

*With a world of ready-to-decorate paper-maché products and a store full of fantastic embellishments, turn your passion for crafting into unique gifts and home décor accessories.*



at play with paper maché

{ CREATIVE INSPIRATIONS *free* FROM HOBBY LOBBY® }



### candy-coated Christmas

Oh-so-cute, but anything but cookie cutter, with a simple change of scenery, our paper-maché cottage swaps life on the farm for a Candy-Coated Christmas!

### top notch

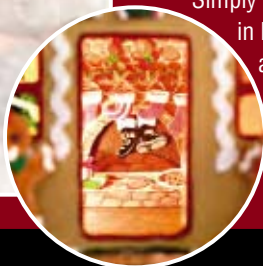
What's up on the rooftop? Patterned paper, faux snow, and iridescent glitter, of course! And don't forget the chimney, small tufts of cotton tucked inside resemble billows of rising smoke.



### making might

Follow our lead and fill your charming Christmas cottage with a warm and cozy glow.

Simply cut a small hole in back of house and insert a single-bulb light cord, available in Craft Dept.



### home sweet home

This faux copper roof was created using metallic paint, and then scored with a craft knife to mimic metal sheeting. Thanks to diluted white acrylic paint, the farmhouse walls retain a whitewashed look, while the weathered window frames are actually hand-stained popsicle sticks. And the charming wooden fence? It's from the Miniature Dept.



## perfect patina

Starting as bare paper-maché, we transformed this petite mailbox to a beautiful weathered finish with just two shades of acrylic paint. Paint entire surface with a rusty brown color, then use cheesecloth to gently rub long streaks of metallic silver over brown and let dry.

## mini mail

This petite mailbox is the perfect place for keepsakes from notes, to nest eggs. Transformed with a painless paint job, it became an instant statement in country-chic décor. Tip: For to-the-letter detail, we added a grouping of house numbers distressed (using stencils and cardstock) with acrylic paint.



**treasure trove...** This trunk trumps off-the-shelf-storage, thanks to its treasure trove of design details. The paper-maché storage trunk received an old world treatment using map-patterned paper (available in the Scrapbooking Dept.) that was artfully wrinkled and crumpled, and then applied to trunk surface using decoupage medium. Brown acrylic paint gently brushed on the ridges of the wrinkles gives instant old world appeal and painting the straps the same color adds charming style.



## modern maché

Out with cute...in with contempo!  
Take our paper-maché products from bare to brilliant to reflect an ultra-modern sense of style. Choose hip prints and trendy colors to compliment your contemporary décor.



## eggy affirmations

You won't find these chic, paper-maché eggs in a henhouse. We decouaged eggs with tissue paper (for texture and interest) before applying acrylic paint and wordy rub-ons available in the Scrapbooking Dept. The rest were decouaged with a coordinating zebra print. Easy...Fun...Fabulous!



## double duty box

This paper maché box becomes a mod candle holder. The box (flower vase) was covered in vibrant red scrapbook paper and accented with a bold zebra-print tissue paper. The trendy candleholder is actually made from the box lid turned upside-down. It's embellished with red scrapbook paper, zebra-print tissue paper, and black velvet ribbon.













