

Classic advent calendar "Merry Christmas"

Instructions No. 2401

Difficulty: Beginner    

Working time: [3 Hours](#)

Craft this classically beautiful Advent calendar! During fun craft hours you paint the wooden box, fill and decorate the paper bags. As a reward, there is sure to be joyful beaming eyes of your loved ones!

Paint and stencil wooden box

First, prime the box with wood stain. The glaze allows the wood structure to shine through the paint and the natural look of the wood is preserved.

Once the paint has dried, you can stencil "Merry Christmas" or personalized lettering. This is best done by first spraying the back of the "saloon writing" stencil with adhesive spray and cutting the individual letters into small stencils. Position the letters and dab on gold paint with a dry sponge dab brush.

Advent calendar packets

Stick the paper bags with the Advent number stickers. Fill the individual packages and decorate them with some fir greenery and red baubles.

Line the Christmas box with napkins, a decorative piece of fabric or some paper. Decorate it with a string of lights and more fir branches. Finally, fill the box with the packages - your Advent calendar is ready.

Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
15773	VBS wooden boxes with handle	1
754415-16	Wood stain, 50 mlSweet Chestnut	1
14730	Stencil "Saloon writing"	1
619349	VBS Noble fir branches "Eitra"	1
15420	Christmas balls made of glass on wire, 36 pieces, Ø 20 / 25 / 30 mmRed mix	1
15294	Silk paper "Stars", 4 sheetsGold	1
68927401	VBS Mini LED chain of lights "40 LEDs", with timer	1
121262	VBS Priming brush "Size 3", 23 mm, 10 pieces	1
120708	Painting sponge "Stippling Brush", set of 3	1
110938	Spray adhesive Odif 404, removable	1