

Beaky bird card

Make your own pop up card. This is an easy project and lots of fun.

You will need

- 2 pieces of paper (quality card works well)
- Crayons, paints or markers
- Paintbrush or pen
- Scissors
- Glue
- Any other detail finishes such as glitter, feathers etc.



What to do

- 1 Fold your piece of paper in half. Then cut a line approx 2 inches long in the centre of the crease.
- 2 Fold back each flap to make two small triangles, at the centre of your card. Press hard to ensure you have a good crease.
- 3 Open up your card and lay it down. The centre cut now needs to be flat, to enable you to push the triangles up and pinch the edges together above the card, beginning to form the beak.
- 4 Close the card again pushing down on the folds. When opened you should now have a pop up beak.
- 5 If you wish, you can take a second piece of card (it is more effective if it is another colour), and folding this in half, glue it to the back of your first card. Take care not to glue near the beak area or it will not open. Let the glue dry.
- 6 Now draw your bird around the beak and have lots of fun decorating your card.

