




### Make Your Own Badges

Badges are a great way to get your message across, as well as brighten up your clothes, bags and pencil cases. Pick a new badge each day to suit your mood (and your outfit!). They're fun to design and easy to make.

- Keep your badges small. 1-inch (25mm) badges are the perfect size. You don't want them too big, or people might think it's your birthday every day! Plus the smaller they are, the more of them you can wear.
- Once you have a design, you can make your badge using a badge machine. They vary in price – the cheaper ones can often be found in toy shops. Alternatively, cut your badge base out of cardboard (cereal packets are good), draw or glue your design on the front and stick a safety pin on the back. Some lids might make suitable badge bases too – and did you know that you can bake a badge from a flour and water mixture?

#### 1-inch badge templates



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