

Nature Ice Wreath

Here's what you'll need to get started!

- Leaves, berries, pinecones, twigs, and other fun object you can find outside during winter!
- Tupperware or dish to freeze your sculpture in
 - The opening should be straight, not tapered, or you won't be able to get the sculpture out!
- String or twine
- Scissors

Step 1

Collect natural winter objects from outside like leaves, pinecones, or berries

- *Don't take all the leaves or berries from one plant. Leave some for wildlife!*
- *Try searching along the trails at Pickering Creek!*

Step 2

Arrange your objects in the container, and fill it with water. Cut a short piece of twine, tie it into a loop, and lay it over the side of the container so one end of the loop is in the water.



Step 3

Place your sculpture in the freezer overnight, or outside if it will be below 32 degrees!



Step 4

When your sculpture is frozen solid, remove it from the container and hang it up outside. Watch how it changes as it slowly melts and reveals different layers!

- *If it's difficult to remove your sculpture, try squeezing or tapping each side of the container or running the bottom under warm water*
- *Try adding bird seed to your sculpture to feed wildlife!*