

Paper Frame Drum



Materials

Cardboard ring. 8" diameter, 2" deep.
(You can cut one from a Sonotube, available at any building store. The diameter I used was 8", but you can make these any size. The cardboard should be thick and strong. I've found a two inch depth works well.)

60 lb paper for the drumhead.

Paint or tissue paper to decorate with
White glue.

Ribbon or trim

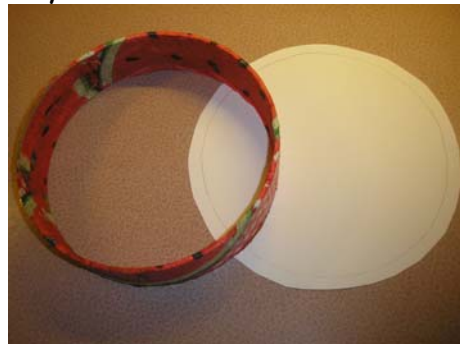
1 Decorate the tube with paint or decopage with tissue paper. Go crazy, there are lots of fun ways to decorate.



2. Remember to decorate both the inside and the outside. On a frame drum it is easy to see the inside.



3. Trace the drum on the paper and cut the circle of paper $\frac{3}{4}$ " bigger all the way around.



4. Cover one side of the paper with white glue and place the drum centered on it. Wrap the extra paper up on the sides and seal it down.

5. Cover the top side of the drum head now with glue as well. Let dry. (at least a day.)

6. Cover the edges of the paper drum head with ribbon or trim.

7. Remember, this drum should be played with the hands, not a stick, it's only made of paper!