Balloon Baubles

Make Christmas baubles to decorate your home!

Recommended for kids aged 5-12 (parental supervision recommended for younger children).

## What you need

* Styrofoam balls of different sizes – or use environmentally friendly ball-shaped options like ping pong balls, etc.
* Coloured balloons
* Scissors
* String, thread or ribbon
* (Optional to decorate) Glue, glitter, tactile stickers, ribbon or use your imagination!

## Instructions

1. Use scissors to cut off the top of the balloon (between where you blow and before the balloon’s bulge)
2. Stretch newly-made balloon opening to fit over your ball, and push the ball inside
3. Use string, thread or ribbon to tie up the opening of the balloon and make a hanging loop
4. If you like, spend some time decorating your balloon baubles with glitter glue, stickers or ribbons
5. Hang up on your tree or anywhere around the house!

## Make it a game…

* Who can make the most festive bauble? Use a brown balloon and white decorations to make a Christmas pudding. Use a red balloon and black dots to make Santa’s tummy! Vote as a family on who wins!
* Who can make the most baubles in 15 minutes?

## Show us!

Send photos of your finished decorations to [carolsrehearsal@visionaustralia.org](mailto:carolsrehearsal@visionaustralia.org)

We’d love to feature some of them in our festive events and communications!