

How to Make Bow

Kamehameha Schools – Song Contest Bow

Online video tutorial: <http://tinyurl.com/SongContestBowTutorial>

- 1) To make bow for Song Contest, you will need:
 - a) scissors
 - b) a ruler or yardstick
 - c) A 12" (or 1-foot) piece of ribbon to tie or secure the bow
 - d) And a 36" (or 1-yard) piece of ribbon to make a bow
 - e) These two pieces of ribbon should be enough to create ONE (1) bow
- 2) First, take the 36" piece of ribbon and make 4 loops. The loops will overlap one another.
- 3) The LENGTH of each loop should measure between 2-3" (or about an 1" to 1.5" from the center...where you are holding the loops).
- 4) Next, take the 12" piece of ribbon to securely tie the loops together at the center (where you were holding the loops). You will want to tie each knot securely...making about 3 knots to ensure the loops don't slip.
- 5) Once the loops are secure, gently pull and twist each loop to fluff out the bow.
- 6) The bow is complete! --> *Return "completed" bow to the 'Akahi Student Center*
- 7) When you're ready to prepare the lei for Song Contest, and with the lei still untied, you will need to TWIST the lei (to give it a nice look), tie the 2 ends together (to close the lei) and add the bow. --> *This step will be completed about a week before Song Contest*