Table lights with napkin technique

Instructions No. 3234

Difficulty: Beginner

Working time: 2 Hours

Create your own table lights with cast lamp bases and napkin technique

Fancy spicing up your home with homemade table lights? With lamp bases as a new casting project, with the great napkin technique and lamp foil you can conjure up your own light sources that create a cozy atmosphere.



Pouring the lantern bases

Mix the casting compound to a creamy consistency. If desired, you can mix it with your favorite color concentrate to give the casting an individual pastel shade later. Pour the finished casting compound into the mold. Tap the casting mold lightly on your surface several times to allow air bubbles to rise. Allow the casting compound to harden well and only remove the molded lantern bases from the mold once they have dried.

lamp foil design with napkin technique

For the taller wind light , cut a piece of lamp foil measuring 26.5 cm (+ 2 cm adhesive edge) x 16.5 cm. And for the slightly smaller table lamp, cut a piece of foil measuring 24.5 cm (+ 2 cm adhesive edge) x 14 cm.

Remove the bottom unprinted layers of paper from your napkins, so that you only have the printed layer in front of you. Coat the lamp foil with napkin varnish and place your napkin motif as smoothly as possible on the foil. Then use the brush to apply another layer of napkin varnish on top of the motif. Make sure that everything remains smooth and that there are no bubbles.

As soon as the varnish has dried, stick the table lights together at the adhesive edge using double-sided adhesive tape . It is advisable to additionally fix them in four places with staples.

Decorate the top edge of your decorative lanterns with the cork tape, tie a piece of bamboo ribbon around this decorative strip, tie a small decorative bow and finish off by attaching a sprinkle to the bow with glue.

Place an LED tea light in your shaped lantern feet and place your designed lamp foils on top. Now you can place the finished table lanterns in the designated place in your home.

Must Have

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VBS Napkin Set "Spring Time"

Number of motifs: 5
Content: 20 pieces
Length: 33 cm
Width: 33 cm
Material: Paper

4,49 €
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Item details

Quantity: - 1 + Add to cart



Casting mould "Wind light base"

Number of motifs: 2
Fill volume: 180 ml
Length: 24 cm
Width: 16.5 cm
Material: Polyvinyl chloride (PVC)

5,95 €

Item details

Quantity: 1

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Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
25899	VBS Napkin Set "Spring Time"	1
21185	Casting mould "Wind light base"	1
686655	VBS Lampshade film "0.5 mm", 65 x 33 cm	1
687980	VBS LED tea lights, 4 pieces	1
485562-01	Casting powder "Raysin 200", white1 kg	1
27545	VBS Napkin varnish "Matt"100 ml	1
756556	VBS Colour Concentrate, 25 ml	1
13836	Bamboo cordNatural Weiß	1
22630	VBS Scatter decorations "Maja"	1
71681902	VBS Cork tape "Granulate", self-adhesive	1
644303-06	VBS Double page Adhesive tape6 mm	1