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### Make a kindling aid with cotton wool and wax



Here you can find out how you can use cotton pads and wax to make fire starters with the children

#### Material

- Wadding Pads (Cosmetic Supplies)
- Candles
- Match
- Resealable plastic bags

#### Instructions

- Light a candle
- Drip the wax from the candle onto a cotton pad (do not hold the candle too steeply or it will rust and the wax will turn black)
- When the cotton pad is completely covered with wax drops, turn the cotton pad and repeat on the back side
- When the wax has dried, place the kindling in a resealable plastic bag

#### Tips

- The little bag of kindling fits nicely in the breast pocket of your cub shirt
- To use: When using, pluck the cotton pad apart slightly and light

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#### Sources

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