

## 1 BUNNY BASKETS

Show the Bunny where to deliver the stash this Easter by making these fun rabbit pockets. Cut the top 1/3 off the top of a paper plate in a straight line to create a semi-circle. Then cut bunny ears out of the off-cuts. Paint the semi-circle, two ears and another complete paper plate with two coats of your favourite Resene colour. I've used **Resene Sail**, **Resene Wonderland** and **Resene Princess** as my base colours. Paint two round cheeks onto the semi-circle piece and oval shapes inside both ears using **Resene Pattens Blue** for the blue bunny, **Resene Twilight** for the purple bunny and **Resene Pink Lace** for the pink bunny. Above the cheeks, paint two round circles for eyes using **Resene Bianca** and when dry two small pupils inside the eyes using **Resene Charcoal**. Cut four 25cm lengths of raffia and fix them like whiskers to the middle of the cheeks using a glue gun. Fix a small pom pom to the centre of the raffia with a glue gun to form the nose. Glue the outer edge of the semi-circle to the complete paper plate and the ears to the top using a glue gun. Fill the pockets with Easter treats and present at the breakfast table.



### WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Resene testpots
- Paper plates • Pencil
- Scissors • Glue gun
- Raffia • Pom poms
- Paintbrush

# Painting three ways

## EASTER EXCITEMENT

Have some frivolous fun this Easter with these charming ideas from Emily Somerville-Ryan



### WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Resene testpots
- Wooden pegs
- Pencil • Paintbrush
- Card • Glue gun
- Scissors

## 2 EGG PEGS

Draw 8cm and 2cm egg shapes onto card and cut out. Draw a zig-zag across the lower third of the 8cm eggs and cut out. Paint wooden pegs and 8cm eggs in **Resene Sail**, **Resene Wonderland** and **Resene Princess** and the 2cm eggs with **Resene Energy Yellow**. On the 2cm eggs, paint two eyes with **Resene Charcoal** and a beak with **Resene Adrenalin**. Glue the 2cm egg to the bottom part of the 8cm egg and then to the bottom of a peg and the top part of the 8cm egg to the top of the peg. Present to the kids on Easter morning and have a peek-a-boo puppet show.



### WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Resene testpots
- Picnic spoons • Pencil
- Pipe cleaners
- Paintbrush • Card
- Glue gun • Scissors
- Ribbon

## 3 CUTLERY CRITTERS

With a fine paintbrush, paint bunny faces onto picnic spoons using **Resene Charcoal** and **Resene Pink Lace**. Draw clothing onto card and paint with **Resene Sail**, **Resene Princess**, **Resene Pink Lace** and **Resene Bianca**. Cut out. Make a small fan out of paper and paint with **Resene Wonderland** and **Resene Twilight**. Tie ribbon at the middle to make a bow tie. Cut pipe cleaners for ears and glue with clothes to the spoon. Dot them around your garden for the Easter egg hunt.

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