

advent calendar from matchboxes

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Difficulty: Beginner 

Working time: [4 Hours](#)

Christmas is just around the corner and what could be better than a homemade advent calendar? In this tutorial, we show you how to make a unique advent calendar from simple matchboxes. Open a little present every day - a wonderful tradition that spreads anticipation and joy.

Glue six **large matchboxes** upright next to each other on the **corrugated cardboard cut**. Do not glue the boxes together, otherwise you will not be able to open them later. Glue six **more boxes** on top to create a rectangle. You can now cut off the remaining corrugated cardboard blank.

Place the **stencil** onto the matchboxes and paint them with a **white Posca marker**. You can now decorate the surface with **stamps** as desired.

Glue the **small matchboxes** to the top edge. This way, all the matchboxes can be slid open. Decorate these boxes with **stamps** too.

Use the **Posca marker** to write numbers on each matchbox .

Finally, you can stick on a few **star stickers** if you wish.



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Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
12527	VBS Matchboxes "Kraft paper", 11 cm	1
12528	VBS Matchboxes "Kraft paper", 5 cm	1
16422	VBS Stencil set "Merry Christmas"	1
21289	Stamp setStars	1
21290	Stamp setFirs	1
862110	Corrugated board blank, 2-flute	1
567732-08	POSCA Marker PC-3MWhite	1
542708-08	Staz-On Stamp padBlack	1
13805	Sticker "Stars gold"	1
51163	Hot glue gun, 15-80 Watt	1