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**Art Projects for the entire family,  
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# ANNE'S TREASURES



## FOIL REPOUSSÉ

Create a foil repousse image using materials from home.

### MATERIALS:

Cardboard Square

Aluminum Foil

Paper Towel

Scissors

Pencil

Glue Stick

Thin Cardboard, or Thick Paper

Black Paint

### PROCEDURE:

1

The cardboard square will be the base of the project. Cut it out from a cardboard box or any hard material.

*Repoussé*- a metalwork technique, in which a relief image is hammered on the reverse side. It comes from the French word *pousser*, meaning "to push forward."

2

Cut out shapes and letters using any thick paper or thin cardboard you have. For example, any toothbrush boxes or unused greeting cards. It is best to have at least two layers of thinner materials. Use yarn, or any small objects to create more designs and shapes.



3

Glue the pieces to the cardboard.





4

Add glue to the entire cardboard and cover with the aluminum foil. Begin in the middle and gently press down on the foil to reveal the image below.



5

Glue any excess foil to the back of the cardboard.



6

Pour a few drops of black paint on the foil and use a paper towel to gently rub the paint over the entire surface.



7

Optional: Color the surface with markers or paint.



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