

## Medal Instructions

Follow these instructions to make a replica medal.

What you will need:

- templates
- canvas, material or cardboard
- round tin can tops (make sure they are not sharp), or large plastic lids (examples could include lids from coffee, dip, or potato chip containers) or cardboard
- pencils/markers
- scissors
- low melt glue gun and glue stick
- small sticks/twigs
- items to decorate the medal (e.g. gumnuts, rosemary, dried beans or seeds, small dried flowers, etc.).

## Instructions

Ask an adult for help when using a hot glue gun.

1. Cut out the templates
2. If using cardboard to make the medal, use the circle template to trace and then cut the circle shape. If you are using a lid, you do not need to complete this step.
3. Using the large rectangle template, trace and then cut a large rectangle piece from the canvas, material or cardboard to make the 'ribbon' of the medal.
4. Using the smaller rectangle template, trace and then cut a small rectangle piece from the canvas, material or cardboard. This does not have to be the same colour or design as the large rectangle.
5. Cut a piece of the small stick/twig so it is the same length as the width of the large piece of canvas and glue it to the bottom of the 'ribbon'.
6. Using the glue gun, join the 'ribbon' to the round 'medal' using the small rectangle piece of canvas (Figure 1). Allow this to dry.
7. Use a glue gun or glue stick to attach collected items to the medal. See what interesting patterns and designs you can create (Figure 2).

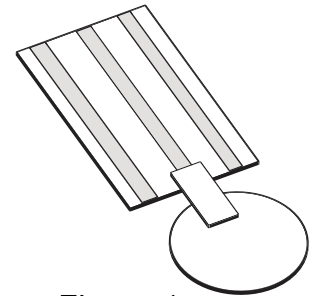


Figure 1

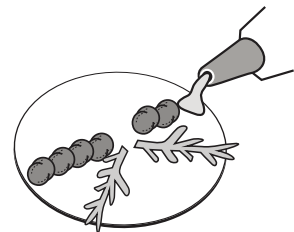


Figure 2

