

Lesson Plan

CANDY HEART SCULPTURES



Objective: Follow step-by-step instructions and write creative Candy Heart sayings (language arts); to create a 3-D sculpture and mix tints of colors (visual arts).

Materials:

- ACTIVA Rigid Wrap®
- 2" X 24" poster or tag board
- 2 pieces of tag board, 8" square
- Stapler
- Masking Tape
- Acrylic Paint
- Paintbrushes
- Pencil

Time: Two, 1 hour sessions

Skill Level: 4th grade and up

Directions

Step One: Fold strip of tag board in half lengthwise. Bend the open parts of the tag board inward, forming a heart shape. Staple the top of the heart in place. This is will be the sides of the heart.

Step Two: Place the heart shape on two pieces of tag board and press down firmly. Trace around the heart shape. Cut the traced hearts out. These will be the top and bottom of the heart.

Step Three: Place pieces of tape around the outer edge of the heart, like tabs. Fold those tabs over the heart created in the first step. Do this with both hearts cut out. This will be the armature for the sculpture.

Step Four: Cut the Rigid Wrap® into strips. Dip in water and squeeze excess water out between fingers. Drape the Rigid Wrap® over the heart armature. Do this to both the front of the heart, the back and the sides. Allow to dry for at least 24 hours.

Step Five: Create a color for your heart. To make a color light, add white. For example, to create pink use red and white. Paint the entire heart.

Step Six: Once dry, pencil in your Candy Heart saying. Enjoy your Candy Heart or give to a friend!

TIP: TO SEE A VIDEO OF THIS PROJECT BEING MADE, GO TO [HTTPS://YOUTU.BE/H2SFEMBHQ7I](https://youtu.be/H2SFEMBHQ7I)