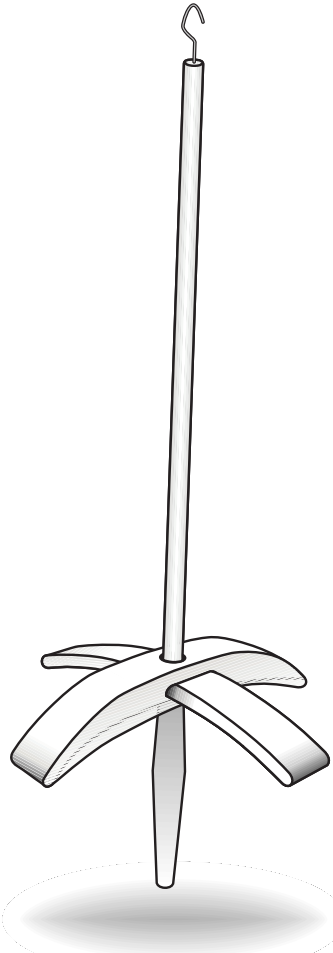
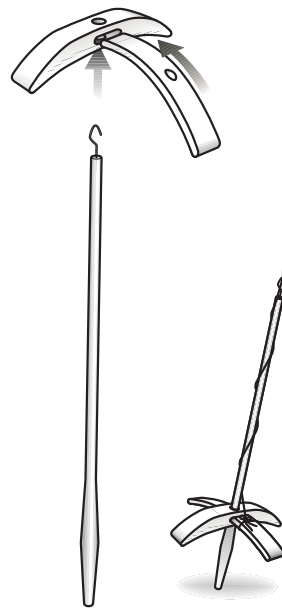


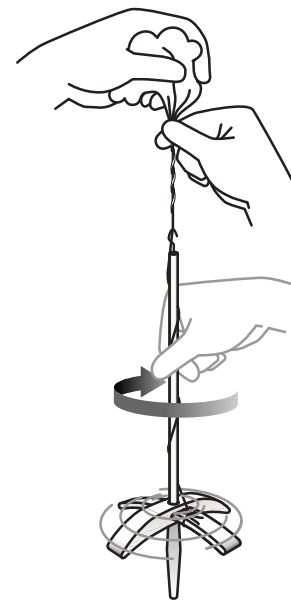
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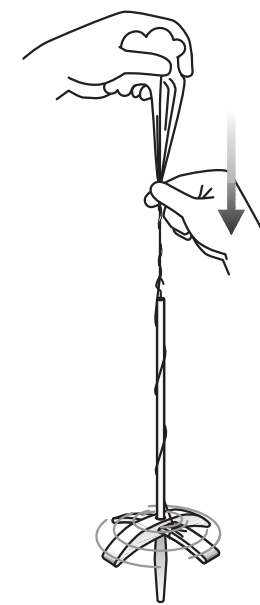
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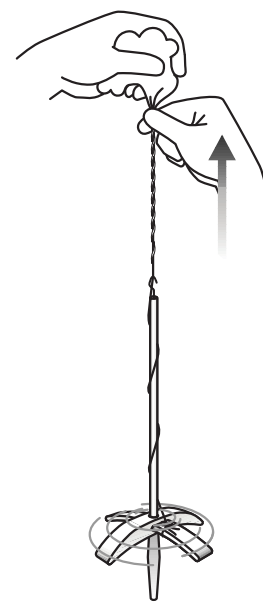
1 Assemble the spindle. Tie a leader (a piece of yarn 1m/40") to the shaft under the whorl, wrap it around the shaft and under the hook.



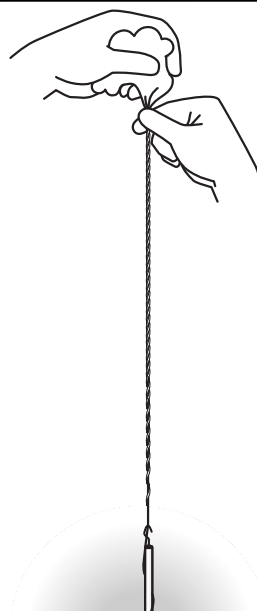
2 Spin the spindle clockwise and allow the leader to join onto your prepared fibres.



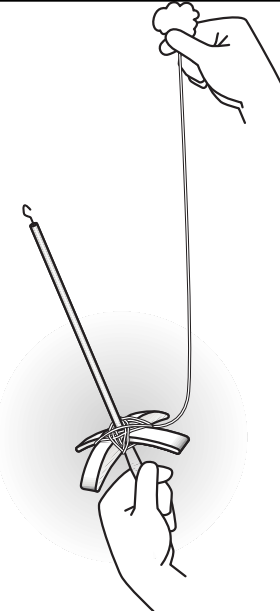
3 While keeping the leader pinched with one hand, draft the fibres down.



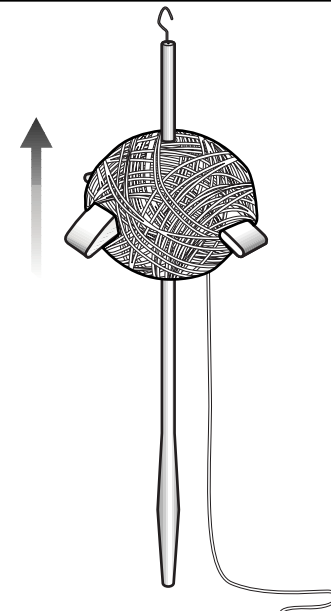
4 Slowly slide your fingers back up the drafted fibres allowing the twist to follow. Once twisted, the yarn will support the weight of the spindle.



5 Keep the spindle spinning while drafting more yarn until the spindle reaches the floor.



6 Wind the yarn around the cross bars to form a ball. Then repeat the process 1 - 6 until you have a full ball.



7 Slide the ball and cross bars off the shaft, first remove the narrow cross bar, then the thicker bar. Now your ball is ready to use either as a single ply or ply 2 together with the spindle spinning anti-clockwise.

