

VELVET ART® GLITTERING INSTRUCTIONS

.....read before you start.....

First colour your **VELVET ART®** picture with **VELVET ART®** brush pens. Follow the colours of the copy picture or create your own colour combinations. A wider range of colours can be achieved by using one colour over another, for example use dark green and red to make black, pink and light grey to make lilac, red and brown to make maroon, yellow over brown to make umber.

When all the colouring is complete, it's time to decorate the coloured picture with glitter. Choose wider areas for glittering, narrow areas are unsuitable. Usually it looks best to apply glitter to the **main feature of the foreground** of your picture.

The colour glitter should match the colour of an area:

Use red glitter on red areas, blue on blue, green on green and so forth.

Orange glitter matches orange and light brown areas.

Silver glitter matches grey or white areas.

Turquoise glitter matches light blue or dark green areas.

Transparent (pearl) glitter can be applied onto any colour, including white areas.

- 1) The glitter might be awkward to gather up if you drop some on the carpet; preferably use glitter in a place where you can sweep up afterwards.
- 2) Crease this instruction leaflet along the middle both ways. Uncap the glue nozzle.
Tip: Practice the glue application on a scrap paper before using it on your picture.
- 3) Choose only wide areas where you can apply the glue comfortably **without touching the black velvet**. Staying approx 5mm within, follow the outline of an area and then fill in the middle. Apply the glue thickly and don't use a brush, as a thin coat of glue will not hold the glitter sufficiently. Very large areas should be covered in stages.
Tip: If you unintentionally apply glue onto the velvet outlines, just leave it to dry. The glue will dry up clear.
- 4) Pour some **glitter of the matching colour** onto the glued area. Whilst **holding it flat** in one hand, tap the picture gently from underneath, causing the unstuck glitter to bounce across the glue area. Shake off any excess glitter onto this (pre-creased) instruction leaflet. Repeat process.
Tip: Always return picture quickly to horizontal position and keep it flat until the glue has dried completely.
- 5) When you have finished with the first colour glitter, funnel any spare glitter back into its sachet.
- 6) **Ensure that the glue has dried** under the previous glitter before repeating the process with the next colour glitter.

Please also take a look at the illustrated instruction on the web site.

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