

# SPOOKY WITCH'S CAT



A spine-tingling  
Halloween  
decoration!

## You will need:

- Cardboard toilet tube
- Paints
- Pipecleaner (fluffy ones work best)
- Battery operated tea light
- Small piece of yellow tissue paper

## Other things you'll need:

- Glue and scissors
- Black felt-tip
- Small quantity of scrap paper or tissue paper
- Sticky tape

## How to make it:

- 1 Begin by cutting out the cat's eyes: Draw almond shapes about two thirds of the way up the toilet tube, as shown in the photo. Carefully cut out the eye shapes with scissors.
- 2 Paint the outside of the toilet tube with black paint and set aside to dry.
- 3 When the paint is dry, paint on the cat's features such as a pink nose and white whiskers. Again, allow the paint to dry before continuing.
- 4 Poke a hole in the back of the toilet tube and thread in a pipecleaner to make the cat's tail. Secure the end of the pipecleaner with sticky tape, inside the toilet tube.
- 5 Now scrunch up a small quantity of scrap paper or tissue paper. Push this up inside the toilet tube from the bottom. This will form a base for the tea light to sit on. The glowing eyes effect works best if the tea light sits just level with the cat's eyes. Secure the paper with sticky tape if needed.
- 6 Take a piece of yellow tissue paper that's big enough to cover both the eyes. Glue it firmly in place on the inside of the toilet tube, behind the eye holes. Ensure there are no bits sticking out that could catch on the tea light when it's inserted. Allow the glue to dry.
- 7 Use a black felt-tip pen to draw the cat's pupils.
- 8 Use your thumbs to push the top of the toilet tube down to make the cat's ears.
- 9 To finish your witch's cat, open up the top of the toilet tube again and insert a lit tea light. Fold down the top of the tube again and place the cat on a shelf or window ledge for a spooky addition to your Halloween decorations.