

KEEPSAKE BOX



This box was made to hold something special. Look closely at the details on the box, including the image on the outside. Now it is your turn to decorate a box however you choose.

Osip Balanov and Nikita Dens'ev (Moscow), snuffbox, 1838. Silver, silver gilt and niello. Georgia Museum of Art, University of Georgia; Gift of Marina Belosselsky-Belozersky Kasarda. GMOA 2018.260.

You'll need the following supplies included in the art kit (or found at home).



wooden box



tissue paper



silver marker



Mod Podge



paintbrush



scissors
(not included)



1. Use your brush to cover one side of the box with glue. Place a layer of tissue paper over the glue.
2. Repeat step 1 until all sides of your box are covered with tissue paper.
3. Completely cover all of the tissue paper with a top coat of glue to seal it.
4. Let the glue dry. The glue is dry when it is clear and glossy.
5. Decorate your box using the marker. Draw your favorite person, thing, shapes or patterns.
6. Step back and admire your special box. What will you keep inside of it?

Tip:

Layer shapes of tissue paper and glue to create designs with the paper.



We'd love your feedback! Please take a few minutes to complete a survey about this program.

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