

Suncatchers

As the sun shines through your suncatcher, it displays the beautiful colors and design you have created. You can use any variety of coloring pages or even replace the jar ring with a frame. Coating the coloring page with oil, creates more of a translucent look with the paper so the light can shine through the art design.



Materials:

- Coloring pages – printed on basic white printer paper (if your coloring pages are too large for the mason jar lid, custom print at a lower percentage.)
- Mason jar lids (Wide or regular Mouth Mason Jar Bands)
- Any type of Oil – this the key element to making your coloring page translucent
- Cotton balls
- Scissors
- Twine, Ribbon
- Glue – Tacky Glue
- Paper towel – to protect work area and absorb excess oil



Easy Sun Catcher supplies

Instructions

1. Color your coloring page using watercolor paints, markers, or any other material you choose.
2. Once colored, use a cotton ball to apply oil to your art. Make sure to cover all the paper. You don't have to drench the paper, just cover completely. Dab excess oil up with a paper towel or tissue and allow to dry for about 5 minutes.
3. Using the mason jar lid, trace a circle around the art and then cut the circle, inside the line so the art fits inside the mason lid.
4. Apply a little bit of glue inside the lid and place the art in the lid, art side facing outward.

5. Wrap twine around the lid, tie a knot to hold in place. Leave at least 4" of twine and tie a knot at the top so you can hang your sun catcher.
6. That's it!