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Supplies Needed

#40000797 White Pompoms, ¾", 45 pc. (1 pk)
#40000784 White Pompoms, 1", 40 pc. (1 pk)
#40000804 White Pompoms, 1 ½", 15 pc. (1 pk)
#40000713 White Perforated Canvas #14, 8.5 x 11" (1 pc)
#34734254 Colors of The Rainbow Multi Hemp Cords Mega Tub, 18 pc. (1 pk)
#40000530 Dowels, 6mm x 30 cm, 16 pc. (1 pk)
*#34734434 White Satin Cord, 24' (1 pk) (*if you choose to hang the wall hanging with cord)

Tools Needed

Scissors
Fine Point Black Marker
Ruler or Yardstick
Hot Glue Gun (precision tip preferred)
White Heavy Weight Paper, 8 ½ x 11"
Hack Saw (or some other saw to cut dowel)
Water
Paper Towels
Downloadable Cloud Shape Template

Techniques to Know

Lark's Head Knot (see illustration)
*Hot Glue Gun (*CAUTION: Hot glue can burn. Adult use only.)

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Choose five different colors of hemp cord. Arrange the colors into desired order. Cut fifteen 3 ft. lengths of each color of hemp cord.
2. Dip or rinse each group of hemp cords in water. Use fingers to squeegee excess water off the group of cords. Run a paper towel over the group of cords to remove more water. Hang each group of cords for a few minutes to allow them to dry further.
3. Download and print the attached cloud shape template or trace a cloud shape (approx. 6 ½"H x 9" W) onto the heavy weight white paper. Cut the cloud shape out. Use a black marker to trace the cloud shape onto the plastic canvas. Cut the canvas into that shape.

4. Use the glue gun to apply glue to the matte side of the white paper cloud shape, making sure the glue reaches the edges of the paper. Glue the plastic canvas cloud shape onto the paper cloud shape.
5. Begin by gluing the 1 ½" pompoms randomly onto the canvas cloud shape. Next, glue 1" pompoms. Lastly, glue ¾" pompoms on to cover the entire cloud shape w/ pompoms. Use scissors to trim off any canvas that may show from the back near the edges of the cloud shape.
6. Measure and cut a dowel so you have one 7" length and one 5" length.
7. Use a lark's head knot to attach the middle of each group of fifteen cords onto the 7" dowel, in desired color order, until all groups of cords are attached, and centered, onto the dowel.
8. Use the glue gun to apply a strip of glue along the back side of the lark's head knots on the dowel. Press that strip of glue to the bottom of the back (paper) side of the pompom cloud so the cords hang down evenly below the cloud. Use scissors to trim the bottom of the cords to desired length.
9. Use the glue gun to apply a horizontally centered strip of glue, approximately 4" W, near the top center of the back side of the cloud. Press on the 5" length of dowel so it is centered on that strip of glue.
10. If choosing to hang your rainbow cloud wall hanging using our white satin cord, cut the cord to desired length and tie ends to each end of the top dowel on the back of the wall hanging.

SUGGESTION: If this is a gift, you can personalize it by signing or writing on the back of the cloud.

SKILL LEVEL: Advanced Beginner

APPROXIMATE TIME: 2 Hr. + cord drying time

LARK'S HEAD KNOT:

