Easter basket made from craft blocks

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Difficulty: Beginner

Working time: 3 Hours

In spring, it's fun to make Easter decorations. Our idea shows an **Easter basket** made from **craft blocks** and decorated with **self-cast bunnies** and marbled eggs. Also a cute gift to bring home!



This is how you design the basket and bunny:

First, the blocks are glued together to form a basket. In our example, we have glued 3 x 3 blocks together on the long, narrow sides for the base plate and left them to dry. Then glue 2-3 blocks on edge, left and right, to the narrow sides of a 3 block. Another block was glued to both long sides so that nothing can fall out of the basket. Glue the "handle" of 3 blocks together like a "U". Once dry, glue to the long sides of the basket. Leave to dry.

Marble the eggs:

Protect your workstation with a VBS handicraft mat. Take an old container and fill it with lukewarm water. For each marbling process, add a few drops of colour for marbling to the container as desired and draw a pattern with a bamboo skewer. Place your plastic egg on a bamboo skewer and dip it into the water with a slight twisting motion.

Pull it out and put it in the flower arrangement foam. to dry. Repeat this for the next egg. After drying, insert a hanging loop into the opening of the ice and attach a ribbon to it. Hang this on the handle of the basket.

Fill the basket with decorative-willow and Iceland moss. Now you can decorate it as you wish with figurines and sprinkles.

We cast our decorative bunny from Raysin:

Mix 5 tablespoons of Raysin with water to make a creamy mixture. Pour the mixture into the "bunny" silicone mold. Tap the mold carefully on the tabletop so that bubbles can escape from the casting compound. Leave the bunny to dry for approx. 5 hours. Carefully remove the casting from the mold and allow it to dry thoroughly. You can then marble or paint it.



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Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
21844	VBS Handicraft blocksBeech wood	1
601795	VBS Decorative egg "White", 10 pieces	1
111065	VBS Handicraft glue80 ml	1
434669-03	KREUL Magic Marble Colour for marblingSun yellow	1
610439	VBS Bamboo wood spikes, 50 pieces	1
601405	Wet-Flower arrangement foam, 2 pieces	1
132442-45	VBS Cutting mat "Hobby"45 x 30 x 0,3 cm	1
609050	VBS Decoration willow	1
615716-00	VBS Iceland moss, 100 gNature	1
22619	VBS Jute cord set "Juta"Yellow/Orange/Green	1
22626	VBS Scatter decorations "Florence"Butterfly	1
22940	Silicone full mould "Bunny"	1
485555-01	Casting powder "Raysin 100", white1 kg	1
810401	Mixing cup made of rubber	1