

Make a white cockade

Bonnie Prince Charlie travelled to Scotland to try and take back the throne for his family. He raised an army of supporters called Jacobite's. He once picked a wild white rose and pinned it to his bonnet. This became the symbol of being a Jacobite. Jacobite's would make 'white cockades' out of ribbons, and pin them to their bonnets or jackets.

Become a Jacobite and make your own white cockade!



Fun fact

When Bonnie Prince Charlie arrived in Scotland his boat sailed in to the Isle of Eriskay. He reached into his pocket, took out a handful of seeds and scattered them on the shore.

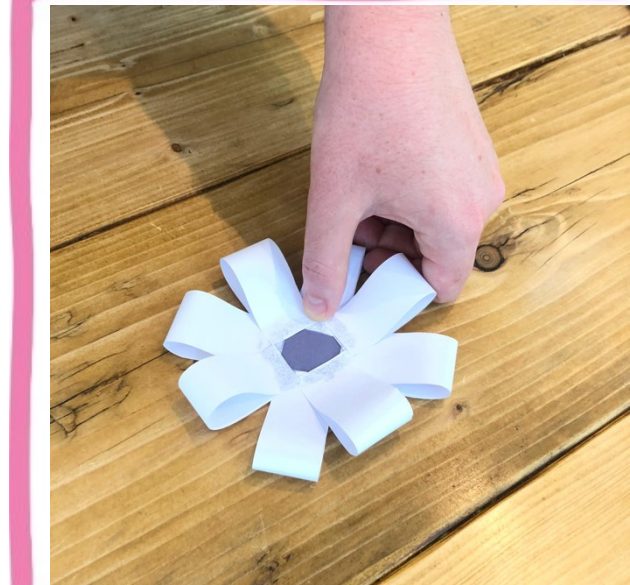
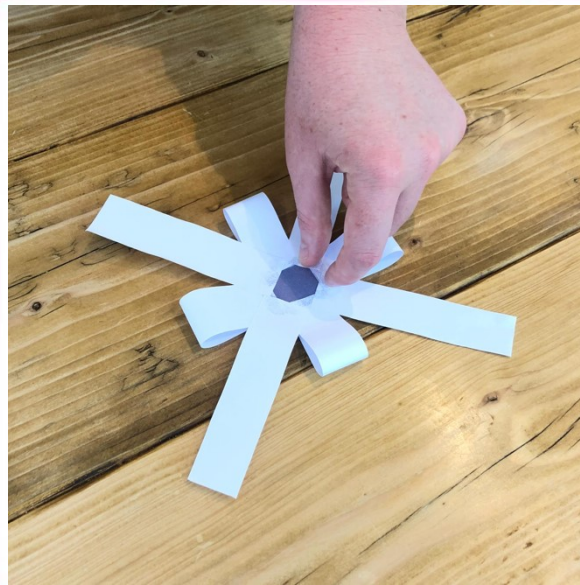
Today on that shore there are little pink flowers which can only be found there. These are called Prince's Flowers!

What you need

- 13 strips of white paper 2cm x 10cm
- a square of cardboard 3cm x 3cm
- a glue stick
- a safety pin
- a small piece of sticky tape

Instructions

- 1) Glue the ends of four strips of paper and stick these to the four edges of your cardboard square.
- 2) Bring the others ends of the strips of paper into the middle of your cardboard square and glue and stick these. You have made your first layer of petals!
- 3) Repeat instructions 1 and 2 but glue and stick the ends of your strips of paper to the four corners of your cardboard square. You have made your second layer of petals!



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- 4) Add a third layer of petals on top of your first layer by repeating instructions 1 and 2.
- 5) With the last strip of paper glue one end and stick it to the other end to make a ring. Glue and stick this in the middle of your cardboard square.
- 6) Turn your cockade over and ask someone to help you to stick the safety pin onto it with stick tape.
- 7) Choose where you want to wear your finished cockade and ask someone to pin it on for you!

