

# CRAFTY TUESDAYS



## OWL CRAFT

This wonderful craft was brought to our attention by Guider Cara on her blog<sup>1</sup>. The original idea comes from the Card a la Carte website<sup>2</sup>. We have recreated and simplified the instructions for this craft from both of their posts.

### MATERIALS:

- Mini Gift boxes/pillow boxes
- Tissue Paper (any colour)
- Construction paper, various colours
- White construction paper
- Popsicle sticks
- Glue and tape
- Orange, brown or yellow crayons



Source: Meg Duerksen  
<http://megduerksen.typepad.com/whatever/2011/05/owls.html>

### INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1.** Fill pillow gift boxes with tissue paper and tape the ends shut.
- 2.** Using a stencil or quarters, draw 10-12 circles on construction paper. Cut out the circles. Option: Use different coloured paper or have the girls trade circles with each other, for a multi coloured owl body!
- 3.** Still using a stencil or a quarter, cut out two circles out of black construction paper.
- 4.** Draw two oblong shapes for the wings (preferably from the same construction paper so that the wings match.) Cut out the wing shapes.
- 5.** Cut out two large circles on white construction paper. These are the whites of the owl's eyes.
- 6.** Snip the corner of yellow or orange construction paper for the beak.
- 7.** Colour the Popsicle sticks in yellow or orange for the feet.
- 8.** Start to glue the owl together in this order:
  - Glue the two Popsicle sticks to the body for the legs.
  - Glue the 10-12 quarter-size circles over the Popsicle sticks to form the owl's body.
  - Glue on the wings pointing up, down, or one to the side.
  - Next glue on the white's of the eyes, the beak and the pupils.

<sup>1</sup> <http://browniesmeet.wordpress.com/2011/05/28/key-to-brownies-owl-craft/>

<sup>2</sup> <http://www.cardalacarte.com/2011/03/owls.html>