

How to Make a Kid's Compass

Materials Required:

- **1 Paper fastener or brad** (available at most craft stores)
- Coloured paper or cardstock Scissors
- Glue or tape
- Crayons or markers
- Ribbon
- Compass Rose Template (attached)
- Rim of a Styrofoam bowl (optional)
- Hot glue gun (optional, to attach rim of the Styrofoam bowl to the outside of your compass)

Instructions:

1. Print the template from the following page onto coloured paper or cardstock.

Regardless of what you use for the Compass Rose, the Dial should be printed on Cardstock, if possible.

- 3. Decorate as desired using crayons or markers.
- **4.** If you choose to print the Compass Rose on coloured paper, **if possible**, **glue it onto a separate piece of cardstock** for extra support.
- **5. Cut out the printed template** as close to the circular outline as possible.
- 6. Cut out the Dial.
- 7. With the help of an adult, carefully poke the paper fastener in the middle of the Dial, being careful not to break through the cut edge.
- 8. With the Dial still attached, **poke the fastener in the middle of the Compass Rose**, being careful to line up the single arrowhead so it's well positioned to point to God/Others.
- 9. (Optional) Carefully cut the rim off of a Styrofoam bowl so that it remains as a continuous circle. Ask an adult to cover the inside edge with hot glue and attach the completed Compass.
- 10. Cut a loop of ribbon and use glue/tape to attach it to the top of the compass.





