

National Park Teepees

Supplies:

White or tan colored felt
Thread
Sewing needle
Scissors
Fabric markers or Watercolor paints
Bamboo Skewers
Paper and pen/pencil

Instructions

1. Begin by tracing a large circle on thick paper.
 2. Cut out the circle and fold it into quarters.
 3. Draw three circles of the same size along one of the folds.
 4. Fold the template in half making the fold cross the small circles and cut out the circles.
 5. Trace the pattern onto the felt and cut it out.
 6. Whip stitch or blanket stitch the edges staying close to the edge, but be sure the stitches won't pull out (felt usually has a soft side and a rough side, for painting purposes, be sure the soft side is on the inside and the rough side is on the outside)
 7. Decorate the outside of the felt using markers or paint.
 8. Glue bamboo skewers to the inside of the felt sticking out slightly from the top.
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