



How to Make a Hair Bun

Best for medium to long hair

*This bun can be done on some shorter haircuts.

Step 1

Pull the hair back into a neat ponytail. This can be done as a low, middle or high ponytail. Secure it with hairspray if you have any wispies that like to fall down, or use clips to help hold this hair in place. Bangs should be pulled back off the face as well.

Step 2

Separate the hair into two equal sections. If your hair is very thick divide it into three sections. Take one of the sections and twist the hair and then wrap it around the ponytail, applying a few bobby pins or hairpins to hold it in place. Then twist and wrap the second section of hair around the outside of the first section, and secure with a few hairpins/bobby pins. (Repeat again if you have a third section of hair) Your goal is to keep the hair as flat to your head as possible- trying to avoid a doorknob look to the bun.

Step 3

Place a hairnet over the bun, and then add more bobby pins/hairpins until it is secure. Shake your head a few times to check that it will not fall.

For Shorter Hair

* This bun can also be done for longer hair.

Step 1

Pull hair back into pigtails that are about 1 to 2 inches apart from each other. Typically low to medium pigtails are easiest for this. Secure it with hairspray if you have any wispies that like to fall down, or use clips to help hold this hair in place. Bangs should be pulled back off the face as well. Then braid each pigtail. It is best to use small rubber bands to secure the ends of these braids.

Step 2

Take one braid and wrap it across the top of the pigtails and around the opposite pigtail. Apply a few bobby pins/hairpins to secure it. Take the second pigtail and wrap it across the bottom of the pigtails and around the opposite pigtail, and apply a few bobby pins/hairpins.

Step 3

Place a hairnet over the bun, and then add more bobby pins/hairpins until it is secure. Shake your head a few times to check that it will not fall.