

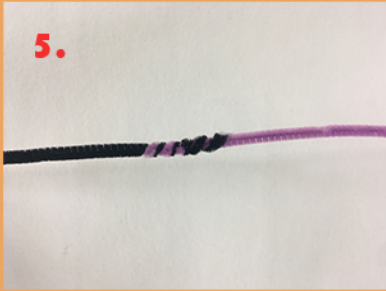
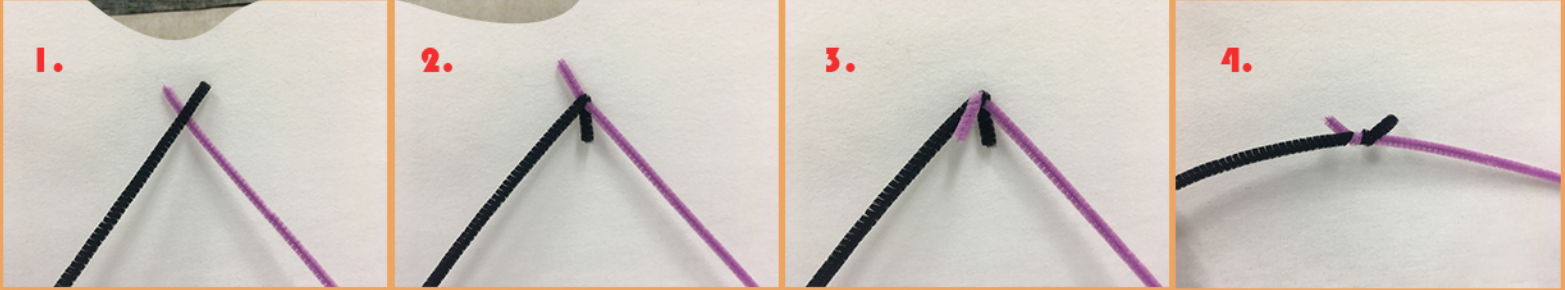


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Body Extension: How to Make Wearable Sculpture

Sculptures are objects that often relate to the body in their shape or size. Let's think about how we can extend our bodies with sculpture!

In this project you will need pipe cleaners to make wearable sculpture. Start with two and add as many as you like.



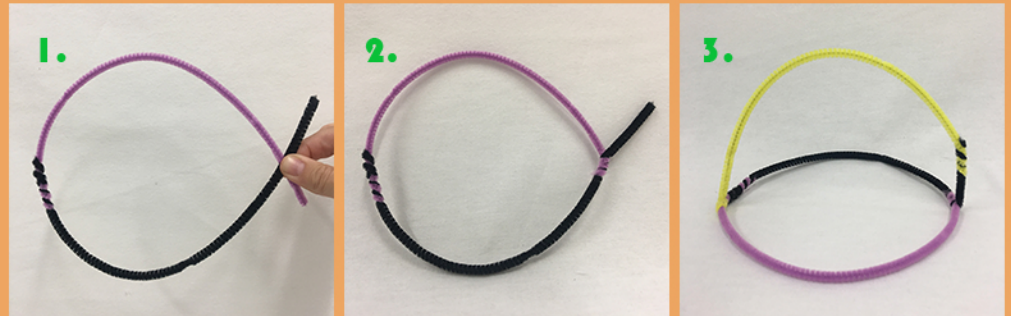
Follow picture 1-5 to attach the pipe cleaners together.

1. Make an X with two pipe cleaners, leaving about an inch at the two ends.
2. Fold one pipe cleaner over the other.
3. Fold the other pipe cleaner over the one already folded.
4. Twist the pipe cleaners around each other.
5. Keep twisting until you have a connected pipe cleaner!

By connecting the pipe cleaners they become longer and stronger. Now you may begin to wrap and attach pipe cleaners to your body.

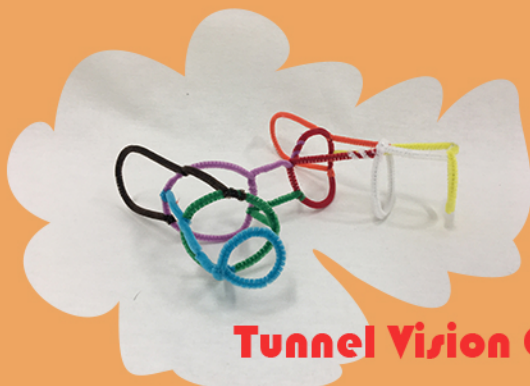
To make a crown or a hat. Take two pipe cleaners that are attached. Wrap the cleaners snugly around your head. Pinch the cleaners in place & remove from head. Then follow the photos to the right.

1. Pinch & hold
2. Twist cleaners in place.
3. Begin to add more cleaners to make your own creation.



Now that you know the basics it's time to make your own wearable sculpture. Imagine ways to extend your body. Think of your senses. Make a sculpture that helps you see, smell, or hear better.

Can you make a sculpture that connects your head to your foot, or a sculpture of a third hand that you can raise in class, or a sculpture that helps you think?



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