

# PLAY & LEARN

Making a Schultüte, also known as a school cone, is a fun and traditional activity from Germany to celebrate the first day of school. Here's a step-by-step guide tailored for kids:

## Step 1: Gather Your Materials

To make your Schultüte, you will need:

- A large sheet of colorful wrapping paper or poster board
- Scissors
- Tape or glue
- Ribbons, stickers, or other decorations
- A ruler
- Optional: tissue paper, candies, small toys or school supplies to fill your Schultüte

## Step 2: Roll the Construction Paper/Poster Board

Take your large sheet of wrapping paper or poster board and lay it flat on a table. Roll it into a cone shape. You can adjust the size of the cone depending on how big you want your Schultüte to be. Secure the edge with tape or glue.

## Step 3: Secure the Bottom

Cut off any excess paper at the bottom of the cone to create a flat surface. Use tape or glue to secure the bottom of the cone so it doesn't unravel.

## Step 4: Decorate Your Schultüte

Now comes the fun part! Use ribbons, stickers, markers, or any other decorations you like to personalize your Schultüte. You can write your name on it, draw pictures, or add glitter to make it sparkle. Get creative! Or keep scrolling to learn how to decorate it with little fluffy sheep!

## Step 5: Fill Your Schultüte

If you'd like, you can fill your Schultüte with treats and surprises to enjoy on your first day of school. Use tissue paper to line the inside of the cone, then fill it with candies, small toys, or school supplies like pencils and erasers.

## Step 6: Close the Top

Once your Schultüte is filled, you can close the top by folding the edges inward and securing them with tape or glue. Make sure it's sealed tight so nothing falls out!

## Step 7: Admire Your Creation

Step back and take a look at your beautiful Schultüte! You've done a fantastic job creating a special cone to celebrate your first day of school. Now it's ready to be proudly displayed or carried with you on the big day.

Congratulations! You've completed your Schultüte. Have fun showing it off and enjoying the treats inside on your first day of school!

# How to make a Schultüte!

