sticks should fit right over the can. You can then decorate the popsicle sticks with colouring pencils, ribbon, glitter, paint etc.

