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TOILET PAPER ROLL CRAB

YOU'LL NEED:

- 2 red pipe cleaners
- Toilet paper roll
- Glue (hot glue recommended)
- Scissors
- Black marker
- Red and white cardstock
- Ruler with circle shapes
- Red acrylic craft paint



INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Paint the the toilet paper roll with red acrylic craft paint.
2. Draw two chelipeds (the pincers) on red cardstock. Use the ruler with circle shapes to help make them even.
3. Cut out the chelipeds, and outline them with a black marker.
4. Draw two big eyes on the white cardstock, then cut them out.
5. Cut a pipe cleaner into two equal large parts and two equal small parts. Take the second pipe cleaner and cut into four equal parts.
6. Glue the two small pipe cleaner parts vertically on the middle of the paper roll, then glue the eyes to the ends.
7. Glue the two large pipe cleaner parts as arm segments on each side of the paper roll, then glue the chelipeds to the ends.
8. Glue the four remaining pipe cleaner parts on the bottom side of the toilet paper roll (two on each side). These are the crab's legs.
9. Draw a smiling mouth using a black marker, and you're done!