

THANKSGIVING CORN COBS

Colorful, creative and crunchy! Fashion “corn cobs” out of healthy ingredients and make a husk out of tissue paper. So fun for a little feast and the tissue paper keeps little fingers clean! Popcorn not intended for little eaters.



Thanksgiving corn cob craft

KIDS LOVE TO CRUNCH!

GROCERY SHOPPING LIST Unsalted popcorn or kettle corn, shredded coconut, dried cranberries, yogurt covered raisins, granola, 1 bag marshmallows, 2 Tbsp butter, alternate add-ins: chocolate covered raisins, candy such as M&Ms or Reeses Pieces, candy corn, nuts, raisins, other dried fruit.

SUPPLIES SHOPPING LIST Large mixing bowl, large spoon, small saucepan, kid-friendly scissors, plastic wrap, green and cream colored tissue paper, yarn.

STEPS

1. In a large mixing bowl, add 1 bag or 6 cups of popped popcorn and sprinkle in about 1 cup of ingredients: shredded coconut, dried cranberries, granola, and yogurt covered raisins.
2. In a small saucepan, melt 1 tablespoon of butter. Add 2 cups of marshmallows and stir constantly until fully melted.
3. Carefully poured melted marshmallows into bowl of popcorn and fold in until entire mixture is completely sticky.
4. Let sit for 10 minutes.
5. With your hands, form corn cob shapes and place on piece of plastic wrap.
6. Tightly bundle cobs in plastic wrap squeezing to compact popcorn. Twist ends of plastic.
7. Layer tissue paper from dark to light colors and cut into a 6” x 6” square.
8. Rotate tissue paper with point facing up and place a corn cob in bottom corner. Be sure to tuck under the plastic wrap on the bottom side.
9. Bunch tissue paper around cob and secure over plastic wrap with yarn. Tie tightly and trim excess plastic so it doesn't show.
10. Fluff and trim any excess tissue paper from husks.