

D.I.Y. Torches

Materials:

- ◆ rope
- ◆ permanent marker
- ◆ 2 disposable plastic cups
- ◆ packing tape
- ◆ long cardboard tube (such as a wrapping paper tube)
- ◆ black spray paint
- ◆ red, orange, and yellow tissue paper

Tools:

- ◆ utility knife
- ◆ scissors

Directions:

- Step 1:** Use the permanent marker to draw two rows of diamonds close to the opening of one plastic cup. Space the diamonds apart so you have room to cut them out.
- Step 2:** Place the second plastic cup inside to keep it stable, and gently carve your diamonds out using the utility knife.
- Step 3:** Once all the diamonds are cut out, remove the inside cup. Secure the bottom of the carved cup to the end of the cardboard tube using tape.
- Step 4:** Spray paint the cup and tube black.
- Step 5:** Wrap the rope around the tube, just under the bottom edge of the cup. Tuck the end of the rope into itself.
- Step 6:** Add the tissue paper flames! Layer different colors of tissue paper together, then stuff them into the cup.



