

Suncatchers

Decorate your windows with this fun craft!



What will I need?

- Mason Jar rings
- Paper plate
- Markers
- Circle coloring pages (shrunk down to 2 ¾" diameter)
- Scissors
- Cotton balls
- Vegetable oil
- Tacky glue
- Embroidery string

Where should I go?

This craft needs some space, use a table inside or outside.

Parents corner

This is a craft that can be done alone. However, they may need some assistance.

What do I already know?

1. What is a suncatcher?

1. How are these helpful to us?

1. What are some ways you can make a suncatcher?



INSTRUCTIONS

1. First color your designs just the way you want. Then use the ring to trace a circle around your design and cut the design out.
2. On a plate, dip your cotton ball into the vegetable oil. Not drenched just a quick dip. Rub the vegetable oil over the colored cutout. Just a few swipes.
3. This makes the paper more transparent.
4. Let fully dry. 10 - 20 minutes.
5. Once it is dry, run your tacky glue generously around the inside edge of your mason jar ring.
6. Then place your circle inside. Make sure the colored side is face down.
7. Then dry 30 - 45 minutes.
8. Cut about 2 feet of string. Tie the string around the ring, and secure with a double knot.
9. Then hang up by the window.



What did I learn?

1. What other designs can you use to make this?

1. Who can you make this for?



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