

ST. NICHOLAS MITER NUT CUPS

Fill these miter boxes with a small clementine, chocolate kisses, or other small treats and brighten a holiday table!

Print the colored nut cup pattern on white card stock or print the outline pattern on colored or white stock and decorate with markers or crayons. As this project requires precise cutting to make boxes that fit together properly, it isn't suitable for young children. Finished nut cups are 2 7/8 x 1 3/4 inches.



MATERIALS

- Card stock, either white or colored (if regular paper is used the tops of the miters will curl over)
- Roll-on dry adhesive, such as *Tombo* Permanent Mono Adhesive
- Markers or crayons, *if needed*
- Stickers, *if desired* (*Dayspring* gold cross stickers available from Northwestern Publishing House, 32/package; *Mrs. Grossman's* stickers by the yard, available from eSticker)

EQUIPMENT

- Color or black and white printer
- Scissors
- Paper trimmer with scoring blade, *optional*

DIRECTIONS

- Print chosen PDF files, as many copies as needed. *Print either 1 or 2 to a page; 2-to-a-page saves paper, but requires more careful cutting and cutting them apart for group use may be a bit tedious.*
- *If needed*, color with markers or crayons and decorate with stickers.
- Score all fold lines, making it much easier to have a well-fitting box. *The Fiskars 12" Paper Trimmer is recommended, but the smaller 9" one is almost long enough; it may be used with extra care if you score the "glue" tab first and fold it under.*
- Crease all fold lines, numbered tabs first, then side creases.
- Glue the "glue" tab to the other end, forming box sides (*roll-on adhesive does not need drying time*).
- Fold tabs in the numbered order: 1, 2, 3, 4, to form box bottom.