



# Toilet roll dragon

## The workbench

- 10 toilet rolls
- 1 rectangle box
- 1 packet metallic wrapping paper (assorted colors)
- Scissors, craft glue, clear tape.
- Red felt
- 2 sheets A4 white paper, 1 sheet colored paper for the mouth area
- String
- 2 sparkly pom poms
- 2 plastic eyes
- 1 egg carton
- Glitter
- Poster paint (1 color)
- Fine tinsel string and Christmas thread (craft retailers)

### **Step 1.**

Cut to size the different colors of metallic paper to fit around the toilet rolls, and then tape them around. Cut triangle teeth 2/3rds of the box length on both sides (refer to picture), then fold the topside of the cardboard up and backwards at the end where the teeth finish to form the jaw. Glue the white paper over the teeth, then cut off the excess paper from around the teeth to form the dragon's sharp teeth.

### **Step 2.**

Cut to size the colored paper for the mouth then glue it to the bottom of the mouth inside. Cut out a forked tongue from the red felt and glue inside the mouth. Put some glue all over the outside of the box and cover with metallic paper. After gluing the plastic eyes onto the pom poms glue onto the box top. Cut out 2 eggs compartments from the bottom of the egg carton then paint and glitter them, before gluing the nostrils onto the box top.

### **Step 3.**

Put 4 holes into each toilet roll, 2 on either side and two holes in the neck of the head (refer to the picture). Thread the string through the neck hole from the outside then back through the second hole so both of the string ends are on the outside of the head. Thread both the string ends through each toilet roll keeping the string to the same sides of the toilet rolls. Once you have finished threading all rolls onto the string tie the 2 string ends together in a knot. Tape some Christmas thread and fine tinsel string onto the last toilet roll for a tail. Put 2 holes under the nostrils and attach string if you wish the dragon to be pulled along the ground.



