Hanger Mobile-Levels of Government

This activity is another way to help students better understand the organization of our system of government.

Materials: Clothes hanger, paper, scissors, glue sticks or stapler, pencils, crayons or markers, and pieces of yarn or string.

What to Do: Students should label paper with the three branches of government and glue or staple them to the bottom of a clothes hanger. On separate pieces of paper, have the children list the powers of each branch in each level and attach them with yarn or sting to the correct heading. As in the Branches of Government Chain, color-coding each branch will help students gain a better understanding of the American system of government.