

Beckton & Royal Docks Children's Centre Tip Sheet

Handprint Christmas Tree Cards



You will need:

- Green paper or card for the tree
- Brown paper or card for the tree trunk
- Yellow paper or card for the star
- Card in your choice of colour folded in half for the card base
- Glue or sticky tape
- Scissors, used with adult supervision
- Pen or pencil to draw around hand
- Gems, sequins, stickers, glitter, coloured pens & pencils etc to decorate the tree

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1. Make your card base by folding a sheet of card in half.
 2. Using the green paper or card, draw around your hand, then cut out.
 3. Using the brown paper or card cut out a rectangle, this is the trunk of the tree. Then cut out a star shape from the yellow paper or card.
 4. Use the glue or sticky tape to stick down the rectangle and hand shape to make the Christmas tree. Stick the star at the top of the tree.
 5. Decorate your tree with gems, glitter, sequins or whatever you have at home. You could use cotton wool to make snow or just use coloured pens & pencils