

Decorate Picture Frames Together

Gather the family for a fun and creative project by **Decorating Picture Frames Together!** Whether you want to frame a special family photo or create a personalized gift, this craft is the perfect way to express your individual styles while working as a team. With endless decorating options like paint, stickers, and embellishments, you'll each create a unique frame that showcases your family's creativity and memories!



Materials List:

- **Plain wooden or plastic picture frames** (One for each family member to decorate)
- **Acrylic paint and brushes** (For colorful, personalized designs)
- **Stickers and washi tape** (For fun and easy decorations)
- **Craft glue or hot glue (with adult supervision)** (To attach embellishments)
- **Buttons, beads, and rhinestones** (For adding sparkle and texture)
- **Markers or paint pens** (For writing names or special messages)
- **Decorative paper or fabric scraps (optional)** (To create unique backgrounds)
- **Photos or drawings** (To place in the finished frames)

Instructions: Let's Get Crafting!

1. **Pick Your Frame:** Start with a plain wooden or plastic picture frame. You can choose any size or shape—whatever fits the photo or art you want to display!
2. **Paint Your Frame:** Use acrylic paints to give your frame a fresh look. You can paint solid colors, stripes, or polka dots, or even mix colors for a cool, marbled effect. Let each family member design their frame however they like!
3. **Add Fun Decorations:** Once the paint is dry, it's time to decorate! Use stickers, buttons, rhinestones, or beads to add texture and sparkle to your frame. You can create patterns, spell out names, or go wild with a fun, abstract design.
4. **Personalize with Messages:** Use markers or paint pens to write special messages, names, or quotes around the edges of the frame. You can add a date, family motto, or anything that makes the frame extra meaningful.
5. **Attach Embellishments:** If you're feeling extra crafty, glue on some fun embellishments like fabric flowers, seashells, or small charms. You can even add a favorite piece of decorative paper or fabric to the background before placing the photo inside.
6. **Insert Your Photo:** Once your frame is decorated and dry, pick a favorite family photo or drawing to put inside. Whether it's a picture of a special day or a candid family moment, it will look amazing in your custom frame!
7. **Display and Enjoy:** Now that your frames are finished, display them proudly around your home or give them as thoughtful gifts. These frames will hold not only photos but also the happy memories of decorating them together!

Craft Bonus: Add Some Flair!

Want to make your picture frames even more unique? Try creating themed frames! You can make holiday-themed frames with glitter and snowflakes, beach-themed frames with sand and seashells, or even frames for special events like birthdays. Another idea is to create a matching set of frames where each person's design complements the others, making a gallery wall full of love!