

MAKE YOUR OWN:

spangly sun bugs

This activity is an absolute beauty for young kids because it doesn't require sophisticated cutting skills or precision gluing, but it does involve scissors and lots of sticky stuff!

Make sure you have plenty of dot stickers and be prepared for the possibility that your little one won't want to stop until there are no supplies left!

YOU WILL NEED:

- red or orange cellophane
- clear sticky contact
- glitter and or sequins
- scissors
- string

DIRECTIONS:

- 1 Cut cellophane into small pieces – it doesn't have to be sophisticated, just chop away.
- 2 Cut contact into long rectangles (app. 30 x 15 cms) and fold in half. Then peel back the backing on half of the rectangle and start sticking the pieces of cellophane to the sticky contact.
- 3 When cellophane covers most of the contact, toss on a small amount of glitter (or some sequins), then peel back the remainder of the contact and carefully fold the two sides together.
- 4 Cut around edges to form an oval or ladybug shape and then stick on the black dots.
- 5 Punch a hole in the top of each ladybug and tie on a length of string. Then hang the ladybugs up against a window where they'll look fabulous and spangly when the sun gets behind them!

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