

# Macramé Plant Holder

## Audience:

Young people (age 12+)

## You will need the following:

- Heavy twine or macramé cord (each holder needs four strands of ~120cm)
- Scissors
- Small pot or jar

## Session length:

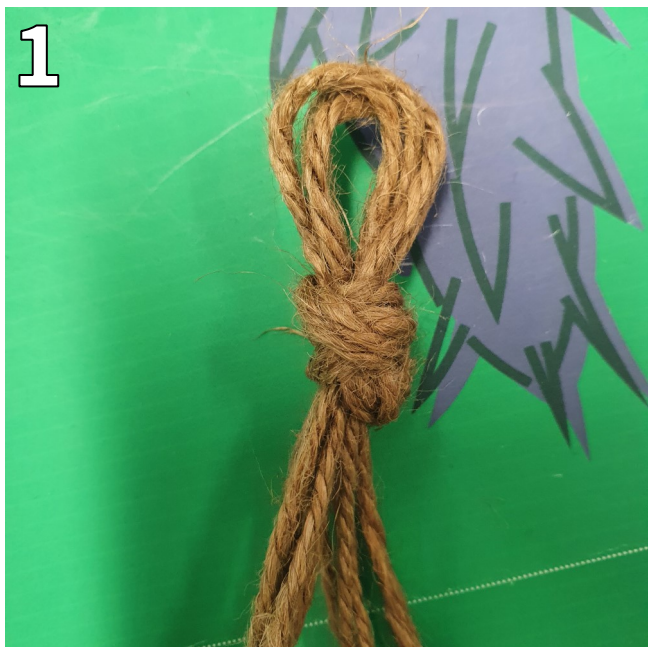
1 hour

## Preparation:

Pre-cut cord if so desired.

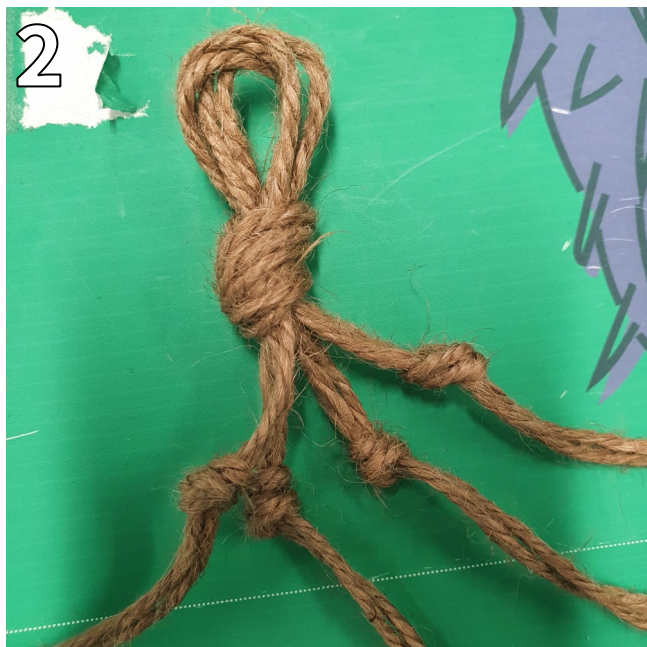


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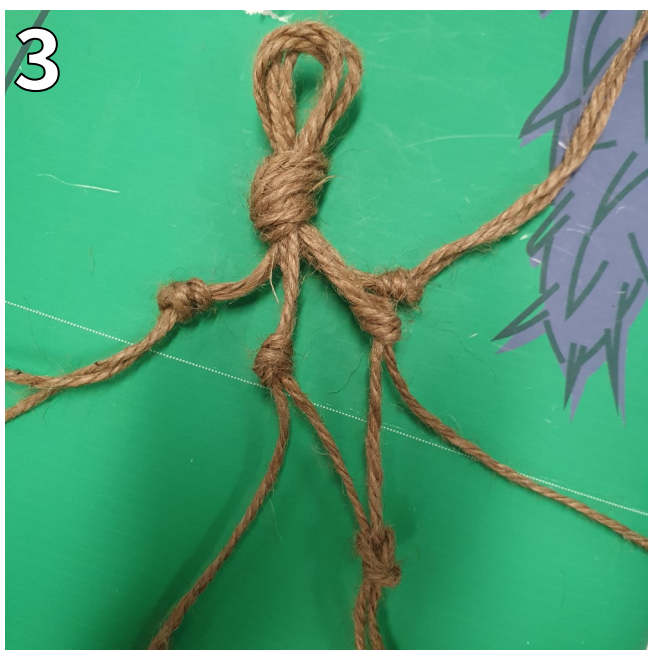
Take four strands of cord and fold them in half. Create a loop by knotting the strands. There should be eight strands hanging from the loop.

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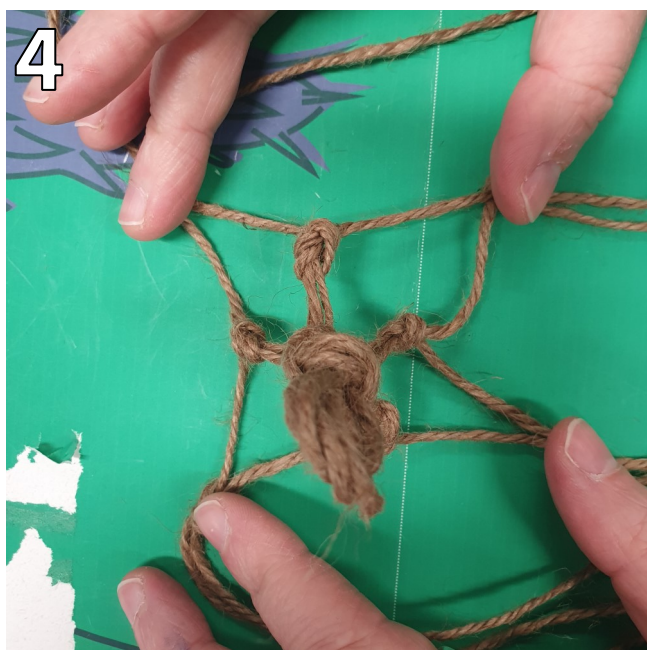
Divide the eight strands into pairs. Knot each pair together. Try to make each knot an even distance away from the top—between 1-2cm.

