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Easy Holiday Crafts To Get You Feeling The Festive Spirit



DIY Reversible Christmas Place-mats

Head down to your local Spotlight or fabric store and pick out two of the best prints you find (roughly **1m x 1m** of each) which'll make around seven place-mats in total.

1. Measure out and cut **30cm by 40cm** in each fabric type
2. Grab your sewing machine and pair up the different prints. Give **1cm** lee-way to fold inwards and sew along the line connecting each edge together.
3. Give it a quick iron down to make it smooth and flat and there you have it, DIY reversible Christmas place-mats.

Quick tips: With the left over fabric, trim and fold into bows and hot glue to your presents for a little spice! Also, using thick fabric ensures that you can re-use these multiple times, just run it through the washer and iron down to make them look brand new!



DIY Christmas Ornaments

Make your way to Kmart or Target and purchase a pack of plain coloured or clear ornaments, (usually \$5 for a pack of 10). This one's a great craft for the kids to get involved and they can even personalise their ornaments to suit themselves!

1. Purchase a pack of non-toxic acrylic paints (they're easy to clean up and best to use on the material ornaments are made out of).
2. Lay out all the colours and ornaments and let the kids use their imagination!

Quick tip: Lay out a big sheet of plastic across the table, this'll make the clean up so much easier and won't make a mess on the table!



DIY Personalised Frames

You can find plain frames almost everywhere lately, and for cheap too! Creating personalised frames are good for yourself, but is also a great Christmas present to give to your loved ones.

1. Start off with a plain frame and purchase any decorative pieces you will want to add.
2. Paint on any words of any choice or prints, using hot glue will ensure none of your precious work will fall off!

Quick tip: Your amazing picture frame doesn't just have to be for pictures, you can also fill it with something else to use as home decor for the holidays.

