

# How To Create Card Weaving Easter Egg Baskets



## Get Started What You'll Need



**CR230...**  
Round Weaving  
Cards Pack



**CR012**  
Pom Poms Pack of 100



**SE192**  
Plastic Weaving Needle



**YW018A...**  
Synthetic Raffia



**PD367B**  
X4 Standard Acryl Tubes  
20ml Set of 12



**CR113A**  
Polystyrene Eggs  
40mm Diameter

**BR930A...**  
Student Flat Synthetic  
Short Handled Brushes



**AD207...**  
Strong PVA Glue

# Step by Step

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1 For this project, you will need round weaving cards, raffia reels, X4 Standard Acryl, paint brushes, palette and decorating accessories such as pom poms and polystyrene eggs.



2 Start by painting your weaving cards using bright colours. Add more than one layer to build up colour. TIP: Remember to paint the back of your cards, as this will be seen too!



3 Once the paint is dry, cut a length of yarn (approx. 60cm) and begin to guide the yarn through the weaving card in an under-over pattern in a clockwise direction, leaving a tail of about 10cm on the outside of the basket. Every few rows, use your fingers to push the yarn towards the centre of the card so that it looks nice and uniform.



4 When you come to the end of your yarn, leave a tail of at least 10cm hanging on the outside of the basket, and start weaving with a new length of yarn, following the exact directions as before. Use a selection of colours to add bright stripes to your basket. Continue weaving until you reach the edge of the basket.



5 Next, neaten the yarn ends sticking out of your basket. Using a tapestry needle to tuck these away inside the weaving: thread the end of the yarn through the needle, insert the needle through your weaving, in between the weft threads, and pull the needle through with the yarn, pull it tight, and cut off the end.



6 Round weaving cards have a series of punched holes in the top of the card. These holes can be used to stitch along the top of the card to create a neat, decorative edge. Tuck these ends away using the same method as above.

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Decorate your baskets by adding pom poms, sequins and decorated polystyrene eggs. Once dry, your baskets are ready to use and store your Easter eggs and treats!