

Christmas craft: Elf Cup

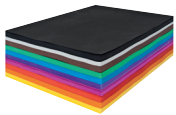
What you'll need



**White Eco Paper
Cups**
JM850



**creativistics™
Christmas
Paper Chains**
CS5548



**A4 Coloured
Cover Paper**
TEB0001



**18mm Joggle
Eyes**
SH1038



**A4 Kraft
Paper**
TEB0087



**creativistics™
Strong Craft
Glue**
CS0004



**Assorted
Christmas
Pom Poms**
TH180



- 1 Cover your paper cup in green using either a marker or paint and set aside to dry.
- 2 To make the elf's collar, cut a strip of white cover paper 28(L) x 3.5(W)cm, and then trim zig zags into one edge (triangles measuring approx. 1.5cm, with each point roughly 1.5cm apart).
- 3 Wrap your zig zag fringe collar around the top of the cup, attaching with glue at the back to hold in place.
- 4 To make the elf's legs, take 2 strips of Christmas paper chain and fold them back and forth to make a zig zag fold.
- 5 Use a dab of glue to attach the legs to the base of the cup.
- 6 To make the feet, fold a piece of black cover paper in half and draw one point elf shoe with a pencil, cut the pencil markings out, giving you two shoes.
- 7 Use a dab of glue to attach the shoes to the very end of the zig zag paper legs.
- 8 To make the elf's head, cut a piece of brown Kraft paper approx. 15(L) x 26(W) cm, wrap it into a cylinder with an overlap of approx. 2cm, and either tape or glue in place. Pop it into the cup.
- 9 To make the hat, free draw a wonky triangle shape (measuring approx. 26cm at the base, going up to a point. Our elf's hat measures 14cm from the base line to the point).
- 10 Cut out your elf hat and glue it onto the top of the elf hat, overlapping the hat onto the Kraft paper.
- 11 To make the arms, use the excess paper from the hat and Kraft paper. Cut two strips of brown Kraft paper measuring 9(L) x 1.5(W), and 4 x coloured paper lengths 8(L) x 1.5cm.
- 12 Layer the Kraft paper and coloured paper together – 1 coloured on the bottom, Kraft in the middle with the ends poking out and another coloured on the top, gluing together. Repeat to make the second arm. Use a pair of scissors to round off the brown Kraft paper to form the hands.
- 13 Make a small 45-degree fold on the tops of the arms and glue to the elf cup body.
- 14 Free draw two ears on the brown Kraft paper – with 0.5cm excess to fold back and glue to the elf's head.
- 15 Finish off by adding a smile and gluing on 2 joggle eyes, a pom pom on the hat and set aside to dry thoroughly.
- 16 Done! Your perfect Elf Cup is ready!

TOP TIP

Modify the difficulty
for younger age groups
with pre-cut shapes or
templates to snip out.