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HOME TWEET HOME

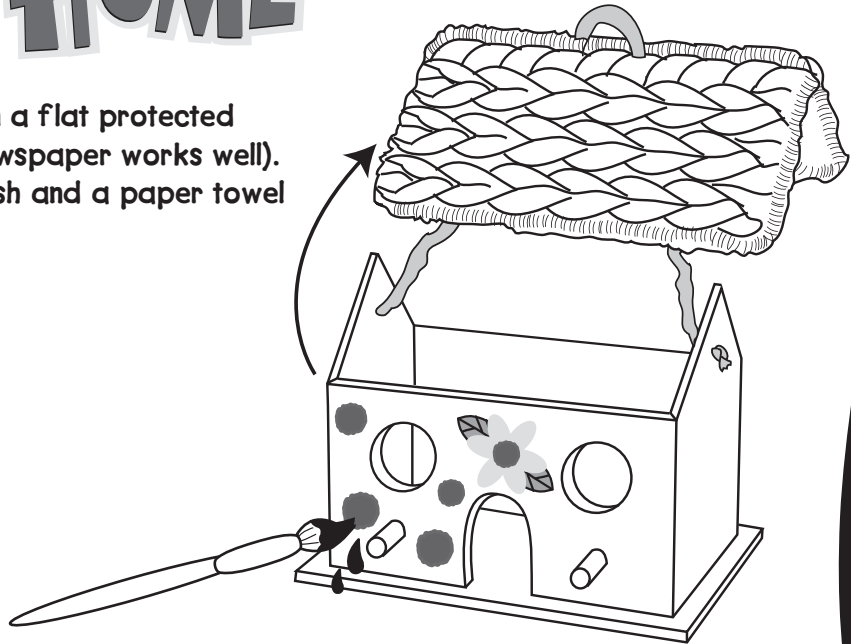
GET READY!

Lay out your birdhouse and paints on a flat protected surface, (an Alex® Drop Cloth or newspaper works well). Get a cup of water to rinse your brush and a paper towel to wipe off your brush.

GET SET!

First lift off the roof of the house so that you don't get paint on it.

Now use the weather proof paints to turn your birdhouse into a beautiful birdie home! Use the package to give you some ideas or come up with your own unique designs!



You have 6 colors and you can mix them to create new ones. Be sure to rinse and dry your brush before using a new color so that the colors remain bright and true.

⚠ WARNING! Paints are permanent and will stain. Please protect your clothing and work area!

GO!

When you're done painting your birdhouse, set it aside for a couple of hours so it can dry completely.

Here are some tips for preparing your house for birds to live in:

•Gather items that birds can use to build their nest:

- short sticks
- dried grass
- moss
- leaves
- feathers
- flower petals
- cotton stuffing
- hair from your brush
- strips of fabric*
- yarn or string*

*Make sure fabric, yarn and string are less than 6" long so baby birds don't get tangled!

•Average Nesting season: early spring through summer.

•Hang birdhouse close to a bush or tree.

•Face birdhouse away from prevailing winds.

Put all your nesting items in a basket, a mesh bag or a box near your birdhouse to encourage nesting!

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