

## Stained Glass Hearts



### DESCRIPTION

I used to make stained glass hearts with children in the classroom. We made it into a card for parents by cutting a heart out of construction paper and replacing it with one of these hearts. I saw these hearts on Martha Stewart and thought how pretty it was as a mobile, so we made our own.

### MATERIALS

- Crayons
- Kid's Pencil Sharpener with sharpener for jumbo pencils
- Small dish for crayon shavings
- Wax Paper 12 x 12 inch pieces
- Paper Towels
- Iron
- Ribbon or yarn
- Hole Punch
- Craft Glue
- Sharpie Pen
- Ironing board or flat hard surface to iron on.
- Hanger (optional)

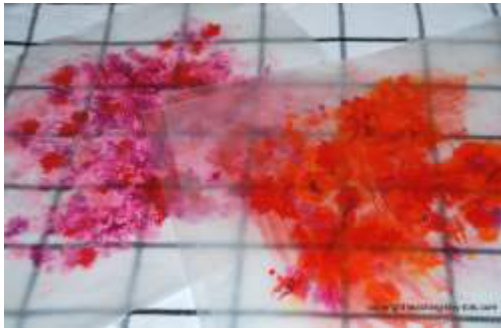
### STEPS



1. Sharpen colors using large sharpener. Collect shavings in small dish.
2. Lay a couple paper towels or old dishcloth on the ironing board or surface to be ironed. Color will transfer to the towel.
3. Lay a sheet of waxed paper onto the towels.



4. Sprinkle shavings lightly for best results leaving a two inch margin all around.
5. Place second sheet of waxed paper on top.
6. Place another paper towel on top of the waxed paper.
7. Heat iron on low setting and press on paper towel/waxed paper for two seconds, lift and repeat until shavings have melted. (Adult step)



8. Sliding the iron will create more blending.
9. Cut out heart shapes in various sizes tracing stencils, cookie cutters or free hand with a sharpie.
10. Tape ribbon to back of heart or punch hole and slip ribbon through hole. Glue loop and let dry.
11. Tape hearts to hanger or window.

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