

Glitter Jar

Supply List:

- 16-ounce glass or plastic jar with lid
- 1/2 cup clear glue
- Distilled water
- Hot glue gun (optional)
- 1–2 teaspoons glitter
- Food coloring (optional)
- Sequins (optional)

STEPS

STEP 1: POUR WATER INTO THE JAR

Pour 1/2 cup of distilled water into a clean mason jar. Unlike tap water, distilled water contains no contaminants or minerals and will help keep glitter jars mold-free.

STEP 2: ADD GLUE TO THE JAR

Next, pour 1/2 cup of clear glue into the jar. If desired, tint your glue with 1–3 drops of food coloring. You can also use translucent color glue—it has a beautiful effect!

STEP 3: SPRINKLE GLITTER INTO THE JAR

Sprinkle 1–2 teaspoons of craft glitter into the jar. It is also fun to add shaped sequins, such as hearts, to glitter jars.

STEP 4: TOP OFF THE JAR

Fill up the remainder of the jar with distilled water. Wipe off the rim with a dry paper towel.

STEP 5: SEAL THE JAR

Use a hot glue gun to squeeze a ring of glue around the lid of the jar. Press the lid onto the jar and secure it with the metal ring.

STEP 6: SHAKE THE JAR

Shake the jar well to distribute the glitter and glue!

Cooking Activity: Cupcake in a Mug

Supplies

1. Mug
2. Measuring spoons
3. Spoon for stirring

Ingredients

- 4 tablespoons of all-purpose flour
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- ½ teaspoon baking powder
- 4 tablespoons of milk (or dairy free milk)
- 1 ½ tablespoon olive oil or any other oil (sunflower, vegetable, coconut)
- ¼ teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 tablespoon sprinkles

Steps

1. In a microwave safe mug mix together flour, sugar, and baking powder
2. Add milk, oil, and vanilla extract mix until everything is combined
3. Stir in the sprinkles
4. Microwave for roughly a minute until it is firm can microwave longer if needed
5. Serve warm with frosting or ice cream as a topping and Enjoy!

Tie-Dye Steps, Supplies, & Patterns

Supplies

- Tie-Dye solution (food coloring as an alternative)
- Plastic bag or large ziploc bag
- Protective gloves
- Rubber bands
- Tarp, newspaper, or old towel
- Squirt or Spray Bottle

Optional/Alternate Supplies:

- Washable Marker

Steps:

1. Make sure you are either wearing apron or old clothes that you won't mind getting dye on it.
2. Wash the clothing that you will be tie-dyeing.
3. Presoak the clothes in water for a few minutes.
4. Lay down either a tarp, newspaper, or an old towel. This will be for the excess dye from the clothing.
5. Remove the clothes from where they are soaking and wring out excess water. You want the clothing to be damp; not dripping wet.
6. Create the pattern that you wish to have on your clothing.
7. Apply the tie-dye solution. Tip: If you are applying several dye colors, make sure they're colors that blend nicely together. It may lead to a brownish color if many colors mix.
8. Put the article of clothing in a plastic bag and allow it to sit for 6-8 hours.
9. After the wait, rinse well with water to remove excess dye.
10. Put the article of clothing in the washer by itself, and then dry it by itself. Wash separately for the first few times.

Bullseye

1. Lay your damp fabric out flat on your covered work surface pinch fabric at the center of where your bullseye will be. Pull upward into a cone shape, guiding the fabric with other hand
2. Wrap a rubber band 1-2 inches below tip of fabric, then continue binding fabric with desired amount of rubber bands.
3. Apply desired dye colors to sections of fabric.



Chevron

1. Lay your damp fabric out flat on your covered work surface; fold shirt in half lengthwise.
2. Fold upward half of shirt in half as shown, aligning along the center fold. Make sure to fold and smooth sleeve as well.
3. Carefully flip shirt over and repeat folding on the other side, creating quarters lengthwise.
4. Use a washable marker to draw evenly spaced lines diagonally across folded shirt.
5. Wrap rubber bands tightly around shirt at each of the diagonal lines.
6. Apply alternate dye colors to separate sections of the shirt.



Crumple

1. Lay your damp fabric out on the covered work surface. Scrunch the fabric into a crumpled mound. You can make the fabric loosely crumpled or really squish it all together for tighter, more defined crumples.
2. Secure your crumpled fabric with rubber bands before tie dyeing. Do this to help hold those crumples together more tightly and defined pattern
3. Apply dyes to your crumpled fabric; flip your scrunched fabric over and apply dye to the backside.



Heart

1. Lay your damp fabric out flat on your covered work surface; fold shirt in half, then outline heart shape using washable marker.
2. Tightly pleat fabric along marker line.
3. Use a rubber band to bind pleated fabric tightly around marker line.
4. Bind fabric with additional rubber bands.
5. Squeeze alternating dye colors between rubber bands.



Star

1. Lay your damp fabric out flat on your covered work surface; fold shirt in half lengthwise.
2. Fold star pattern in half, along with fold of shirt and trace with a washable marker.
3. Pleat fabric along the star outline.
4. Make sure that pleats line up along the marker line, forming as straight of a line as possible.
5. Wrap a rubber band tightly around marker line, then add another about a half inch below the first.
6. Apply dye to the tip of bound shirt.
7. Apply second dye color to the next bound section of shirt.



Swirl

1. Lay your damp fabric out flat on your covered work surface and pinch it at the center of where your tie-dye spiral pattern will start. Twist until all fabric is in a spiral shape.
2. Once your fabric is twisted into a tight spiral, wrap 3-4 rubber bands around it to secure. Crisscross the rubber bands to create 6-8 wedge shapes for adding tie dye.
3. Apply dyes to wedge shapes, then flip spiraled fabric over and repeat on backside and sides.

