



- ✓ scissors
- ✓ paper plates
- ✓ brass fasteners
- ✓ crayons or markers
- ✓ small construction paper rectangles
- ✓ hole punch
- ✓ ribbon

Paper Plate Books

Use scissors to carefully make a hole in the center of two paper plates, and give a set of plates and a brass fastener to each child. Have children insert a brass fastener through both holes to connect the plates. Tell children to cut a

small wedge from the top plate and write the first part of a story in the uncovered section of the bottom plate. Show children how to rotate the top plate to a blank section and write the next part of their story in the space. Ask them to repeat these steps to write in each section of the

bottom plate. Have children decorate the top plate to coordinate with the theme of their story. Invite them to write the title of their story on a construction paper rectangle, hole-punch one corner, tie one end of a ribbon through it, and tie the other end to the brass fastener.

