

CRAFT KITS FROM THE PROVIDENCE ATHENÆUM'S CHILDREN'S LIBRARY SUNNY PUMPKIN SUNCATCHER!

You won't need a candle to light this cheerful pumpkin. Layer colored tissue to make this Halloween decoration, and let the sunshine light it up!



Supplies in kit

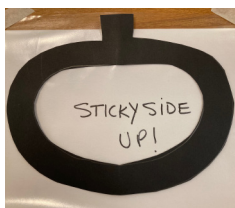
- 1 pre-cut pumpkin outline
- 1 piece of contact paper
- colored tissue paper
- 1 piece of black cardstock

What you'll need from home

- scissors
- sticky tape
- adult hands to prepare the contact paper
- glue stick (optional)

Directions

1. Carefully peel the paper off the sticky vinyl sheet. Tape the sheet, sticky side up, to a flat surface. Next, position the pumpkin outline on the contact paper.



2. Now it's time to prepare the tissue paper. Cut the tissue into smaller shapes or squares. Tearing the tissue into pieces can be fun too!



3. Place the tissue shapes on the sticky paper all over the open space, overlapping the colors as pictured. A glue stick used *lightly* can help with the layers if necessary.



4. When you have filled the pumpkin with the colored tissue, it's time to trim away the extra sticky paper around the outer edge of the pumpkin.



5. Next, use the piece of black paper to cut out the eyes, nose and mouth. When you are finished, turn the pumpkin suncatcher over and glue them to the front. Now all you need is a sunny window!



BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

How to Help a Pumpkin Grow by Ashley Wolff

Pumpkin Day, Pumpkin Night by Anne F. Rockwell

The Bumpy Little Pumpkin by Margery Cuyler

Pumpkin Eye by Denise Flemming

Stumpkin by Lucy Ruth Cummins

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