

# *Pilgrim Figurines*

## For Thanksgiving

### Materials Needed:

- One empty toilet paper tube
- Four sheets of cardstock (one color each for: the skin, the hair, the clothing, and the collar/women's bonnet)
- Pattern pieces
- Scissors
- Glue
- Markers

### Vocabulary:

- Pilgrims
- Thanksgiving
- Bonnet
- Collar

### Instructions:

1. Cut out all the pattern pieces. Trace each one on the cardstock of the corresponding color.
2. Cut out the cardstock pieces.
3. First, take the 'skin' piece and wrap it around the toilet paper tube. Put a little glue on each edge and hold the edges down while the glue dries.
4. Next, glue the 'clothing' piece to the bottom edge of the toilet paper tube. Try to line up the seems of the paper so that they are all in one place (this will be the back of the figurine).
5. On the side OPPOSITE the paper seems, draw two eyes and a mouth for the Pilgrim's face. Don't draw it too big-- make sure to leave room for his or her hair!
6. Under the face, glue on the collar. Draw three or four little buttons down the center.
7. Glue the hands to the front of the body, a little bit lower and to the sides of the collar.
8. Take the 'hair' and 'bangs' pieces. Roll them around a pen to give them a little curl.
9. Then, cut slits up the bottom edges of both the 'hair' and the 'bangs.' (This is important because without the slits, the paper will not wrap around the toilet paper tube.)
10. Glue the edge of the 'hair' piece to the top edge of the toilet paper tube. If you want, you can trim the hair a little bit (i.e., if you are making a boy or a man).
11. Glue the bangs to the top edge above the face. Again, you can trim them if you want. If you find that they cover up the face, you may choose not to add the bangs.
12. For a girl or woman, take the 'bonnet' piece. Take two of the corners on opposite ends of the rectangle. Put a little glue on one of the corners, and press the two together. Hold them together until the glue dries.
13. For a man or boy, take the 'hat band' and glue it to the bottom edge of the 'hat.' Use a few pieces of tape to secure the 'hat' to the 'hat base.'
14. Place the hat or bonnet on the Pilgrim's head. You're done!