Crayon Creations

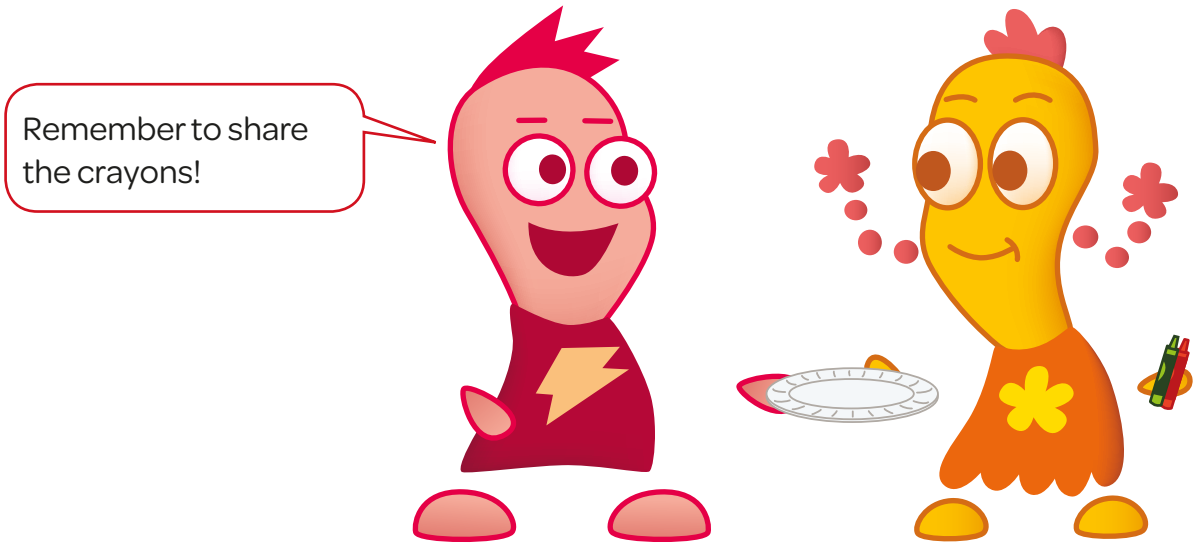
Use crayon shavings, wax paper, and an iron to create melted crayon ornaments for your very own Christmas tree.

Supplies

Crayons
Hand grater or pencil sharpener
Paper plate or bowls
Wax paper
Iron and ironing board
Scissors
Old newspaper
Ornament stencils on next page
Marker
Hole punch
Yarn

Steps

1. Cut out the ornament stencils from the next page and set aside. Set iron to warm setting.
2. Peel the paper wrapping off of a variety of colors of crayons. With an adult, use a cheese grater or pencil sharpener to grate the crayons onto a paper plate or bowl. Keep colors separate, if desired.
3. Cut two pieces of wax paper per ornament that are at least one inch larger than the stencils. You'll cut your ornament into a stencil shape later.
4. Set one piece of wax paper on a sheet of old newspaper. Sprinkle shavings onto the wax paper. Place a second piece of wax paper on top of the shavings.
5. Pick up the newspaper—don't spill the shavings!—and set on ironing board. Place one more piece of newspaper on top to make a wax paper sandwich. Carefully press the warm iron onto the paper. Move iron back and forth until all shavings are melted.
6. Let cool, then trace an ornament on the wax paper and cut out. Punch a hole at the top of the ornament, string with yarn, and add to your tree.



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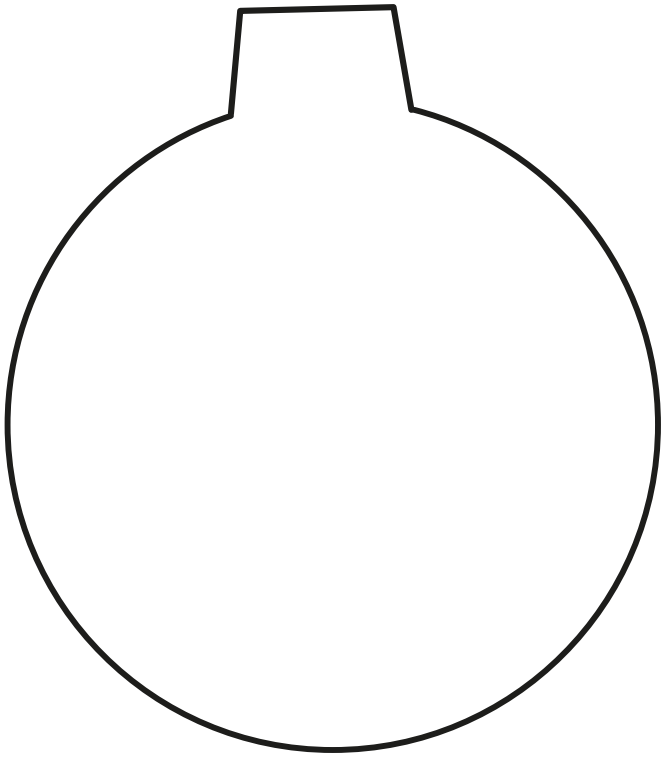

