Soap ship

Instructions No. 3301

Difficulty: Beginner

Working time: 2 Hours

Making a soap ship: A maritime DIY-project for creative minds

Would you like to create a unique maritime decorative piece that adds a breath of fresh air to your bathroom and whose DIY soaps can also be used for washing? Our DIY soap boat is the perfect project! In this guide, we'll show you how to conjure up a lovely soap boat using moulded soap, craft paints and a little bit of craftsmanship. Get inspired and get started!



1. **Melting soap**

First heat up a small amount of pouring soap. You can either melt it in a melting pot or with a melting ladle over a water bath.

2. **Add color and fragrance**

Once the soap has melted evenly into a liquid, add soap colour and fragrance oil according to your personal taste. Stir the mixture well so that the color and fragrance are evenly distributed.

3. **Pouring and hardening**

Carefully pour the liquid soap into a mold (up to about 5 mm below the rim). Leave the soap to harden for about 4 - 5 hours. You can then carefully remove it from the mold. To do this, tap lightly on the base of the mold until the bar of soap slides out.

4. **Painting the boat**
Paint the wooden boat with craft paints. Once the paint has dried, coat the entire boat with acrylic varnish. This will protect the wood of the boat from moisture later on.

5. **Transfer the lettering**
Print out the free template and transfer the lettering to the wooden boat using graphite paper. Then trace the lettering with marker pens.

6. **Decorate**
Fill the boat with wood wool and arrange the soap bars with some shells on the wood wool. You can also place more shells next to your soap boat - this decoration is sure to delight you for a long time!

Start your creative project!
Are you ready to give your home a personal touch with your homemade soap boat? Get the materials you need for your creative project here in our online store! Look forward to your creative time-out and the finished maritime decoration!

Must Have

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VBS Decorative boat "Coastal fog"

Length: 36 cm
Width: 10 cm
Height: 4.3 cm
Material: Pine wood, Plywood

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Item details

Quantity: - 1 + Add to cart

Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
567725-08	POSCA Marker PC-1MCWhite	1
567725-04	POSCA Marker PC-1MCBlue	1
560566	Graphite paper	1
10218	VBS Acrylic Brush, set of 4	1
27498	VBS Craft paint, 50 mlLight blue	1
27813	VBS Pouring soap, white300 g	1
24805	Sea shell mix "Nature"	1
619059	VBS Wood wool, approx. 100 g, Nature	1
491402	Universal melting pot	1
485579	Casting mould "Sea shell- Trio"	1
17526	Soap Fragrance Oil Set "Summer Breeze"	1
17525	Soap colors set "Ocean	1
697415	VBS Decorative boat "Coastal fog"	1