7. Final Steps: Ensure the wicks are upright (using the wick centering tool) If there are sink holes, reheat the left-over wax and pour into the sink holes to leave a smooth flat surface. Allow the candles to set overnight and trim the wick to approximately 5 mm. Let your candle cure for 10 days. Your candle is now ready to light.

CAUTION:

The melting of wax is hot and its melting and pouring requires adult supervision.



MAKE YOUR OWN
SOY CANDLE

INGREDIENTS:

Candle Tins or Glasses, Soy Wax, Fragrance Oil, Wick Stickers, Wicks or Wooden Wicks, Safety Label and Wick Centering Tool (not for Wooden Wicks).

TOOLS:

Glass Jug or Glass Bowl, Pot and Stirrer.

METHOD:

- **1. Preparation:** Clean your surface and ensure you have ample space.
- 2. Melting the wax: Empty the wax into a glass bowl then place that bowl into a water filled pot, which you will heat (on a stove) 45-50°C whilst stirring gently.
- Prepare the containers: While the wax is melting, wash and dry the candle tins in hot water and stick the candle safety label to the underside of the container.

- 4. **Prepare your wicks:** Attach the wick stickers to the bottom of the wick and place the wick firmly in the centre of the container. Use the wick centering tool, which rests across the container, to ensure it is centered, it will also ensure the wick does not tilt when you pour the wax in step 6.
- 5. Fragrance: Once the wax is fully melted remove it from the stove. Make sure it is not too hot (<50 degrees). Open the bottle of fragrance and pour the contents into the wax. Stir gently.</p>
- 6. Pouring: Pour the molten wax into a pouring jug. Slowly pour the wax into the candle containers, leaving 1 cm from the top. (You can move the wick centering tool to the side and place it back in the centre when finished).