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## 1403-2 Wacky Ideas

Wacky Glasses Designed by Candie Cooper

Be as creative as you want with these crazy, wacky glasses.

Watch the video for this project online at: <u>http://youtu.be/JqRwCXI3hOM</u>









Always cover your work surface with a mat or some type of protective covering like wax paper or plastic.

Grade Range: 2 to 6

Skill Level: Moderate

Appropriate for These Special Events: Every Day and Rainy Days Party favor – make your own as a party activity

Supports Subject Area(s) of: Language Arts – e.g. step by step instructions Visual Arts

Time Needed for Project: 1 hour

## Main Materials:

Green glitter fun foam Small pair of sunglasses Wacky Whirly straw maker Pepperell® Rexlace<sup>™</sup> Plastic Lacing Elmer's® Craft Bond<sup>™</sup> Tacky Glue



**Basic Materials:** Beetle stickers Straws in various colors Clothes pins

Tip: These glasses can be made in a theme or just plain crazy. Instead of leaves, try green rectangles

snipped into grassy eyelashes.

## Instructions:

Cut eight leaves, roughly measuring 3/4" x 2".

Remove the lenses from the sunglasses and glue the leaves along the upper rim of the glasses with the thick white glue. Use clothes pins to hold the leaves in place while they dry.

Put all eleven straws through the Wacky Whirly straw maker to make them springy.

Cut two, six inch pieces of plastic lacing. Cluster five straws together and tie in the middle with a piece of lacing. Tie each cluster of straws to the sides of the glasses.

Optionally you can pull each straw end a little to make them curl and crinkle more.

Wrap the extra green straw around the top of the glasses, in between the leaves and along the edge.

Finish by gluing the beetle stickers to the leaves with the thick tacky glue.









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