Christmas lanterns

Instructions No. 2642

Difficulty: Beginner

Working time: 3 Hours

These self-made lanterns made of transparent paper are a wonderful decoration for the Christmas season. Equipped with an LED tea light, the lanterns give a cosy light.

Make Christmas lanterns

Cut the bottom of each lantern to size. The size is 10 x 10 cm + 1 cm glued edge. Cut the glued edge on the sides and fold it upwards.

In our example, the lanterns were made in two different sizes:

12 cm height + 1.5 cm folded edge at the top x 40 cm length + 1 cm glued edge.
10 cm height + 1.5 cm folded edge at the top x 40 cm length + 1 cm glued edge.

Stamp one of the sides of the tracing paper with the silicone stamps.

Once the paint has dried, the lanterns can be stuck together with double-sided tape. Cut a corner in the top of each folded edge, then the folded edges can be folded to the side.

If you want to hang it, punch a hole in the lantern at the top of the sides. The lantern hanger is attached

there. Tip: To prevent the lantern hangers from slipping out, bend the sides outwards with a pair of decorative pliers.

Finally, decorate the lanterns with the cord and small wooden beads.

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Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
703369	Character tracing paper 20,5 x 51 cm, 5 sheets	1
706674-00	Photo cardboardWhite	1
418577-03	VBS Cotton cord, 100 mBrown/White	1
700184	VBS Wire lantern hanger, 10 pieces	1
640565-01	Wooden beads, Ø 6mm, approx. 125 piecesNature	1
542708-08	Staz-On Stamp padBlack	1
644303-06	VBS Double page Adhesive tape6 mm	1
133050	VBS Hole puncher	1
970044	VBS Jewellery pliers	1