

Valentine's Day Craft Ideas



Let your kids play with their imagination and creativity a little on this Valentine's Day! Here are some very interesting creative Valentine's Day Craft Ideas for small and big kids. Your children will love making these cute craft items as a Valentine's Day Gift for their best friends and/or also for Mommy-Daddy.

Valentine Envelopes

Things Needed:

Scissors

Glue

Pencil

Wrapping or any paper with beautiful designs

Envelope

Valentine symbol stickers

Method:

Take an envelope to be used as a pattern for the Valentine envelope.

Place the paper you choose to design your new envelope on the table and put the pattern on top of it.

Trace an outline with a pencil.

Cut out the paper in the same shape of the pattern envelope, glue ends together.

Decorate the envelope with valentine symbols sticker to give it a special feel.

Leave the top open and insert a Valentine card.

Seal the top of the envelope with a sticker or glue.

Valentine Candles

Things Needed:

Wax Sheets

Clay Pot

Moss

Birthday Cake Candle Heart Shaped cookie cutters

Craft Stick

Floral foam

Stickers and paints for decoration

Candy hearts or glitter for decoration



Method:

Cut out 6 hearts from the wax sheet. Place 3 hearts together and apply some pressure to melt together a little.

Place the birthday candle in the center. It would work as a candle wick.

Place the craft stick just below the candle bottom. Cover the candle and the stick with the other 3 hearts.

It will appear like a sandwich of 3 hearts, candle, craft sticks and again 3 hearts.

Place together to make stick. Apply a bright paint to the pot and decorate it with glitter and stickers.

Place floral foam at the bottom of the pot. Now push a craft stick into the foam to create an upright heart candle.

Cover the floral foam with moss. Sprinkle some red glitter to give a romantic effect.

Valentine Rose Pen

Things Needed:

Oval shaped Styrofoam ball

Clay pot

Artificial rose

Ball point pen

Scissors

Knife

Glue

Green floral tape

6 inches red ribbon (1/8 inch thick) Craft moss

Method:

Cut a small tip off the Styrofoam ball with the knife.

Push the ball into the clay pot and flat down at the end.

Make a hole into the Styrofoam ball, slightly larger than the pen. The hole will serve to hold the upright pen later on.

Use the scissors to force or cut the cap off the pen. Be careful not to cut into the ink barrel. Pull the rose off its stem.

Insert the remaining stem into the top of the pen.

Wrap the pen with the floral tape.

Insert your flower pen into the Styrofoam hole far enough to hold it upright.

Place the moss inside the clay pot, covering the Styrofoam ball.

Tie the red ribbon into a bow underneath the flower.



Pencil Mice Heart Valentines



Things Needed:

Heavy construction paper

Pipe cleaners

Decorated Pencils

Black Marker or Pen

Hole punch

Method:

From red, pink or purple paper, cut out several hearts approximately 4 inches across.

On each, draw a nose and eyes. Punch four holes above the mouse's nose.

Thread a short length of pipe cleaner through the top two holes and another through the bottom two.

Lastly, slip a pencil down behind the whiskers, from the backside of the heart.

Candy Necklace

Present this necklace to a sweetie to wear with pride before, presumably, they eat it.

Things Needed:

Plastic wrap

Individually wrapped candies

Ribbon

Method:

Begin by laying out three feet of plastic wrap, cutting it in half lengthwise. Place candies or groups of candies every three inches.

Roll the plastic over and tie bows between each candy using six-inch strips of ribbon.

Tie the two ends of the plastic wrap together and cover the knot with another ribbon.

"Flower Heart" Photo Valentine Gift

Things Needed:

Red and Green Fun Foam

Three-inch clay pot

Florist tape

Florist stake

Florist foam

Permanent marker

Photo

Scissors



Method:

First, write a message on the pot with a permanent marker.

While it dries, cut the heart and leaves from the fun foam.

Place the photo on the heart with a glue stick. Wrap the florist stake with the tape, inserting the leaves while you go.

Attach the heart with the tape or glue.

When the glue is completely dry, insert the flower into the foam.

Variation:

This flower also makes a special Valentine without the terracotta pot. Make a bouquet using all of your children's photos!