

## HOW-TO IT'S MY BIRTHDAY PARTY HAT

### MATERIALS

- Decorative Paper
- Pom-Pom
- Crepe Paper
- Needle and Thread
- Hot Glue
- Double-sided Tape
- 3-D Foam Squares



### INSTRUCTIONS

1. Cut a cone shape from a 12 inch by 12 inch piece of paper.
2. Roll the paper and using double-sided tape, secure the edges.
3. Trim the bottom of the cone if necessary, so that cone will stand in an upright position (this hat is 8 inches from top to bottom).
4. Hot glue a pom-pom on the top point.
5. Cut a strip of crepe paper 2 inches wide by 36 inches long.
6. Sew down the middle of the crepe paper stitching  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch stitches. Gather.
7. Fold the crepe paper down at the center stitch . Hot glue the backside of the bottom half of the crepe paper 1 inch above the bottom of the cone shape.
8. Apply hot glue under the top fold to create a double ruffle.
9. Using double-sided tape, stick a decorative design onto a different paper. We used the words "Happy Birthday".
10. Cut out around the lettering.
11. Using 3-D tape squares, stick the decoration to the front of the hat.
12. You can add a small piece of elastic or ribbon to each side of the hat if you like.