

# MILK CARTON BIRD FEEDER

ELECT: Domain: Emotional

2.3 Self Esteem – showing pride in work and achievements, 2.6 Positive Attitudes towards Learning, such as persistence, engagement, and curiosity – increasing pride in work and interest in learning new things.

## Materials Needed:

- ✓ Milk carton or milk jug
- ✓ Paint, glue, stickers, popsicle sticks, twigs etc. Be creative and use what you have at home!
- ✓ String or rope
- ✓ Bird Seed (I know many of you won't have this handy, so wait to fill your bird feeder after your next grocery run or delivery!)

## How to make your bird feeder:

1. Acquire a simple, 2 litre-size milk cartons. Empty it completely, and wipe to dry. Milk can mold with the bird feed.
2. Get some scissors and cut a quarter-sized hole in the milk carton. You may want to make a bigger opening, depending on ease and the possibilities of other animals enjoying the birds' food.
3. Add a stick by taping or gluing it to the bottom of the hole.
4. Decorate your bird feeder.
5. Fill it up with bird seed, or bird-appropriate food.

## Tips

- Make the hole small enough for a bird, and not a squirrel
- Don't over-fill the carton so food spills out for rodents etc.
- Get help from an adult with the cutting if you need help

