# Pirates, Fairies & Princesses



### How To Make An Easy Pirate Outfit

#### You need:

- Black pants, leggings or tights
- White or striped long sleeved shirt
- Strip of fabric (red looks good for a belt
- Cardboard and aluminium foil for a sword
- Bandanna
- An eye patch and hat (see page 2 for more info).
- Face make-up

**How to make it:** First, cut the black pants legs to about 3/4 length below the knee leaving a jagged bottom. Tuck an oversized shirt into the pants. A striped shirt would look great too, particularly a red and white one. A strip of red fabric makes a great belt or sash.

Tie a red bandanna around your child's head and add some old costume jewellery and large clipon earrings. If you feel ok about it, you can even make a sword from cardboard covered in foil.

And to complete the look use an eyeliner pencil to draw a moustache, bushy eyebrows, stubble and complete the picture with a scar!







## How To Make An Easy Princess Or Fairy Outfit

#### You will need:

- A pretty dress or a bodysuit and ballet tutu, the frillier the better!
- Princess: Crown or tiara and cape,
  - OR
- Fairy: Fairy wings and wand **PRINCESS**

**Crown or Tiara:** Make a crown or tiara from shimmery pipe cleaners or a necklace and some wire, or make a medieval princess's hat from a cardboard cone, add an elastic chin strap and a chiffon scarf flowing from the tip.

#### **Princess Cape:**

Make a cape from pretty fabric or a piece of old sheer curtain.



#### FAIRY Fairy Wings:

Make fairy wings by laying sheer fabric on heavy duty craft paper. Using craft glue, draw butterfly wing patterns or other designs on the fabric, then sprinkle craft glitter on top and set aside to dry. Use a needle and thread or nappy pins to attach securely to the back of the costume.

#### Fairy Wand:

Glue a cardboard star decorated with glitter to a piece of dowel and tie lots of ribbon to the top. Or use gift wrap ribbon or decorations to make easy and pretty fairy wands.



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## **Pirate Hat & Eye Patch**



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