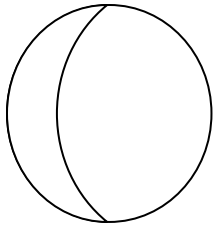


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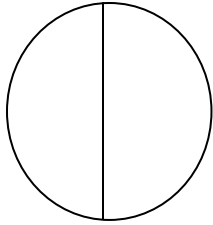
Cut out wheels. Cut away extra space on first wheel. Match up wheels and attach together using a brass fastener.

Turn the wheel and paste one moon on each spot (in order, if desired— crescent, half, gibbous, full).

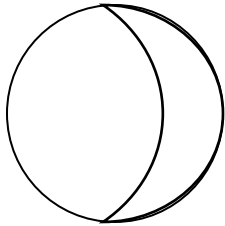
With your young child, don't use these to try to teach the moon phases names. Instead, gently explain that the moon seems to change but it doesn't. You can illustrate this with the moons since each one is a full circle. Let your student color the shadow on each moon and explain that the shadow makes the moon appear to change.



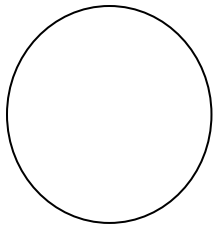
Crescent
Let your student color
the right side black



Half Moon
Let your student color
the right side black



Gibbous Moon
Let your student color
the right side black



Full Moon
Don't color anything

Color each moon appropriately. After you put your wheel together, glue each moon on to a blank spot so that they will be seen (one at a time) as your student rotates the wheel.