

Take & Make

Apple Scented Candles!

Materials Provided:

- Votive
- Wax Flakes
- Apple Scented Wax
- Wick
- Sprinkles
- Corn Syrup
- Clothes Pin

Additional Materials Needed:

- Microwave Safe Bowl



Directions

- Put the wax flakes into a microwave safe bowl and add the Apple Scented wax cubes on top.
- Microwave for about 3 minutes and when melted be sure you remove it from the microwave with pot holders (the bowl will be very hot).
- Hold the votive on it's side and pour in the corn syrup and, using your finger, spread it around to cover all the sides (avoid the bottom of the votive as best you can).
- Quickly pour in your sprinkles. Cover the top of the votive and shake. You want the sides of your votive completely coated.
- Get your candle wick and place a small amount of corn syrup on the bottom and firmly press it into the glass votive. Try to place it as centered as possible.
- Quickly pour your candle wax into your votives, focusing on pouring directly in the middle.
 - Keep a hold on the wick as you pour because sometimes it pops off from the bottom.



- Your candle will need about an hour to set. Use the clothes pin to hold the wax in place during this time.
- NOTE - Once you pour the wax, the votive will be extremely hot and I suggest pouring the wax someplace where the votive can sit for the entire cooling time.
- When your wax has cooled trim your wicks to your desired length (usually about a half inch).

TIPS - when we first tried this, the instructions said to add the sprinkles first and then melt the wax. When we did this the corn syrup and sprinkles slid to the bottom of the votive. The end results are pictured on the left.

We had left over melted wax from the first attempt, so we took a second votive, poured in the corn syrup and sprinkles, placed the wick and immediately poured in the wax. This candle turned out better, with the results pictured on the right.

