

# COFFEE CAN LANTERN

## Required Materials

- ♻️ tin coffee can (or any size can, depending on the size of the lantern that you want)



- ♻️ water



- ♻️ hammer and nail



- ♻️ craft paint or spray paint (you will need paint brushes if you plan to use the craft paint)



or



- ♻️ large round candle



## Step-By-Step Procedures

1. Fill the coffee can with water  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches from the top of the can.
2. Put in freezer overnight.
3. Punch holes with hammer and nail to desired shape (Parents will want to do this step.)
4. As the ice melts, the water will leak through the holes – make sure to set the coffee can in a sink, basin or set it outside. Once the ice is completely melted, dump the water out.
5. Once the can is completely dry from the water, you can paint the can either using craft paint or spray paint. (Other types of paint will also work.)
6. Once the paint is dry, place a candle in the can and let an adult light the candle.

