# Happy Birthday light frame

**Instructions No. 3042**

Difficulty: Beginner

Working time: 2 Hours

Making a **light box** out of **craft blocks** is a creative and personalised gift idea that you can easily design yourself. You can use this decoration for many different occasions or you can simply decorate it as a mural or standing frame in your home.




## This is how you design the frame:

For this idea, you will need 12 **craft blocks** made from the wood of your choice. For a smoother surface, first sand the blocks smooth before gluing them together.

First, take 4 blocks. Stand them upright on their long, narrow sides. Seal the ends with **VBS handicraft glue** and glue the blocks together to form a frame.

Now take another 4 blocks. Lay them flat in front of you. Again, glue the narrow ends together with a little handicraft glue . Repeat this once more.

Print out a text or lettering of your choice. Place this under the vellum paper / star foil and trace it with a Posca marker . Roughly cut it to size and glue the desired text onto a flat frame.

Fix the wires of the chain of light into the frame with hot glue and the battery compartment on the outside.

Then apply to the narrow edges of the frame VBS handicraft glue and place the flat frame with the lettering on top. Let it dry briefly before gluing the other side.





## New instructions

Straight to your inbox every week

register now >


Article information:

| Article number | Article name | Qty |
|---|---|---|
| 21844 | VBS Handicraft blocksBeech wood | 1 |
| 22955 | VBS Handicraft blocksAsh wood | 1 |
| 21845 | VBS Handicraft blocksOak wood | 1 |
| 111065 | VBS Handicraft glue80 ml | 1 |
| 688956 | VBS Star foil "Magic Star" | 1 |
| 12324 | Vellum paper "Dots Pastel" | 1 |
| 689793 | VBS Micro LED chain of lights, with timer, 20 LEDs | 1 |
| 517003 | Sandpaper, set of 6 | 1 |
| 132442-45 | VBS Cutting mat "Hobby"45 x 30 x 0,3 cm | 1 |
| 567725-08 | POSCA Marker PC-1MCWhite | 1 |
| 567725-07 | POSCA Marker PC-1MCBlack | 1 |
| 132480 | VBS Contour cutter | 1 |
| 51163 | Hot glue gun, 15-80 Watt | 1 |