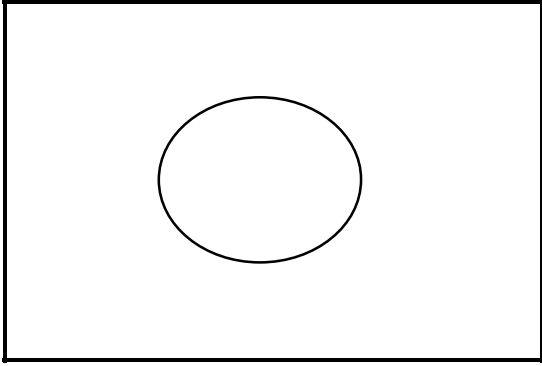


Turkey Puppet

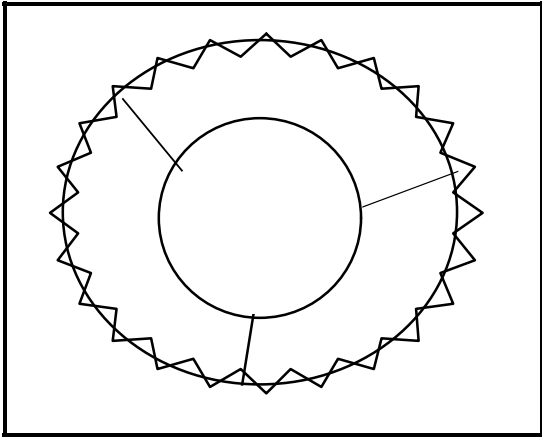


Need: brown sock, two large moving eyes, cardboard(Matting board), construction paper, tinsel for hair, red pipe cleaner, hot glue gun, black matting board or color manila paper.

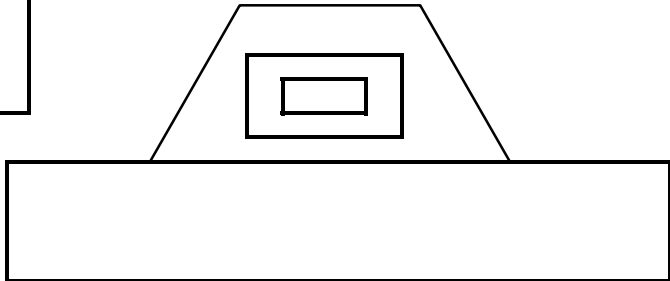
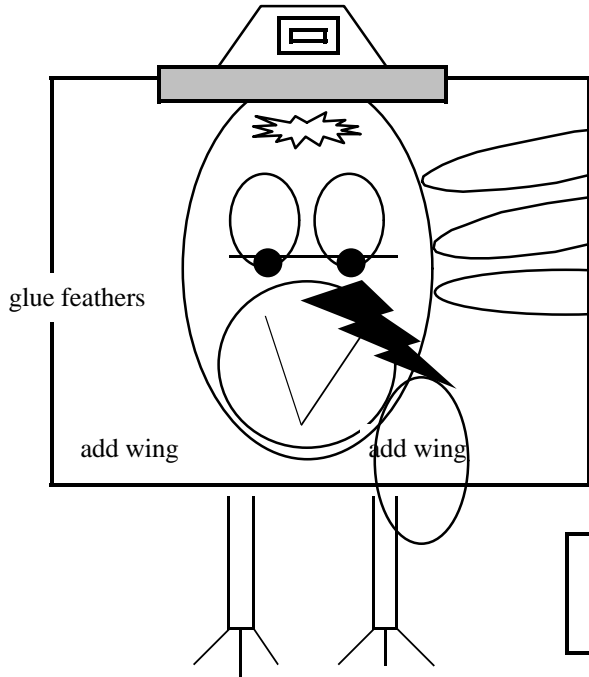
Cut 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ inch circle in center of cardboard approximately 7" by 10"
Cut 3 straight lines about 5" long in brown sock . Pull sock through board and glue around backside of board. Cut feathers (8" long) about (12 including 2 fat brown ones for bottom wing) Cut form for eyes. For eye pattern fold a thin piece to apply hot glue to stick to sock to make pattern stand up. Glue eyes to eye pattern. Glue tinsel on back of eye pattern for hair. Glue feathers around board. For bottom use 2 larger brown feathers and glue only about 2 in next to circle and bend backwards to form wings. Curl wings slightly with scissors. Add legs and toes. Cut out beak. Push in end of sock for beak to go in. Fold beak and put a little glue on folded edge. Stick beak in fold of sock. Fold red pipe cleaner for snood. (that red thing that hangs over face.)



