

# Upcycled No-Sew T-shirt Bags

Repurposing old shirts is a great way to give old and unworn shirts a new life. Like any upcycled item, it's a great way to create something unique while reducing your waste.

## Materials:

- Old shirt
- Scissors
- Ruler
- Large bowl
- Washable marker



## Directions

1. Following the seams along the arm-holes, cut off the sleeves of the shirt.



2. Use the large bowl and marker to draw a half circle or oval around the neck of the shirt. Cut along the half circle, cutting both the front and the back of the shirt at the same time.



3. Turn the shirt inside out.
4. Line up the bottom two seams.

5. Use the ruler and the marker to mark lines about 2 inches long, space about  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch apart.
6. Use the scissors to cut the fringe.



7. Tie the fringe in knots, matching the front and the back in pairs. Continue this along the whole length of fringe.
8. Take each set of fringe and use one piece to tie it to one piece to tie it to the fringe on the left and one piece to tie it to the fringe on the right (this helps to reduce the holes between the fringe. Continue this along the whole length of fringe.



9. Turn your bag right side out and enjoy!