

# Make & Share Star Ornaments

**Gather up some supplies and make your own star ornament to share on the West Dundee Community Tree in the Grafelman Park gazebo!**

There are many ways to make your star, depending on what supplies you have around the house. Below are some project ideas, with links to full instructions. You can follow the instructions, or get creative and do it your own way with whatever materials you have at home.

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## YARN-WRAP STAR

Supplies Needed:

- Cardstock or cardboard
- Colorful yarn
- Scissors
- Tape
- Piece of thin ribbon, yarn, twine, string or pipe cleaner for hanging loop
- Star-shaped cookie cutter or other star template (or you can eyeball it)
- Hot glue to affix the end of the yarn (or you can tie it to itself)



For step by step instructions, visit:

<https://theinspiredtreehouse.com/christmas-crafts-for-kids-yarn-wrapped-ornaments/>

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## BEADED STAR

Supplies Needed:

- Pipe cleaner
- Pony beads
- Piece of thin ribbon, yarn, twine, string or pipe cleaner for hanging loop
- Star-shaped cookie cutter or other star template (or you can eyeball it)
- Jingle bell (optional)



For step by step instructions, visit:

<https://familygodtime.wordpress.com/2016/11/29/fo-llow-the-star-2016-pipe-cleaner-star/>

## CRYSTAL STAR

Supplies Needed:

- Borax
- Boiling water
- Spoon for stirring
- Pipe cleaner
- Star-shaped cookie cutter or other star template (or you can eyeball it)
- Piece of thin ribbon, yarn, twine, string or pipe cleaner for hanging loop
- Popsicle stick, pencil or other long, thin object
- Glass or jar

For step by step instructions, visit:

<https://onelittleproject.com/how-to-make-crystal-stars/>



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## POPSICLE STICK STAR

Supplies Needed:

- 5 Popsicle / craft sticks
- Glue (hot glue will be the fastest, but almost any liquid glue will work)
- Piece of thin ribbon, yarn, twine, string or pipe cleaner for hanging loop

Optional supplies to embellish, glue, tie or stick on for decoration:

- Pipe cleaners
- Pom poms
- Googly eyes
- Foam letters or shapes
- Craft gems
- Buttons
- Glitter glue
- Washable paint
- Markers



For step by step instructions, visit:

<https://www.powerfulmothering.com/christmas-crafts-personalized-star-ornament-for-kids/>

<https://www.powerfulmothering.com/easy-christmas-crafts-for-kids-craft-stick-stars/>

<https://kidscraftroom.com/pom-pom-popsicle-stick-stars/>