

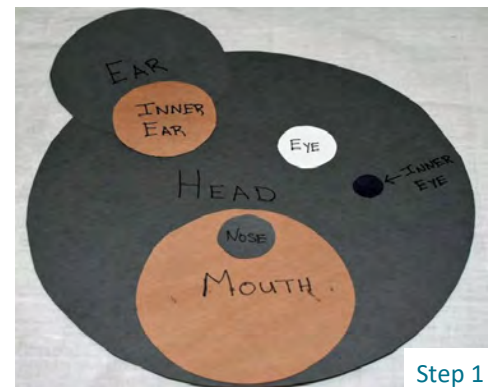
## You will need:

- Construction paper or regular paper
- A variety of round shaped objects to trace (e.g., plates, cups, coins)
- Scissors
- Glue
- Markers



## Directions:

1. Trace a variety of circles on to your paper, you will need (see below image):
  - 1 large for the face (I used a small plate)
  - 1 medium for the mouth (I used a large cup)
  - 1 small-medium for the ears (I used a smaller cup)
  - 1 for the inner ears (about half the size of the regular ears)
  - 3 quarter-sized for the nose and outer eyes
  - 2 dime-sized for the inner eyes
2. Cut out all the circles and color if needed (black bears are not always black, so use whatever color you want!)
3. Glue the mouth circle to the lower part of the head
4. Cut the 2 ear circles in half and glue the inner ear on to the outer ear and then glue both ears to the top of the head attaching either on the front or the back of the head
5. Glue the inner eye on to the outer eye and glue both to the head (can also use wiggly eyes instead)
6. Glue the nose on to the top part of the mouth circle and draw a mouth under the nose



**Optional:** instead of making eyes, cut out quarter-sized holes in the head where the eyes would go then glue a popsicle stick to the back and make a bear mask!

## Can You “Bear” Some Math?

- In the spring/summer black bears eat ~5000 calories/day.
- In the fall right before denning, they eat ~20,000 calories/day!
- A whole pepperoni pizza has ~2500 calories.
- If you were a bear, how many pizzas per day would you eat in the spring/summer? How about in the fall?