

Make your own Tambourine!

Materials for basic tambourine:

2 aluminum pie tins (or paper plates)
Stapler
Dried beans (or rice, beads, small rocks)
Construction paper AND/OR stickers
Markers (and/or crayons, paints, stickers, sticker paper)
Glue
Scissors
*Extras: puff paints, glitter pens



Basic Tambourine:

1. If you're using construction paper and glue to cover the tambourine, first cut out circles of construction paper to fit on the bottoms of the pie tins or paper plates.
2. Decorate the construction paper circles with crayons, markers, paints, cut and glue construction paper shapes, stickers, etc.
3. Fill one tin or plate full of dried beans or similar material.
4. Put the other tin or plate on top of the first and staple them together.

Materials for advanced tambourine:

1 aluminum pie tin
Construction paper OR stickers
Markers (and/or crayons, paints, stickers, sticker paper)
8-10 large washers (from the hardware store, they're shaped like a doughnut)
Colorful ribbon
Hole punch or sharp scissors
*Extras: small round bells - be sure they have a holder on one end to attach the bell (found in craft stores and fabric stores)

Advanced Tambourine:

Follow steps 1 and 2 above to decorate the tambourine

1. Punch holes (or poke holes with sharp scissors) around the edges of the pie tin, about 1-2 inches apart.
2. Cut ribbon into 3 inch pieces.
3. Thread the ribbon pieces through a washer and then through one of the holes on the side of the tambourine. You can add 2 or 3 washers for extra noise. Try shaking the tambourine and make sure that the washers are banging up against the sides of the tin.
4. If you're adding bells, thread the ribbon through the bell and then through the holes on the side of the tambourine.

When you hear the name of Haman, SHAKE THAT TAMBOURINE!!