

Make a speedy birdcake



Just as the name says, this is quick and easy to make. Hang it up and feed the birds this winter.



1 Make a small hole in the bottom of the pot/cup. Thread a long piece of string through the hole and tie a sizeable knot on the inside. Leave enough string so that you can tie the pot to a tree or bird table.

You will need:

- Good quality bird seed
- Raisins
- Peanuts
- Grated cheese
- Suet or lard at room temperature
- Yogurt pots/plastic cups
- String
- Mixing bowl
- Wooden spoon
- Scissors



2 Chop the lard into pieces and put in the bowl, mixing thoroughly with the other ingredients.



3 Spoon the bird cake mix into the pots. If you can, put them in a fridge for an hour or two to set.



4 Hang your speedy bird cakes up. Will birds such as blue tits come to feed? Wait and see!