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1406-4 Kitchen Crafting

Yarn Cupcakes

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<http://youtu.be/bqd1vj59fss>



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

Age Range: 7 to 12

Grade Range: 2 to 6

Skill Level: Moderate

Appropriate for These Special Events:
Parties

Every Day and Rainy Days
Party activity - make your own

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

Time Needed for Project:
45 minutes

Main Supplies:

Cupcake papers
Cardstock - colors to match
White yarn - thin, fuzzy
Assorted 1" pompoms
Assorted mini pompoms
Elmer's® Glue-All®
2 ½" FloraCraft® Styrofoam™ Brand Foam ball
Elmer's® 3D™ Washable Glitter Paint Pens



Basic Supplies:

½" circle punch
Paper towels

Scissors

Decorative edge scissors - optional

Pencil

Cup or can with 3" diameter

Skewer

Instructions:

1. Use pencil to draw about a 2 ½" square on colored cardstock. Fill in area with same of color of 3D paint apply a thin even coat. Repeat step with several colors. Let dry.
2. Use circle punch to punch circles from each color using up all of glittered paper.
3. Apply a small dot of glue to end of white yarn then press onto Styrofoam ball. Wrap ball with yarn till covered, cut end then glue in place. Let dry.
4. Place a cupcake paper into cupcake tin. Squeeze a small puddle of Craft Bond Tacky glue onto paper towel. Use finger to apply paint a thin coating around rim on inside of liner. Carefully push yarn ball into liner. Let dry.
5. Remove yarn ball from holder which is now glued to cupcake liner.
6. Use pencil to trace around can or cup onto cardstock the use decorative edge scissors to cut out. Apply a thin even layer of glue to bottom of cupcake then lightly press into center. Let dry.
7. Glue large pompom onto top of cupcake, then glitter circles and small pompoms as shown.
8. Add dots of glitter with the glitter pen around edge of cardstock round under cupcake. Let dry.

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