

Heart Puzzle Wreath

Supplies included:

Cardboard heart
Puzzle pieces with white backs
Other assorted puzzle pieces
Red paint
Pink paint
Foam paint brush
Twine

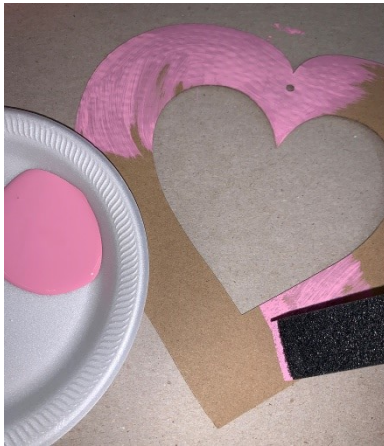
Additional supplies needed:

Plastic plate for paint palette
Hot glue gun & glue sticks
Apron or paint shirt
Paper or plastic to protect work surface



Step 1

Paint one side of the cardboard heart pink or red (your choice).



PUZZLE TERMS—Puzzle pieces can have "loops" and "sockets", "knobs" and "holes", "tabs" and "slots", "keys" and "locks", "outies" and "innies", or any of several other alternative designations.

Step 2

While your heart dries, paint about 1/2 of the assorted puzzle pieces pink and the other 1/2 red. DO NOT PAINT THE PUZZLE PIECES WITH THE WHITE BACKS.



I recommend painting the puzzle piece backs and painting two coats. To hold each piece in place to paint, I placed my pointer finger on a "knob", painted the puzzle piece, removed my finger, and then dabbed "knob" with paint.

Step 3

Insert the twine through the hole at the top of the cardboard heart and tie for hanging.



Step 4

Attach pink, red, and white puzzle pieces randomly to heart with a hot glue gun.



Step 5

Continue to attach pink, red and white puzzle pieces until the heart is completely covered, then add second layer of puzzle pieces. You can add puzzle pieces to the heart until there are no pieces left or until you're in love with your Heart Puzzle Wreath!



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