

Secret Samaritans

Practice being a neighbor to others by creating a small surprise gift to give to someone you think needs love e.g. picture, something found in nature, something handmade, stickers, etc. Place the gift inside a woven heart basket and leave it on someone's bed, at someone's place at the table, in a backpack, in a sleeve of their coat, etc. when they are not watching.



Materials Needed

- two pieces of paper in contrasting colors, e.g. green and yellow
- scissors
- pencil
- copy of stencil (over)



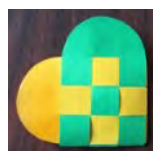
Do Ahead of Time

Each heart takes two half sheets of 8.5 x 11" (21.5 x 28 cm) paper. Fold paper half widthwise. Cut to approximate size to fit the stencil.

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Directions

1. Take two folded pieces of paper in contrasting colors, a stencil, paper and scissors.
2. Choose one of the two colors. Lay the stencil over the folded paper.
3. Cut around the stencil. Cut along the lines inside the stencil. Be sure to cut all the way to the top. If you do not, you will not be able to finish assembling the project.
4. Repeat these steps with the second color. You will now have two pieces like this.
5. Lay the two pieces next to each other. Open the fold in the strand on the right and put the first strand on the left through it.
6. Open the second strand on the left and insert the strand on the right through it. Repeat step five. Continue weaving the heart until all strands are woven in.
7. You should be able to open the completed heart to put something inside.



Woven Hearts Stencil