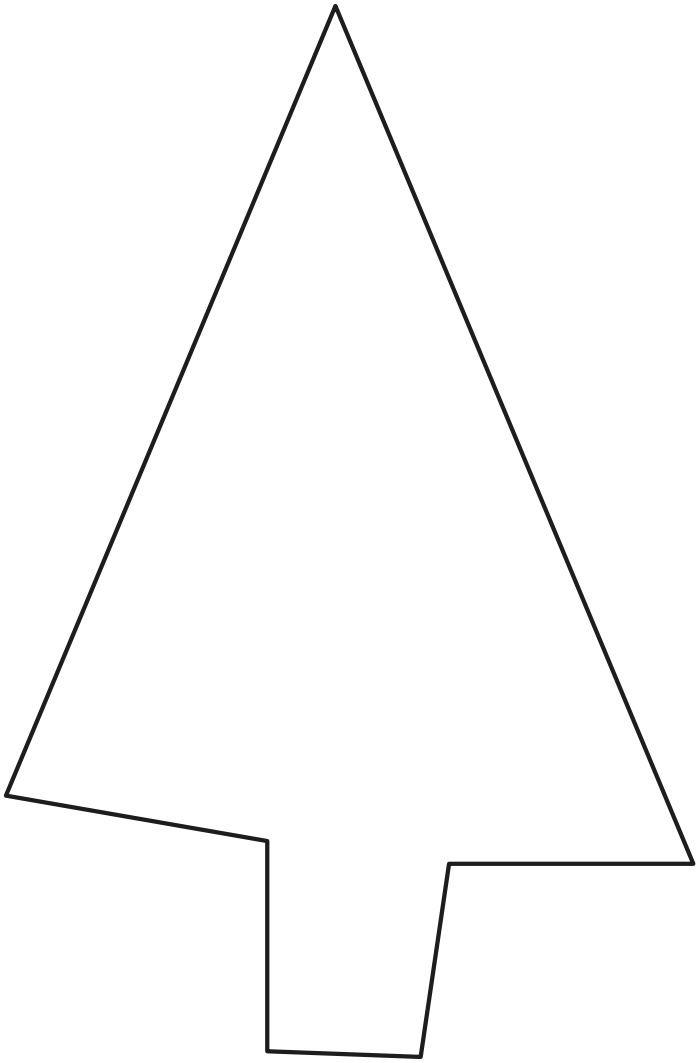

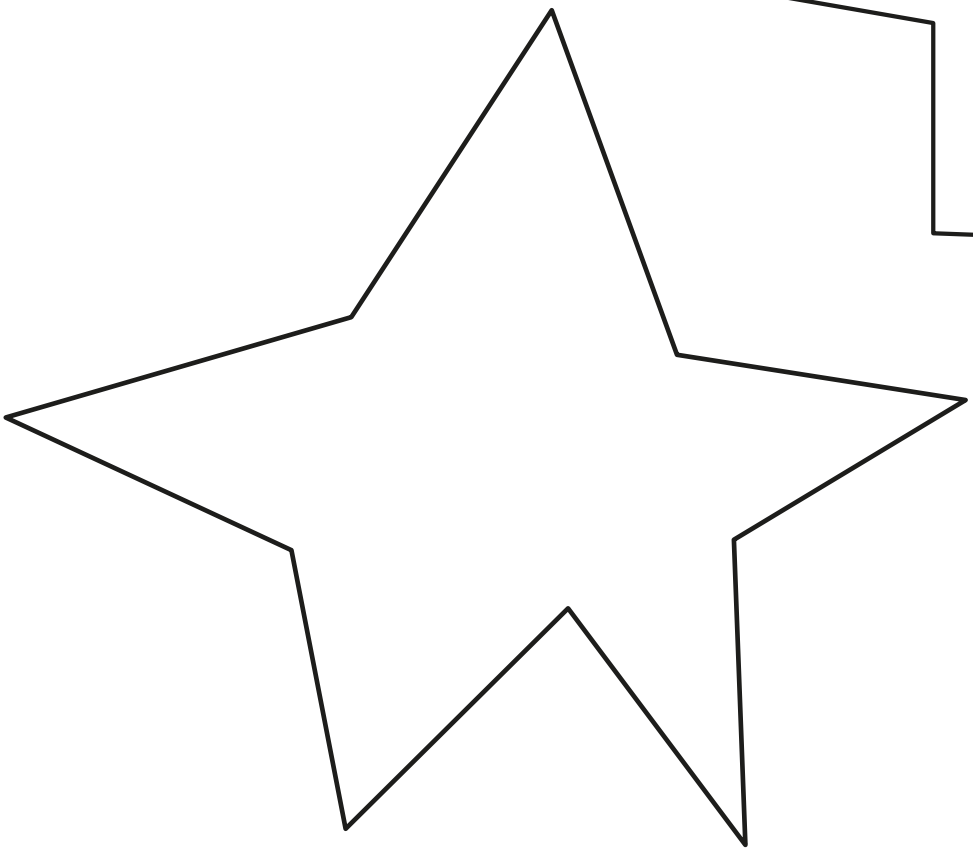

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