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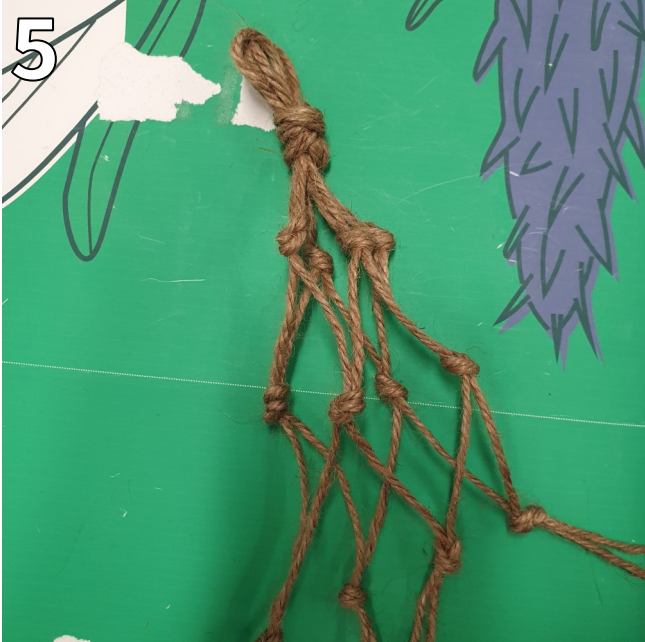
Now take the right-hand strand from one pair and knot it together with the left-hand strand of the next pair to create a diamond shape. Make the knot further away from the previous knots—2-3cm.

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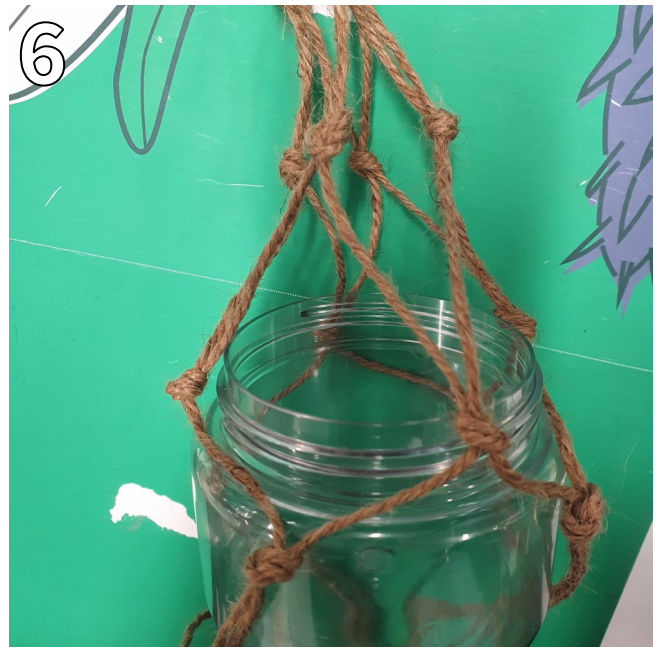


Do this for each strand, so that a net begins to form.

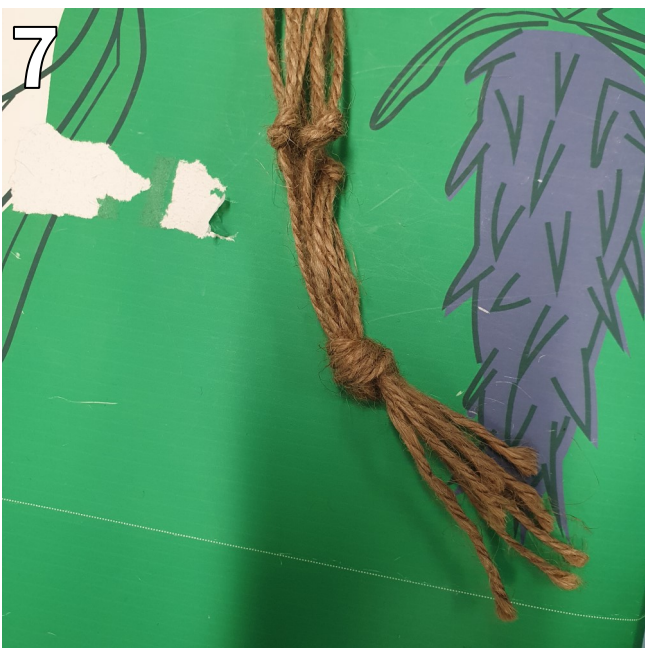




Create a third row of knots in the same way, with a larger gap again between the previous row. This will widen the net, and make the diamond shapes bigger each time.



Repeat the previous step, using your jar or pot to test if the net is wide enough to hold it, and when you have made enough rows of knots. How much you need to do will depend on the size and shape of the jar/pot.



Once your plant holder is at the desired length, tie the strands together in a knot, 4-5cm away from the previous knots. Cut the hanging strands to the desired length.



Use the largest diamond to place your jar or pot into the holder. All finished!