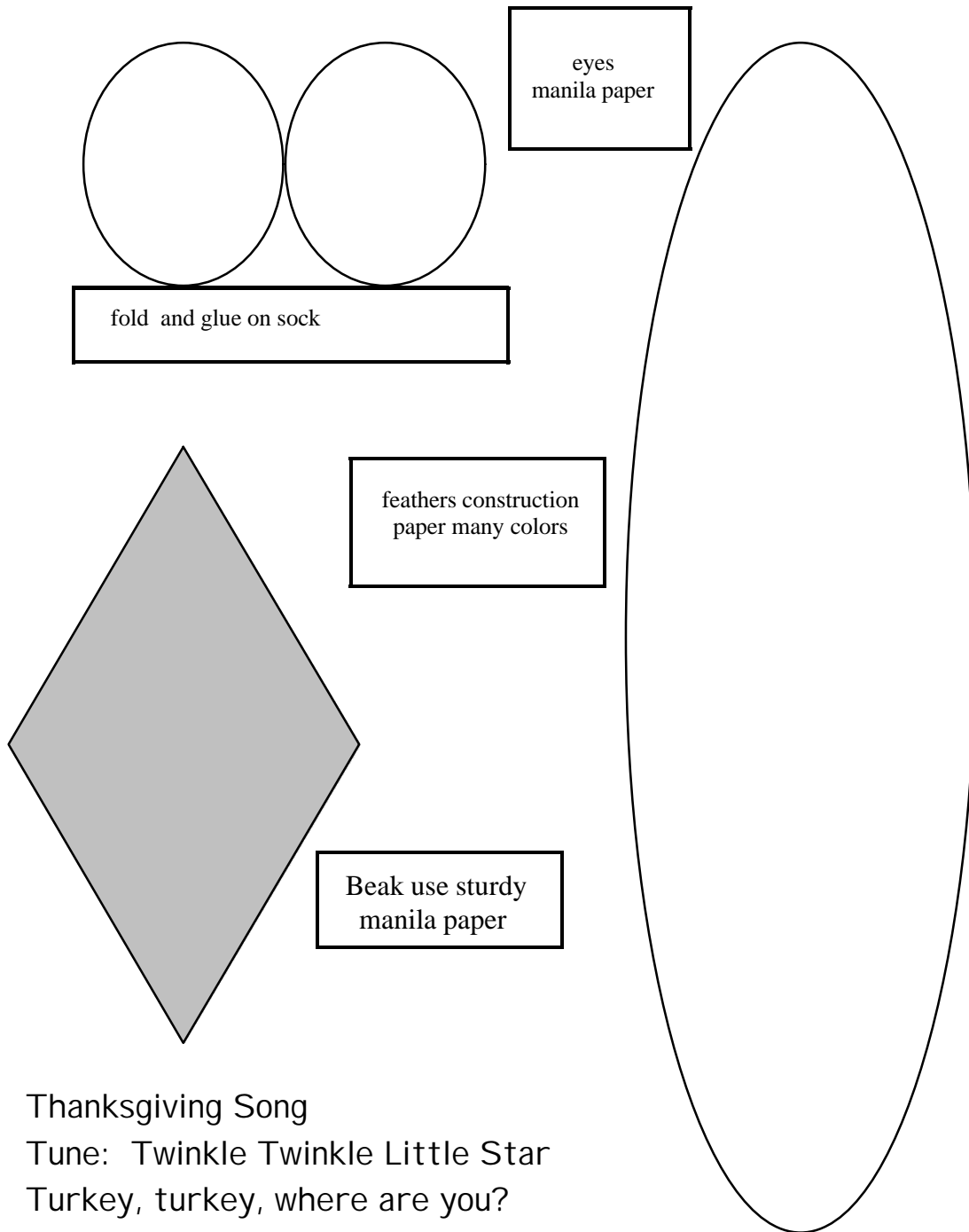
Cardboard with 3 3/4 inch circle



Back side
hot glue sock all around edge of circle



Hat black matting board with white buckle in center



Thanksgiving Song

Tune: Twinkle Twinkle Little Star

Turkey, turkey, where are you?

I'm a pilgrim looking for you.

Thanksgiving Day is coming soon. A

Thanksgiving feast we'll have at noon

(Repeat first two lines)

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Activities with Turkey Puppet

1. Let children count with turkey only as he nods his head. If a child counts before he nods, the counting must start at one again. Children must watch carefully to see when turkey nods his head.
2. Touch different feathers and let children say color of feather.
3. Count the feathers for total of feathers
4. Count each color of feathers.

Turkey Song: To tune of: Skip to my Lou

Turkey in the woods now what will he say.

Turkey in the woods now what will he say.

Turkey in the woods now what will he say.

Gobble, Gobble, Gobble Day!

Pilgrims in their houses what will they say.

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Happy Thanksgiving Day!

I'm a Little Turkey Song Tune to I'm a little Teapot

I'm a Little Turkey in the tree
keeping very still so you can't see
When you go away then I will say
Gobble, Gobble, Gobble, Thanksgiving Day.

Thanksgiving Turkey Song Tune to Yankee Doodle

I'm a Thanksgiving turkey
a turkey proud to say
Gobble, Gobble, Gobble, Gobble (children flap arms)
Gobble, Gobble, Gobble
Happy Thanksgiving Day!

Turkey, turkey in the tree
come with me and jump for glee!
Turkey, turkey in the hay
come with me and we will play!
Turkey, turkey on the tray
Gobble, gobble Thanksgiving Day