



HOW TO

create your own birthday gift at home

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Jessiika Wilson shows us how to create the perfect birthday gift using things you already have in the house! It's a fun and affordable way to spoil a loved one as showing your love doesn't always have to come from buying expensive gifts! Check out the step-by-step guide below and don't forget to take some snaps and tag us @sanremopasta if you try this at home too!

WHAT YOU NEED:

- * BOX
- * CRAFT PAINT
- * CRAFT ITEMS
- * CRAFT GLUE
- * LEFT OVER FRUIT AND VEG (end of celery stick or apple), optional
- * LEAVES, optional
- * LINEN OR RIBBON
- * WOOD WOOL OR SHREDDED PAPER
- * PAPER
- * PHOTO FRAME



HOW TO MAKE THE BIRTHDAY GIFT:

STEP 1

Find an old box around the house that you can re-purpose as the birthday box!



STEP 2

If you're not working with a plain box, paint the box either white or whatever colour you like as a base to create fresh artwork.



STEP 3

Use some craft paint and objects around the house to decorate the box. The Wilson's used the end of a celery stick that would have otherwise ended up in the bin, handprints and some bits and pieces from their craft boxes! You could use cut up apple for paint prints and leaves from outside as an option!



STEP 4

Cut up some old linen to create a big bow or repurpose ribbon you may have.



STEP 5

If you have some laying around, you can fill the box with some wood wool, or shred up some scrap paper.



STEP 6

If you have an old photo frame lying around, you can add a family picture or get creative and paint your child's hand and stamp it onto a plain piece of paper like the Wilson's did!



STEP 7

Now you are ready to sing Happy Birthday and present your loved one with their special birthday gift!



We're family.