



## Supplies Needed

- #40000556 Sticky Back Foam Sheets, 5.9" x 9", 40 sheets (1 pk)
- #40000537 Adhesive Back Stiff Felt, 6" x 9", 18 sheets (1 pk)
- #40000571 Glitter 2mm Foam Sheet, 9" x 12" (1 pk)
- #40000714 Plastic Stitching Canvas, 12" x 18" (2 pk)
- #40000793 Multicolor 10mm Pompoms, 100 pc. (2 pk)
- #40000773 White Pompoms, 3", 4 pc. (1 pk)
- #40000458 Clear Ceramic Christmas Tree Stars, 2 pc. (1 pk)
- #40000662 Octagonal Mirror Place Mat, 12" x 18" (1 pk)
- #40000531 Dowel Rods, 3mm x 30cm, 22 pc. (1 pk)
- #69991585 In Bloom White Seed/E-Bead Mix Assortment (1 pk)
- #23702 Scoop and Tweezers Set, 2 pc. (\*1 pk) (\*optional but very helpful)

## Tools & Supplies Needed

- Scissors
- Wire Cutters (optional)
- Ruler
- Ultra-Fine Point Black Marker
- Cube Tissue Box
- Downloadable Pattern Piece Template
- Heavyweight Paper (for pattern pieces)
- Hot Glue Gun (***\*adult supervision is mandatory\****)
- Mod Podge
- Small Foam Paintbrush
- Crystal Clear Spray Gloss

## Techniques to Know

- Basic Tracing & Cutting

**Instructions:** (Use photo image as a guide.)

1. Print, trace, and cut out pattern pieces from heavy weight paper.
2. Trace and cut out house front/back, sides, roof, roof snow, and chimney pieces from plastic canvas. Line up the edges of the pattern pieces with the straight lines in the canvas as much as possible before cutting.
3. Choose desired colors of sticky back foam sheets and adhesive back felt pieces for house and roof. (We cut the roof pieces from sheets of white foam and the roof snow from sheets of white felt.) Trace these pattern pieces on the back side of the foam and felt sheets and cut them out. Remove adhesive

backing and press them onto the corresponding cut out plastic canvas pattern pieces.

4. Trace chimney pieces on the top side of a sheet of red sticky back foam. Use ultra-fine tip marker to draw brick lines onto the pattern pieces before cutting them out. Remove the sticky back and press the foam pieces onto the plastic canvas chimney pieces. Line up the sides of the chimney and use the glue gun to join and assemble the chimney together. Place a few touches of glue onto the bottom edges of the chimney and glue the chimney onto the roof.

5. Cut out the door, windows, window dividers, windowsills, doorknob, wreath, bow, and steps from desired colored sheets of foam and felt. Remove adhesive backing and press these onto the house. Cut narrow strips from sheets of black foam for window dividers, windowsills, etc. Press them onto the windows and house.

6. Line up the sides and front of the house and use glue gun to join and glue them onto the sides of the tissue box. Line up the roof pieces and glue them onto the top of the house.

7. Place a few touches of glue onto the bottom edges of the chimney and glue the chimney onto the roof.

8. Use glue gun to glue small colored pompoms along top, front and back edges of the roof and along the top of the front windows.

9. Use foam paint brush to place a thick coat of mod podge onto the snowy roof.

10. Place the house inside a tray or pan. Use the scoop (or a small spoon) to pour white and clear seed beads onto the roof to look like snow. Repeat if needed. Once dry, spray with gloss to coat beads and prevent them from falling off.

11. Trace and cut out the pond from the sheet of glitter foam. Use the technique from the previous two steps to add ice and snow to the surface of the pond.

12. Cut a 7" length of dowel using wire cutters or scissors (dowel is very thin). Trace and cut out four tree shapes onto the back side of sheets of sticky back green foam.

13. Peel the adhesive backing off ½ side of a tree shape. Line one end of the dowel up with the middle of the bottom of that tree and stick the dowel on so it runs up the middle of the tree (the dowel becomes the spine of the tree). Line that ½ tree up with the back side of another tree shape (with the backing still on) so the middle of that tree shape touches the dowel as well. Keep joining the back of the trees together in that fashion until all pieces are joined together.

14. Use glue gun to glue small colored pompoms onto the tree.

15. Cut the sidewalk out of a sheet of black foam.

16. Position the house, sidewalk, tree, and pond onto the surface of the mirror placemat where desired. Remove adhesive on the back of the sidewalk and adhere it onto the mirror.

17. Tug and pull apart three white pompoms. Place some of the pulled pompom in the chimney to appear like smoke. Place the remainder of the pulled pompoms around the house, sidewalk, tree, and pond.

**SKILL LEVEL:** Advanced Beginner

**APPROXIMATE CRAFTING TIME:** Good Day or Weekend Project