

Pirate Flag



Flying your colors is a big part of being a pirate. It lets the other pirates know who you are and non-pirates to fear you.

I've added some real pirate flags but feel free to create your own symbols for your flag.

Supplies:

- $\frac{3}{4}$ inch dowel
- Black muslin fabric about $\frac{1}{2}$ yard for each flag.
- Wonder Under
- Iron
- Hot glue gun with glue sticks

Prepping your fabric:

Go get a pillow case and use this to measure out your fabric.

The left hand side of your fabric will be used to roll up the flag pole in. You will need to leave a good 8 inches or so for this. I iron a crease at this spot. Everything to the right of the crease is the flag. Everything to the left is for the pole.

Print out the pirate flag patterns.

Cut out the pirate flag pattern that you chose.

On the shiny side of the wonder under, trace your pattern pieces.

Cut out the pattern pieces.

On your fabric place your pieces towards the right hand side, in the center of the fabric. We will be folding the left hand side over to roll our flag pole and fabric together.



Iron the pattern onto your flag and let cool.

Placing the flag pole

Fold your fabric over.

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A 1/4 inch away from the edge, place your dowel.



With your glue gun run a strip of hot glue on your dowel and quickly adhere the fabric edge to it.



Now roll the fabric one time and glue in the ditch for the whole length of the flag pole.



Roll the fabric one turn again and glue in the ditch. Continue to do this until you flag pole reaches the crease in the fabric.



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