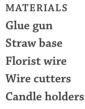


Cone candle wreath

I like to set the table nicely with a beautiful wreath as a centrepiece. Pine branches keep very well indoors, even if they will of course dry out more quickly due to the warmth. This is a wreath I save and bring out again year after year. A wreath made from cones will keep forever; I just swap out the pine branches each year and the wreath is like new again.

LEVEL: EASY

- ${\bf 1}$ Start by gluing spruce cones to the outside of the straw base using a glue gun.
- $\boldsymbol{2}$ Place cones around the whole wreath so that the outside is completely covered.
- $\boldsymbol{3}$ Add pine branches to the inside of the wreath and secure in place with florist wire.
- **4** Make sure that the whole of the inside is covered, so that you can't see the straw base coming through.
- **5** Place pine branches on the top of the wreath. Secure the branches into place using u-shaped lengths of florist wire.
- **6** Attach florist wire to the pine cones, then push them into the top of the wreath.
- **7** Push candle holders down into the wreath, then place candles in the candle holders to create a beautiful centrepiece for your table.



FLOWERS/FOLIAGE
Pine branches
Pine cones with florist
wire attached
Spruce cones



