


# Winning idea for a gnome house – VBS Christmas craft competition 2023

**Instructions No. 2954**

Difficulty: Advanced 

Working time: [4 Hours](#)

This **Secret Santa house** was submitted by "MadHatter". This winning idea from the **VBS Christmas craft competition 2023** is a great example of how easy and creative it is to make a beautiful house for a gnome using wooden sticks, felt and beads.



## This is how you can recreate the gnome house:

Our winner used a bought mini greenhouse as the basis for her **gnome house**. Of course, you can also use a cardboard box with cut-out windows or our wooden doll's house. The furniture can be made from narrow and wide **wooden sticks** to suit your personal taste. The walls and floors are also made from the wooden spatulas.

For the **decorations** such as the garland and the wreaths, you can string different sized craft beads and decorate them on your elves' house. Cushions and Christmas socks are made from felting.

Are you happy with your decorations and furniture? Then you can now put everything together and light it up with a **chain of lights**. A fantastic gnome house is ready. A great decoration for the winter season!



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Article information:

| Article number | Article name                                       | Qty |
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| 12512          | VBS Wooden spatula "Maxi", 50 pcs.                 | 1   |
| 661140         | VBS Wooden sticks "Nature"                         | 1   |
| 21845          | VBS Handicraft blocksOak wood                      | 1   |
| 643405-51      | Glass wax beads, Ø 4 mm, 100 piecesDark Green      | 1   |
| 643405-76      | Glass wax beads, Ø 4 mm, 100 piecesLight green     | 1   |
| 57976610       | VBS Wax beads "Colorful mix", Ø 10 mm, 250 g       | 1   |
| 699389         | Doll house to build yourself                       | 1   |
| 801584         | Craft felt self-adhesive, 20x29cm, 10 sheets       | 1   |
| 22723          | VBS Craft felt assortment "22 colours"             | 1   |
| 689793         | VBS Micro LED chain of lights, with timer, 20 LEDs | 1   |
| 19756          | Miniature set "Table & Chair"                      | 1   |
| 19762          | Miniature window square "wide depth"               | 1   |
| 19793          | Rico Design Miniature "Fireplace with light"       | 1   |
| 19792          | Rico Design Miniature fireplace                    | 1   |
| 22142          | Miniature fireplace                                | 1   |
| 692557         | Wooden bench and table                             | 1   |
| 19251          | Secret Santa set "Table, bench & chair"            | 1   |