

Top it Off

Have some bun fun with your fall

A bulbous, well-executed ballerina bun makes you look ultra femme and fancy. It screams, "I have well-manicured hair, a 401K, and an apartment that does *not* smell like cat pee." However, those of us without trust funds or butt-length, rope-thick locks can fake it by using our trusty fall.

For this simple style, just bend over and brush all of your hair into a very high ponytail. (Note: If your faux hair clips in or needs to be pinned in, you should attach it to the crown of your head before you form the ponytail. If it's attached to a comb, you can just insert it underneath your pony.) If you're feeling a little too facially exposed, just pull out your bangs and strands around the face, so the style is less severe. Once you have your ponytail secured, lightly tease the underside of it, being careful not to damage the fall. Now just gently twist and wrap the hair around the ponytail base, forming the ballerina bun. Don't bug if it's a bit fuzzy and off-kilter, because that adds to the charm. Liberally bobby pin the hair in place, easing the ends of your hair inside the bun, and finish with a big dose of hairspray. Now you look just like Audrey Hepburn in *Breakfast at Tiffany's*, minus the emotional instability.