

## Elmer's Washable Glue™ Bottle Retro-Fit

You will need: A bottle of Elmer's Washable School Glue™  
A 0.5mm Bic™ disposable mechanical pencil  
(the cheapest you can find)  
Pliers and Scissors  
A knitting needle protector to use as a stopper.

OR: A replacement cap with a metal tip available in the paint department of hobby stores.



Remove the cap from the glue bottle and thoroughly rinse and dry it.

Use the pliers to remove the orange cap from the white base of the glue tip and to remove the small tip from the tip of the Bic mechanical pencil.



Use the scissors to:

Cut off the skinny part of the white tip;

Cut the orange tip enough to allow the pencil tip to slide up snugly inside the orange tip;

Trim the very tip off the pencil tip so that the glue will go through it.



Assemble the newly trimmed parts. You may need the pliers to snap the orange tip back in place.

Use the knitting needle protector as a stopper on the new glue dispenser.

If you don't want to do all that, just buy a new cap and tip. Either of these options will allow you to have more control over the amount of glue you put on your fabric.



I have found that storing my glue bottle upside down prevents the glue from drying out and stopping up the tip. I also store Liquid Stitch™ upside down with a knitting needle protector. That is a permanent fabric adhesive and will not wash out of fabric like the Elmer's will. They are NOT interchangeable.



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