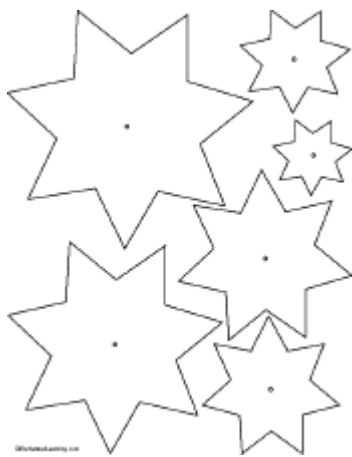


# Cascade of Stars

## Supplies needed:

- Thick paper, like cardstock or thick construction paper
- A printer
- A drinking straw (one straw for each project)
- Yarn (about 1 1/2 feet of yarn for each project)
- Scissors
- Optional - paint, markers, glitter



Draw and cut out 6 stars of various sizes from thick paper. For a [star template](#), [click here](#).

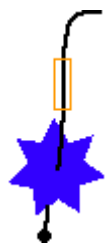
Poke a tiny hole in the center of each star (this is where you will eventually thread the yarn through them).



Optional: Decorate the stars with paint or markers. Also, glitter is a nice decorative touch. (Work on top of old newspapers to avoid too much of a mess.)



Cut a drinking straw into 1 1/2 inch long segments (the exact length is not important) - you need 5 segments of straw for each project.



Cut a piece of yarn about 2 feet long. Tie a thick knot at one end of the yarn. Thread the smallest star through the other end of the yarn -- push it down to the knot. Then thread a segment of drinking straw -- push it down to the small star.



Continue threading stars and straw segments. When the last star (the biggest star) has been threaded onto the yarn, tie a large loop at the end (you will hang your mobile from this loop).