

# Christmas Lantern Craft

Inspired by *Christmas Lights on Mistletoe Street*

Handle

Base

Side A

Lantern

Side B



# How to make your Christmas Lantern

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## YOU WILL NEED:

- Scissors (ask for help from a grown-up)
- Glue or Sellotape
- Colouring pens, pencils, tissue paper, glitter – or anything else you'd like to use to decorate your lantern
- LED tea light (optional)

1. Decorate the lantern section and the handle and base strips.
2. Cut around the outside of the lantern section and cut out the handle and the two base rectangles.
3. Fold the lantern section in half along the dotted line.
4. Keeping the lantern folded, cut along each of the short solid lines. **Make sure you stop where the line stops!**
5. Unfold the lantern, then stick the sides (A and B) together so it forms a cylinder.
6. Stick each end of the handle to the top of the lantern to form a looped handle.
7. Attach each base rectangle to the bottom of the lantern to form a cross shape across the bottom.
8. Insert your LED tea-light and enjoy the sparkling Christmas light!

Try making a paper lantern for someone in your community to brighten up their Christmas!

