

Turn an Inexpensive Bic® Stick Pen into a Beautiful Desk Pen

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1. Get a Bic stick pen and remove the ink filler and writing tip.
2. Select a piece of wood and cut to size. (Approximately $\frac{3}{4}$ - 1" square & 7" long)
(Straight grain may drill straighter)

3. Drill a $\frac{5}{32}$ " hole long enough to receive the ink filler. If you do not have a 6" long bit you may have to improvise. You can drill a larger hole then make a tip to fit into the size hole you drilled and drill the $\frac{5}{32}$ " hole in the tip to hold the Bic filler. You could also drill from both ends but then you have to figure how to finish the end.



4. Chuck up the pen blank and turn to a shape that looks good to you.

5. Sand and apply finish.

6. Insert the Bic filler and the tip should fit snug in the $\frac{5}{32}$ " hole.
7. You can turn a cap or base for the pen. You may want to drill a tiny air hole.
8. Several YouTube videos are available with directions if you want to check them out.