

Food packaging bird feeder!



Food packaging is usually made up of light and durable packaging materials such as cardboard, tin, glass and plastic. This helps to ensure that our food is transported safely.

Send us a picture of you and your completed bird feeder to stem@uk.bmt.org

Why not keep a tally of how many birds you can spot using it?

If you are looking for other ways to recycle your plastic packaging, please look at the following example of how we can help the environment!

<https://www.ecobricks.org/>

Unfortunately, its properties make it hard to break down, and more regularly it ends up in streets, parks, rivers, beaches and oceans, especially plastic. Consequently, we've seen an increased amount of plastic entering our food chains and shocking images of it impacting wildlife across the world — especially in the oceans.

Our team of aquatic scientists are all too familiar with this problem in the marine environment!

Therefore, we challenge you to design a bird feeder using household waste. Hang this from your window or put it out in your garden so that you can give back to the environment!

Remember we don't want it going back into the bin so you need to make it hard wearing and durable so that it will last.