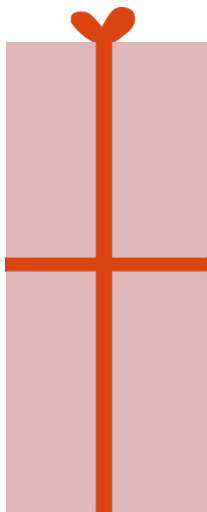


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Lantern Making

What you'll need

- White paper bag
- LED candle light
- 2xPipe cleaner
- Various smaller pieces of coloured vinyl for decoration



01. Open up your white paper bag and place it in front you.

02. Create shapes on the back of the coloured acetate using a pencil. With scissors, cut out your shapes and do not throw away the scraps. You can use them to decorate your lantern.

03. You are ready to decorate your lantern! Stick your shapes onto the brown bag. Peel off the paper backing to reveal the sticky side. Press the sticky side down onto the bag and decorate both sides with your shapes.

04. Have a think about the colours you are using. As the coloured vinyl is see through, or transparent, you might see different colours when two shapes overlap.

05. To finish your lantern add a handle by putting each end of the pipe cleaner through the holes and twist together.

06. Turn on the tealight and put it in the bottom of your decorated bag. There you go, you have a lantern! Put this in your window to brighten up your street or in your room as a light.

07. If you have any pieces of coloured acetate left, you can cut out shapes and stick them in your window for decorations. Don't worry, they are easy to remove and will bring lots of colour into your room!

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A message from the artist who created this activity, Tony Wade.

“Hello, my name is Tony and I am a visual artist based at The Art House in Wakefield. I use painting, sculpture, sounds, and lighting to make art that encourages us to look at our world around us in new and different ways.

