



Kitty Kibbles

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Here is a fun and easy project for kids to make and enjoy. Parents need to help with razor and kibbles.

What You'll Need:

- Scissors
- Cardstock (optional)
- Yes! Glue (optional)
- Craft knife
- Ruler
- Tacky Glue
- Razor
- Tiny star pasta
- Transparency paper or plastic sandwich bag
- Paper punch -1/2" circle

1. Cut out a box or boxes. Glue to a thicker piece of cardstock with Yes! Glue if you want a sturdy box.

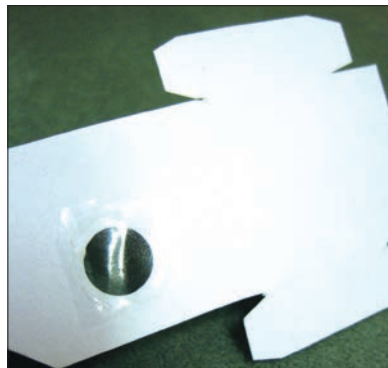
2. Using a craft knife, gently press where folds are indicated by white lines. Press the knife against a ruler to maintain straight lines. You don't want to cut through the paper, so do not press too hard.



3. Use circle punch to create a window on the front of box. Center the punch so it's straight or practice on a separate paper. You can also draw your own square and cut that shape with a craft knife.



4. Cut a 3/4" square shape from transparency paper or from plastic sandwich bag. Glue around the punched window opening on the inside of your box.



5. Glue bottom and sides to create box, leaving the top open to fill with kibbles.

6. Stir star pasta in a nonstick skillet on medium heat. Let cool. Pieces will darken to different shades.



7. Fill your box with kibbles and glue the top shut.

Enjoy in your kitchen or pet shop.

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