

Let's make a spider web.

While weaving your web, consider the precision, gentleness, and skill it takes a spider to make its web.

Web making materials you need:

- 🕷️ 3 sticks about ¼ to ½ inch thick and 18-24 inches long (try to get/cut them the same length)
- 🕷️ Yarn or string (lots—20feet or more)
- 🕷️ Scissors
- 🕷️ Maybe a helper to hold the yarn as you wrap it around the sticks



Steps for making the web:

1. Collect all your supplies: 3 sticks, yarn (string or twine), and scissors.

2. Cut your yarn/string to 20 feet or more. This example used just under 20 feet.

3. Overlap the 3 sticks in the center so they look like spokes on a wheel. Try to make each stick about the same size when measured from the center.



4. Leaving a small tail (about 5 inches) in the yarn, tie it in a knot diagonally between two "Vs," of the sticks where they cross. Then wrap the yarn around those Vs, three or four times. Repeat wrapping three or four times around the other two sets of "Vs." If the sticks are still too wiggly, wrap all three Vs again.

5. Tie the tail and the long piece of yarn into a knot, and snip off the tail.

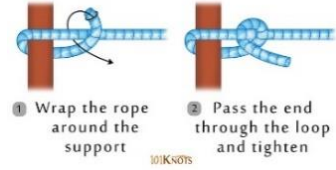


6. Wind the yarn into a ball to make it easier to work with.



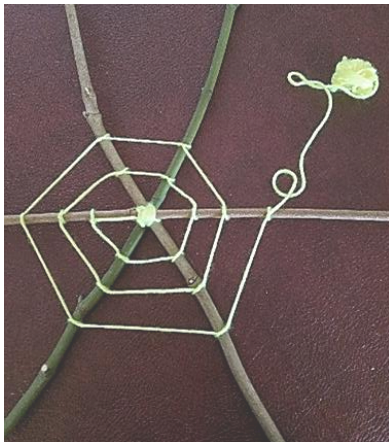


Half Hitch Instructions

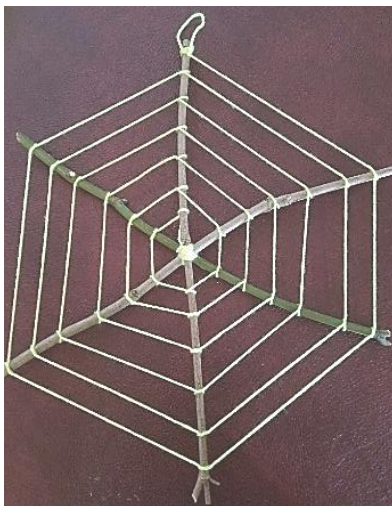


<https://www.101knots.com/half-hitch.html>

7. Then, make a “half-hitch” knot around one of the sticks. →



8. Continue to make half-hitches on each stick as you spiral around the center.



9. When there isn't much more room to weave your web, tie the yarn into a knot on the last stick, and then make a loop so you can hang up your creation. **Nice job!**

