

# Custom DIY Party Bags

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## WHAT MAKES IT MEANINGFUL

Have an event coming up and want some special personalized gifts bags to hand out.

Why not create some DIY handmade loot bags that's specific to your event/ theme so your guests will have a personalized gift to take home.

A fun activity for all ages that allows individuals to feel involved in the preparation of events and take pride in making personalized gifts.

## TIME

Materials/ bag fillers must be purchased in advance.

Putting together and customising your party bags can take about 30 minutes + hours depending on how many you want to make.

## MATERIALS

You will need:

Clear loot bags with ties: (for 100 bags) approx \$12.99 Amazon

Stickers/ Labels: Handmade with love sticky labels: (for 60 labels) \$2.00 Dollarama

Tags (different themes): approx 6.99 Amazon

Bag fillers: (Can be purchased at any grocery store/ Dollarama/ amazon and are optional and changeable)

- Sweets: (for big bag) \$2.00 Dollarama
- Chocolates: (for big bag) \$2.00 Dollarama
- Lollipops: (for big bag) \$2.00 Dollarama
- Marshmallows: (for big bag) \$2.00 Dollarama
- Hot chocolates: (for 40 Individual sachets) - \$14.99 Amazon



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## INSTRUCTIONS

### Step one:

Stick labels/ stickers on to clear bags in desired design.

### Step two:

Open bags and divide sweets/ chocolates/ hot chocolates and quotes (or preferred choice of fillers) and place in individual bags.

### Step three:

Close the bags at the top using the labels and ties. Handwrite messages or guests' names onto labels if desired.

## SUPPORTS NEEDED

This activity will require supports depending on each individual's capability.

Assistance – verbal and prompting may be required with opening bags, sticking on labels and tags.

Can be done as an individual or group activity.

## OTHER THINGS TO NOTE:

Examples of different types of loot bags –

- Valentine's day bags
- Christmas bags
- Baked goods i.e donuts/ cupcakes
- Birthday bags
- Movie night bags i.e popcorn/ chocolates
- Easter bags
- Canada Day
- Thanksgiving bags etc.

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