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Materials Provided:

Acrylic Paint
Hydra Decal
Battery Operated Fairy Lights
Sponge Brush

Materials Needed From Home:

Smooth Sided Glass Jar (we encourage recycling a sauce jar or similar)

Hydra Decal Design used with permission from silhouettegarden.com.

Younger children will need adult help with this craft.

Step One- Start with your clean jar (do not paint first). Apply the character decal to the jar by removing the white backing SLOWLY so the decal stays stuck to the clear plastic grid. (If the decal is not sticking to the clear plastic then stick it back on the white backing and rub something with a hard edge like a credit card on it until the black decal stays stuck to the clear plastic grid) Place the decal on the jar where you would like it and press carefully, but firmly so the decal adheres to the glass. Rub something with a hard edge like a piece of cardboard or credit card to make sure the decal sticks to the glass. Carefully pull back the clear plastic, make sure all the parts of the decal remain stuck to the glass, if it pulls up, push down on the clear plastic until the decal sticks.

Step Two- Use the sponge brush to sponge paint the outside of the jar. Be careful not to paint over the decal. **Let dry.**

Step Three- Turn on fairy lights (remove plastic tab at bottom before use) and put them in the jar. Screw on the lid. **DONE!**

Watch the YouTube tutorial for this craft for visual instructions.

The video can be found by visiting searching Attleboro Public Library on YouTube--watch the Harry Potter themed Jar video from Summer 2020, the instructions are the same.



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