

Ann's Creative Corner

Project #378: Chinese Lanterns #2

- Create the circle shape of a lantern.
- Add a slim Rectangle Piece to the top and bottom to create the upper and lower opening (make it short enough to form a medium opening "look" for the light.)
- Next attach some shiny streamers to the bottom.
- Create some lines onto the body of the lantern to give it a rounded look.
- Children can decorate this with felt markers, crayons, sparkle, stickers, tinsel etc.
- On the top "opening piece, place some tape onto it and punch two holes.
- Place a ribbon or string through this and tie it to make a hanger for it.
- This could also be done in various colours although red is most common for the lanterns.

Activity:

Go to a mall where there are Chinese New Year Displays and notice the various types of Lanterns and other decorations. Purchase some and add more to your lantern!

