

Coco FunKY GiRLz BoW!

Materials needed:

Wire - 18-20 gauge

Clippie of your choice, French clippie is preferred for the stability of the bow

Hot melt glue or Aleene's Tacky Glue

Spray fabric stiffener

White tissue paper or Paper towels

8" - 1.5" lilac dotted ribbon

14" - 1.5" lilac dotted ribbon

23" - 1.5 rainbow striped ribbon

40" - 1.5 baby blue dotted ribbon

6" - 3/8" yellow grosgrain ribbon

You can change any of the above colors and patterns to anything that you

wish, have fun with this! I am just letting you know what was specific colored/patterend ribbons were used on this exact bow because we have gotten many request from costumers that want to learn how to make the exact bows the way they were shown in the picture! This is for you girls.



Take your 23" - 1.5 rainbow striped ribbon make, leave a 1" tail and make a 4" loop, take your left tail and fold it away from you.



Clinch it in the center and secure it well by wrapping your wire around the center a few times. Cut your tails on an angel like a V style.



Make an angled looped bow, take your 11" - 1.5" striped ribbon twist it and clinch it in the center and turn your bow over, place the ribbon on top of your bow and secure it will by wrapping a piece of wire around it.

This is a very cute bow to add embellishments to the center of the only difference is that you need to use a shorter piece of ribbon, use a 6-7" piece of ribbon. You can cut your tails on an angle like a V or just across on an angle.



Take your 14" - 1.5" lilac dotted ribbon, let about an inch of your ribbon hang and form a loop by taking your left tail and crossing it over your right tail.



Now bring your left tail piece of ribbon towards you to form a loop and tuck it under the rest of the ribbon.



Clinch your bow in the center and wrap your wire around it nice and tight, leave some wire hanging because you will need to wrap it around your bow.



Wrap your wire around your angled loop bow, wrap your wire around it and tighten it well so that it doesn't come loose.



Now you have your looped pinwheel bow the only difference is to get this bow ready you need to use a shorter tail by 4". I love this bow because you can do so much with it, you can add korkers to the center of it, a flower trim or a bow embellishment. Make sure you puff it up by adding your tissue paper in your loops and spraying it with your spray starch, when dry remove your tissue paper.



Turn your bow over and attach your 8" - 1.5" lilac dotted piece of ribbon that you have cut both ends on an angle to make a V like tail.



Take your 40" - 1.5 baby blue dotted ribbon and make a looped pointed bow. You are going to star building this bow by taking your ribbon and starting in the opposite direction like in picture #13. Leave 1" of your ribbon hanging and take your ribbon form a loop.



Take your left tail piece of your ribbon and bring it towards you to form a loop like so.



Now take your bow and turn it once counter clockwise so both loops are on the same side facing you.



take your ribbon and pull it up and straight away from you. Take that ribbon and form a loop by bringing that piece of ribbon and turning it towards you to form your loop. Turn your bow one time to the left and you have your 3 loops, you need to repeat the process until you have 4 loops.



Clinch your bow in the center and wrap a piece of wire around it a few times, leave some hanging. Put your bow aside for a second.



6" - 1.5 baby blue dotted ribbon, cut your tails on an angle like a V stack it on top of your bow and secure it well by wrapping wire around it a couple of times.



Now add your looped pointed bow on top and secure with wire.



Take your 6" - 3/8" yellow grosgrain ribbon tie a knot in the center, tie another knot on the top of that, wrap it around the center of your bow knot side facing you in the center of the bow.



Turn your bow around and tie that ribbon in a knot and secure it

more by wrapping a piece of wire around it. Turn your bow right side up and there you have your Coco bow! :)

See how many different kinds of bows it took to make this bow? It's all about learning how to make different kinds of bows, mixing them up and building layer upon layer that will make your big gorgeous funky bows, so practice all your different kinds of bows that I am teaching you because once you have them down pat the possibilities are endless!!!!!! That's why I am making your bows into individual instructions for when you want to start making your own designs it will be a lot easier to just look up that particular direction for a certain bow rather than searching through all the steps! I am looking forward to seeing all of your cool new designs!

Remember if you want to share them with us just send us photos and we will add it to our web page along with your name and or ebay id: etc. =)



