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## Make your own T-shirt Bracelet

Are you missing your friends? We are too! Let's make some friendship bracelets from old T-shirts. So grab your favorite adult and let's get started.

### You Will Need:

1. Old T-shirts, different colors
2. Scissors
3. Safety pin (optional)



**1.** Cut the sleeves off of an old T-shirt (save the rest to make a reusable bag). Following the sleeve seam cut until the sleeve is one long piece of fabric.



**2.** Next cut a one inch wide strip of the sleeve starting from the widest part. Repeat with the other T-shirt sleeve pieces. A variety of color for the bracelet is best.



**3.** Make sure to cut off any of the seams of the T-shirt sleeve, if not it will make it difficult to weave the bracelet.

**4.** Bring three different T-shirt strips together and tie a knot at the top. Now it is time to start weaving.

**5.** Secure the knot with a safety pin or have someone hold it for you as you weave. Separate the three pieces - a left, middle and right.

**6.** Starting with the left piece, cross it over the middle piece. Then take the right piece and cross it over the "new" middle piece. Repeat until you have reached the desired length of the bracelet.

**7.** Make a knot at the bottom of bracelet and use a safety pin to attach the ends. Cut off the extra T-shirt fabric (optional).

Remember to share a picture of your bracelet(s) with us on Facebook @SoutheastLouisiana.