

## Craft Project

# DIY CHRISTMAS BAUBLES

Make your own Christmas baubles to decorate your tree this festive season or give your old baubles a new lease of life with Karin Deco Brush metallic markers!

### YOU WILL NEED:

- Karin Deco Brush Markers in metallic colours
- Plain baubles, glass and plastic both work well or polystyrene balls
- String or ribbon
- Pin or drawing pin, one for each polystyrene ball
- Newspaper or scrap paper to protect your work surface



Project Time: 45 Minutes including drying time  
Project Level: Beginner - Fun for everyone



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## STEP 1

Select one of the Karin markers to be the base colour for your bauble, we used metallic blue. Put your scrap paper down on your work surface and place the polystyrene ball on top of it.

## STEP 2

Use the marker to colour in the ball, one side at a time. Leave the ink to dry on the first side a little before you move onto the second half of the bauble.



## STEP 3

Once all of the base colour is completely dry you can move onto the decoration or personalisation. You can write names, quotes or Christmassy words on your bauble or you can draw patterns or images, it is up to you! We wrote "joy" on ours in the centre of the ball.

## STEP 4

Loop your string or ribbon together so both the open ends are laying on top of each other against the top of the bauble. Secure the ribbon into place by pinning your pin or drawing pin through the ribbon and into the polystyrene ball. Now you can hang it on your Christmas tree!





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## STEP 5

To make your glass or plastic baubles make sure your work space is covered with newspaper or scrap paper before you get started.



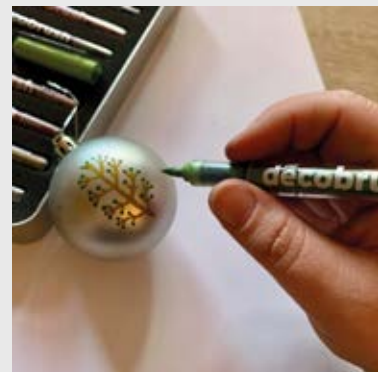
## STEP 6

Use the metallic gold marker to draw a simple tree shape in the centre of the bauble.



## STEP 7

Add small green dots to the ends of the branches for leaves and get ready to hang on your tree!



**THERE ARE LOTS OF DESIGNS YOU CAN TRY OUT TO PERSONALISE YOUR TREE THIS CHRISTMAS AND HERE ARE A FEW TO INSPIRE YOU!**

