



Christmas stars made from FIMO leather-effect



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Have you already thought about your Christmas decorations for this year? No? Then here's a nice idea for you! With just a few simple steps you can create beautiful star pendants from FIMO leather-effect to match the colours of your Christmas decorations.



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Step-by-step tutorial



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Cut half a block of FIMO leather-effect in the colour of your choice and roll it out roughly with the acrylic roller.

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Now roll out a FIMO sheet to a thickness of approx. 1.5 - 2mm. You can do this with the acrylic roller or alternatively with a clay machine on level 3.



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To achieve a beautiful leather-like effect, carefully pull the FIMO sheet apart a little with your hands. Now harden the FIMO leather-effect sheet by laying it flat on baking paper in the oven at 130° C / 265° F top/bottom heat for 30 minutes.



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After it has cooled down, use a water-soluble marker such as a STAEDTLER Lumocolor non-permanent marker to draw eight strips, each 1 cm wide. Each strip should be between 10 and 13 cm long.



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Cut the strips with scissors.

Tip: You can easily wipe off any marker residue from the FIMO leather-effect with a damp baby wipe.

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Drip a little super glue onto the ends of the strips and glue the two ends together to create a drop shape. You need eight drops in total.

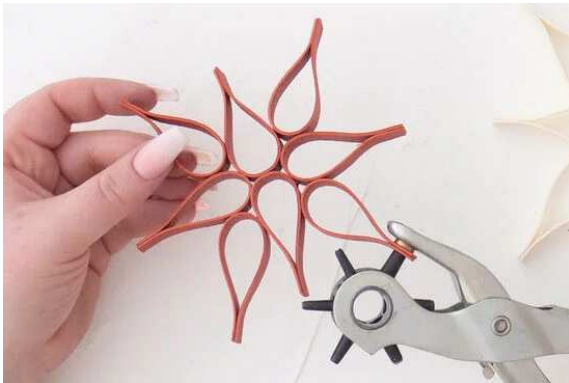


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First place four drops with the curved back side together and glue them together with super glue.

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Place the next four drop shapes in the gaps between the already glued drops. Fix them with super glue.



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Make a hole in one tip with a hole punch. You can hang your star on it. Pull the thread through and your personal star decoration is finished.

Material overview



What you need

Product	Article no.	Quantity
FIMO® leather-effect 8010 Oven-bake modelling clay - Single product rust	8010-749	1
FIMO® leather-effect 8010 Oven-bake modelling clay - Single product ivory	8010-029	1
FIMO® leather-effect 8010 Oven-bake modelling clay - Single product nut	8010-779	1
FIMO® 8700 05 Acrylic roller - Blistercard containing an Acrylic roller	8700 05	1
Noris® 965 Hobby scissors - Blistercard containing scissors with 17 cm blade	965 17 NBK	1
Lumocolor® non-permanent pen 311 Non-permanent universal pen S - Single product black	311-9	1

Additionally required:

Punch pliers, Superglue, Ruler