



## St. Patrick's Day Wreath

Here is a pretty craft idea for a St Patrick's Day Wreath that your children will enjoy making.

### You will need:

Paint in all the colors of the rainbow  
Large sheet of card stock or paper plate  
Green paper  
Glue

**Instructions:** Paint a large red circle on the card or plate. Just inside this paint an orange circle, then a yellow circle, and so on until you reach violet.

When the paint is dry, cut around the outside of the red circle and remove the middle of the violet circle to make a doughnut shape.

Cut out lots of shamrocks from the green paper, then glue them around your circle and then hang your wreath.

## Rainbow Shakers



These rainbow shakers are fun for younger kids to make - with the added advantage that they can play with them later, too! Great for St Patrick's Day, a rainbow theme, or anytime when things need brightening up.

### You will need:

A small drink bottle  
Colored beads  
Circle stickers (in lots of different colors)  
Tissue paper (or ribbon) in all the colors of the rainbow  
Sticky tape

### Instructions:

Wash and dry your bottle well. Pour in some beads and fasten the bottle tightly (for younger children it could be glued in place).

Decorate your bottle with the stickers. We made circles around the bottle to create a rainbow but you can be as creative as you like.

Cut one strip of tissue paper in each color. Arrange them around the neck of the bottle and tape in place.