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Resource
Christmas
Make Your Own Wreath

You will need:

- Printer
- Thin card or cereal box
- Plain/coloured papers or card
- Scissors
- Colouring pens/paint
- Glue/double sided tape
- Hot melt glue gun (optional)
- Natural materials (optional)
- Embellishments (pompoms, sequins, buttons, etc.)

Grown-Ups:

Use the templates in this resource to colour in or paint (perfect for little hands). Or if you're short on time/looking for a less-messy alternative, print the templates on to different coloured green papers and cards for a ready to go wreath.
Add another level of challenge by curling and manipulating the edges of each leaf to make them more 3-Dimensional.

Instructions:

To make your wreath:

1. Create your base by drawing a large circle on to your flattened cereal box, a dinner plate works well (or a side plate for a smaller wreath). Draw a smaller circle inside the larger and cut out the central hole to create a doughnut.
2. Print the following pages on to plain paper or thin card if colouring in/ painting. Alternatively, print on to green papers and cards.
3. Colour/paint your leaves with different shades of green and cut out.
4. Arrange your leaves around your base and glue in to place.
5. Add any embellishments such as pompoms, buttons, sequins etc. to represent berries, baubles and other decorations.
6. Add your natural materials, i.e. pinecones, if using.
7. Admire your completed wreath and hang in pride of place.
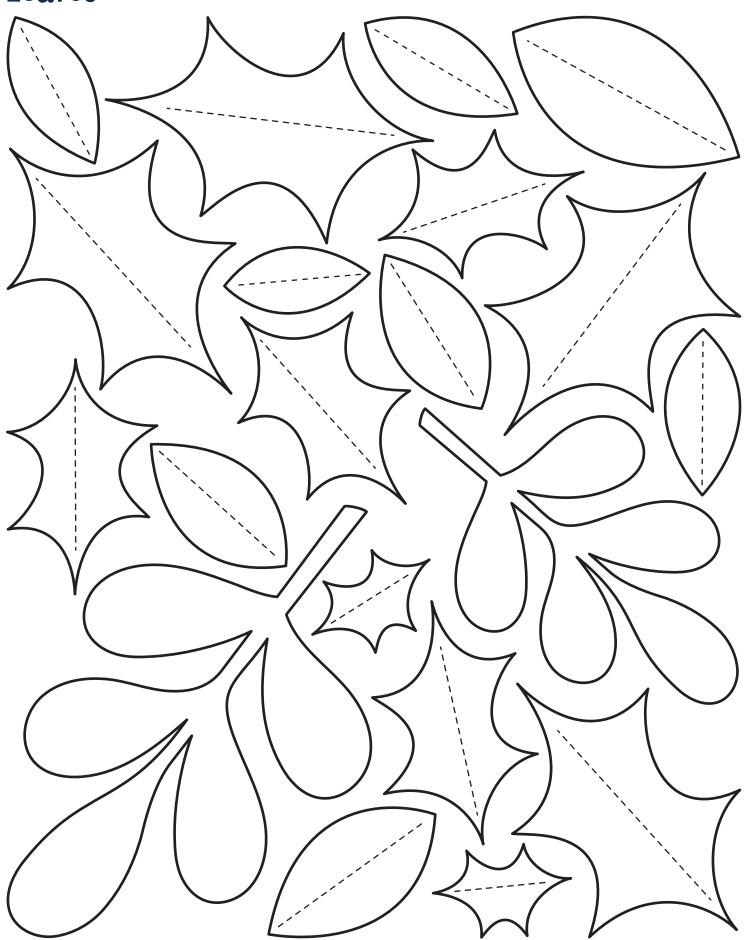
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