

PAN PUNCH ART

YOU CAN CREATE a work of art with a nail and a hammer! It's not only fun, but you'll be amazed at the results. Be careful not to hit your thumb!

WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

- disposable pie pan, 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch diameter by 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch deep
- small nail and tack hammer
- protractor and pencil
- 2 sheets typing paper
- 1 sheet poster board
- acrylic paints and brush
- glue
- tape
- scissors

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WHAT YOU'LL DO:

STEP 1: With your protractor, draw a 7-inch circle and a 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch circle on typing paper. Cut out both.

STEP 2: Draw a picture in the 7-inch circle. (You can also trace a picture from a book or magazine.) Concentrate on the outline; less detail is better.

STEP 3: Lay the drawing in the bottom of the pie tin and tape it to the sides.

STEP 4: Place the pan on a block of wood. Along the outline of the drawing, punch holes with the nail and tack hammer. Discard the drawing.

STEP 5: Place the pie pan face down on the poster board and trace two circles. Cut them out.

STEP 6: Cut off the rim of the pie pan so that only the flat bottom is left. (*Hint:* Try cutting away small sections at a time.) Discard the rim.

STEP 7: Center the 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch circle of typing paper over one poster board circle. Trace around it, and cut out the circle. Repeat with the other poster board circle.

You Can Do It!

1. WITH YOUR PROTRACTOR, DRAW A 7-INCH CIRCLE AND A 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ -INCH CIRCLE ON TYPING PAPER. CUT OUT BOTH.
2. DRAW A PICTURE IN THE 7-INCH CIRCLE. LESS DETAIL IS BETTER.
3. LAY THE DRAWING IN THE BOTTOM OF THE PIE TIN AND TAPE IT TO THE SIDES.
4. PLACE THE PAN ON A BLOCK OF WOOD. ALONG THE OUTLINE OF THE DRAWING, PUNCH HOLES WITH THE NAIL AND HAMMER.
5. PLACE THE PIE PAN FACE DOWN ON THE POSTER BOARD AND TRACE TWO CIRCLES. CUT THEM OUT.
6. CUT OFF THE RIM OF THE PIE PAN SO THAT ONLY THE FLAT BOTTOM IS LEFT. CUT AWAY SMALL SECTIONS AT A TIME.
7. CENTER THE 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ -INCH CIRCLE OF TYPING PAPER OVER ONE POSTER BOARD CIRCLE. TRACE AROUND IT, AND CUT OUT THE CIRCLE. REPEAT WITH THE OTHER POSTER BOARD CIRCLE.
8. CENTER PAN PICTURE BETWEEN THE TWO POSTER BOARD RIMS. ADD GLUE TO EDGES OF TOP CIRCLE. GLUE INTO PLACE.
9. PUNCH A HOLE IN THE TOP FOR HANGING, THEN PAINT THE FRONT SIDE.

cle. Repeat with the other poster board circle.

STEP 8: Center your pan picture between the two poster board rims to frame it. Glue into place.

STEP 9: Punch a hole in the top of the poster board for hanging, then paint the front side. Hang your pan punch in a window and watch it light up!*

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