

BIRDS OF A FEATHER AUCTION TOGETHER

CONSTRUCTION TIPS



If birdhouses are intended to accommodate nesting birds, please ensure they can be easily cleaned out by including a hinged element in your design.



If your item is to be used outside, please ensure elements will not fall off. Hot glue is not secure enough for even the smallest pieces. Please use construction glue or nails.



If you are gluing bits in place you can use exterior caulking around the edge to make it waterproof.



If you are painting your item, use waterproof paints or seal the design with waterproof sealant.



It is helpful to include care instructions for your item: will it withstand winter weather, does it need to be refinished every year, etc.



When you register your item, it is essential to have reference measurements, either by standing your piece next to a ruler or having an item next to it to judge the size.

