

# Summer garden on the wall

Instructions No. 1641

This is the **winning craft idea** of our VBS Summer handicraft competition 2018 of Theres, 1st place. It is a perfect example that the best ideas come from yourself! So that all handicraft enthusiasts can recreate the beautiful wall decoration themselves, here are the instructions on how to create such a mural.



## Creative with colour

The wooden tray and the largest Terracotta-pot are primed with chalky paint. The tray is primed with white or light colour, the Terracotta-pot has a first layer of dark colour.

After drying, a layer of Chalky Wax helps to remove the upper layer of paint with sandpaper after applying another layer of paint (light Blue on the tray, white on the pot) only . By carefully rubbing off the colour spots, the typical Chalky look is created.

## Pot-Etagere

Choose three small pots of different sizes and wrap them with natural bast, fix them with hot glue. A natural coloured string is pulled from above through the smallest Terracotta-pot and knotted under the bottom with a wooden bead. The same thread is now pulled through the next pot, also secured again with a wooden bead. It is also pulled through the third, largest Terracotta-pot, again secured with a wooden bead. Now the upper end of the thread can be tied to the tray handle and fixed with hot glue, it is a small pot-Etagere was created.

## Decorate

Now decorate pots of different sizes and a wooden spool in a tray to create an attractive arrangement. Fill the pots with artificial plants, wrap the Spool with natural-coloured string, decorate everything with small miniature garden tools and glue everything into the tray with hot glue. From small bark slices you can form a "Sun".

Finally, wrap Jute yarn around the top handle of only , this also serves as a hanging band, and fill the bottom with Iceland Moss.

## Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
756426	VBS Chalky Outdoor Color "Country"	1
755559	VBS Chalky Wax	1
650984	Natural bast, natural colour	1
615716-00	VBS Iceland moss, 100 gNature	1
615716-50	VBS Iceland moss, 100 gGreen	1
460132	VBS Jute ribbon, 3 mm	1
614030	VBS Mini bark discs "Round"	1
697507	VBS Yarn rolls "Ø 3.5 cm", 15 pieces	1
474900	Garden tools, set of 3	1
616362-02	VBS Decorative berries with wire "Ø 10 mm", 400 piecesWhite	1
571647-04	Terracotta potsInside-Ø 4 cm, 10 pcs.	1

571647-05	Terracotta potsInside-Ø 5 cm, 10 pcs.	1
571647-06	Terracotta potsInside-Ø 6 cm, 10 pcs.	1
571647-07	Terracotta potsInside-Ø 7 cm, 10 pcs.	1