

Make Fridolin the dachshund

Instructions No. 3540

Difficulty: Beginner 🍴🍴🍴🍴

Working time: 45 Minutes

Fancy an exciting crafting adventure? With our **cute dachshund Fridolin**, who comes in a festive **Christmas look**, you can have hours of crafting fun with your family! These simple instructions are perfect for children to unleash their creativity and be proud of their homemade works of art. Whether as a cute decoration for the Christmas season or as a unique gift - Fridolin the dachshund brings joy and color to every home. Grab your scissors, glue and Paper and get crafting!



Fridolin the dachshund craft - fun for the whole family

Preparation - Using templates and materials

Download and cut out the template

First, print out our free template for Fridolin the dachshund. The template contains all the parts you need: A = body, B = head and front foot, C = bottom, back foot and tail, D = ear and E = Christmas hat. Now carefully cut out all these parts with scissors.

transfer and cut out - photo cardboard and coloured paper

Take one template at a time. transfer template B, C and D with a pencil onto brown photo card. Be careful when cutting out so that all parts fit exactly.

Shade the edges for more dimension

To give the dachshund more depth and dimension, gently press your finger on a ink pads and trace the edges of the photo cardboard. This gives the elements an appealing shading effect.

Continue with coloured paper

transfer template A and E to red coloured paper. Here too, precise cutting is the key to a successful result.

Assembly - The dachshund takes shape

Folding the body - the accordion technique

Now it's time for the body! Fold the body (part A) into an accordion shape by folding strips approx. 1 cm wide. When you make one fold, you have to make the next one in the opposite direction so that the body looks like an accordion. Then glue the ends with VBS handicraft glue to the front and back of the dachshund's body.

Cut and attach the felt strips

Cut two strips felt, each 1 cm wide. Cut one piece approx. 5 cm long (for the hat) and two pieces approx. 9 cm long (for the body). Gently round off the corners of these strips. Glue the 5 cm strip to the edge of the Santa hat and the 9 cm strips to the body.

Finishing touches - personalization and stability

Add details - eyes and pompoms

To give your dachshund Fridolin a face, glue a wiggly eye to his head. You can use small pompoms to add additional unique accents. Also use handicraft glue, to attach these parts securely.

Handles with wooden spatulas

Turn the dachshund over and apply some handicraft glue to the legs. Place two wooden spatulas on top.

Leave to dry - time for patience

Allow all parts to dry sufficiently before handling them further. This step is particularly important to prevent the parts from falling off and to ensure that everything stays in place.

Time to finish your craft project!

Now that your dachshund Fridolin is complete, you can proudly display him, play with him or wrap him up as a gift. His charming look is ideal for the Christmas season or as a decorative piece for any home. Want to create more inspiring craft ideas? Check out our online store and discover a wide Selection of craft materials to bring all your creative projects to life.

Have fun crafting and discovering new creative possibilities!

Must Have



Creative block coloured paper & photo cardboard, Shades of Us

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20579	Pelikan School scissors "Griffix", roundLeft-handed	1
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