# Secret Santa story - Tomte plays cards

**Instructions No. 2934**

Difficulty: Beginner

Working time: 6 Hours

Well, who has left a letter again? It can only be his Secret Santa friend Tomte! Tomte has a visitor today and wants to play cards with his friends in the living room.




Glue the **blocks** for the wall and the floor together with **handicraft glue** to each other. Coat the floor with **wood stain** and leave to dry. Dab with a **dry brush** into the **ink pads** and shade the edges of the blocks.

For the wooden benches, cut **2 blocks** each to **12 and 10 cm** with a saw. The long block serves as the seat, the other is glued underneath in the middle.

For the stools, cut and glue **2x 4 cm block pieces** as the seat and **4x 2 cm** as the "legs".

Coat the benches, stools, the table and the cupboard with the **wood stain** and leave everything to dry. **Tip:** To achieve different shades of color, the glaze can be diluted with a little water.

cut **8 wooden sticks** to **7 cm** with scissors. Glue 4 pieces together with **handicraft glue** glue together to form a window. Once the glue is completely dry, you can paint the windows with **wood stain** glaze.

As soon as the glaze has dried, place the window on the **napkin** and trace the outline. Cut out the motif and stick it behind the window.

Cut out the **curtains (template A)** from **felt and paint on white dots with the Posca marker**. Cut out a thin strip of felt and tie it to the end of the curtain. Stick the finished curtains to the front of the window and then to the wall.

Then glue the benches into the room. Cut out a **round rug (template B)** and **seat cushions** for the benches **(template C)** and stools **(template D)** from felt . Use the **Posca marker** to paint on decorations as desired.

Make mini card holders from **wooden sticks**. Build a large card holder from the **blocks**. To do this, place a block on the workstation and glue 3 blocks upright on top. Make sure that there is a small gap between the blocks.

Fill the **terracotta pots** with **flower arrangement foam** and insert small **tendrils** and individual leaves from **VBS hanging "leaves"**.

For the lampshade , cut off a piece (template from **felt(template E)** and glue it with **handicraft glue** around an **LED tea light**. Glue a **wooden stick** to the underside and allow the glue to dry. As soon as everything is firm, glue the other end of the wooden stick to the end of the wall so that it looks like a ceiling lamp.

Decorate the room with other matching **miniatures**.

For the child, add the card holder, playing cards, blocks, VBS handicraft glue and the letter from Tomte.




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