

Pine-Infused Candle

GOAL








To learn how to use natural, local products to create home products. Candles are an extremely popular product that florists and farmers can make and sell year-round. This lesson will teach you how to make your very own infused candle!

PREPARE

Gather materials and find a clean workspace.

Remember: Making candles is a creative process! Use your imagination to choose different candle holders, colors, and decorations. For example, crayons are a great source of color for your candle. Simply peel off the paper around the crayon and add the crayon to the soy beads. The color will melt and spread throughout the wax. Keep in mind that the color of the crayon will be diluted slightly in the wax.

MATERIALS

Microwave-Safe Container	Soy Beads	Pine Needles	Glass Container	Candle Wick	Scissors	Toothpick
						



STEPS

1

Insert a candle wick into the glass container and stick the wick to the bottom of the container with a sticker. Try to center the wick as best as possible.

2

Pour soy beads into a microwave-safe container. Microwave for 3 minutes. When the soy beads have melted into a liquid, pour into a glass container. Make sure not to cover the tip of the wick! Set aside.

3

Use scissors to snip pine needles into 1-2 inch pieces. Pour several tablespoons into the melted soy bead mixture.

4

Use a toothpick to stir the pine needles into the wax mixture. Make sure there are pine needles evenly distributed throughout the mixture. Let sit for at least 4 hours.

