



Artful Thinking

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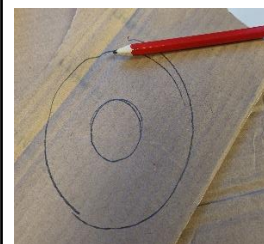
Holiday Wreaths



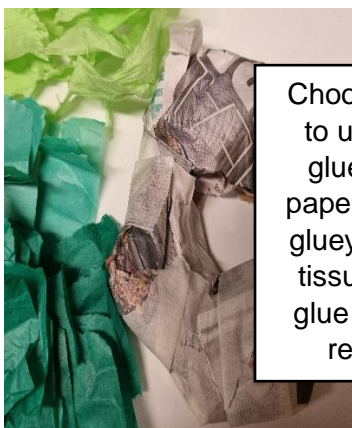
Materials: Tissue paper (multicoloured pack), Cardboard, bowl/tape (draw around), scissors, pencils, PVA glue, water, green/black paper, markers/colouring pencils, pipe cleaners/string, fake snow (optional).



Start by saving some cardboard, could be a finished cereal box. Now choose the size of the wreath you want to make. Bowls make excellent items to draw around. Place a smaller circle inside and trace around that. Cut out your wreath.

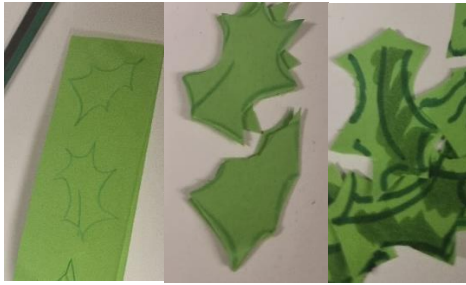


Ball up newspaper, then using masking tape, tape these balled up pieces to the cut-out wreath. Make sure you stick everything down before the next step.



Choose what tissue paper colours you want to use on your mask, then make the PVA glue to water mixture. Cut/tear the tissue paper into strips and using a brush paint the gluey mixture over the wreath, then add the tissue paper then secure by painting more glue over this. Cover the whole wreath and remember to stick pieces to the base.





Using green paper/card draw your holly leaves, folding the paper over a few times can help make more in a short space of time. Cut out then using a selection of green markers add details to the leaves. To make berries tear small pieces of red tissue paper then ball them up.

Stick these onto your wreath after it has dried, using pva glue. Now you can add the pipe cleaner/string to the part you think is the "top", wrap it around and back on itself to create a loop.



Use PVA glue to secure whatever you want to put on your wreath. You can also choose darker or alternative colours for your wreath. Just have fun with your creations and Happy Holidays!!

