



How to Make Encouragement Cards

Giving people cards is a nice way to show people you care or to cheer them up when they are sick or sad. It's also a great way to remind people who are having a hard time that God cares. That's the best encouragement there is! A grown-up may need to help you with this idea.

1. Fold your piece of paper or card in half. You can pick any size of paper and fold it in half in any direction you like. Cards come in all shapes and sizes! Just make sure you have enough room to write something inside.
2. Decorate the front of the card. Here are some ideas:
 - ★ Draw something cheerful, like flowers or balloons.
 - ★ Draw something you know the person you want to encourage likes.
 - ★ Make a pretty pattern, like Abigail's tree-bark pattern.
 - ★ Print a picture to glue on the card.
3. Write something encouraging inside the card. Here are some ideas:
 - ★ Copy out a Bible verse about how God cares.
 - ★ Write a message to say that you love them, care for them, or are sorry they are having a hard time.
 - ★ Tell them that you are praying for them.
4. Don't forget to sign your name at the bottom of your message!
5. Deliver the card or send it in the mail.

