

# make IT AT home

## Wine Bottle Scarecrow

### Provided in the kits:

- Wine bottle
- Fairy lights & straw (raffia)
- Vinyl scarecrow face
- Burlap square & ribbon piece
- Artificial flower & leaves
- Dowel rod
- Safety pin

### You will also need:

- Scissors
- Tape
- Glue – hot or tacky glue will work best
- Library card or other flat edge

### Instructions:

1. Feed the fairy lights into the bottle.
2. Using the dowel rod, feed the straw into the bottle, moving it around until the lights and straw are evenly distributed.
3. Tape the battery pack to the bottle neck.
4. Wrap the burlap around the bottle neck to create a hat:
  - Turn up the bottom of the burlap to create a brim.
  - Pull the burlap tight and use the safety pin to hold the hat onto the bottle.
  - Tuck the top of the burlap down into the wine bottle.
5. Transfer the scarecrow face to the bottle
  - Run the edge of your library card firmly over the vinyl transfer to ensure the vinyl face is securely in place.
  - Slowly peel the paper backing from the transfer tape, making sure the vinyl face stays on the clear transfer tape.
  - Lining the face close to the burlap hat, apply the clear transfer paper and vinyl face to the bottle.
  - Press down firmly to adhere the vinyl face to the bottle.
  - Run the edge of your library card firmly over the clear transfer paper to ensure the vinyl is securely adhered to the bottle.
  - Slowly peel the clear transfer tape off, leaving the vinyl face behind.
6. Wrap and glue the ribbon near the base of the bottle to create a collar.
7. Embellish the collar or hat with the artificial flower and leaves.



View the instructional video on our YouTube channel and Facebook page beginning Tuesday, September 6.