

INSPIRATION

Cheerful Easter Decoration



Eggs-ellent Easter decorations made possible with edding matt paint markers

From colourless foods to an original Easter egg: you can use blown eggs to create a fantastic Easter basket – all you need are edding matt markers and your creative talent. For Easter Sunday, painted eggs look equally good on the table or hanging on a branch in the garden and because the **edding matt paint markers** are waterproof, they are wonderfully suited for Easter decoration in spring. The eggs look especially good in a self-made basket made of paper mache, which you can decorate with Easter motifs – such as Easter bunnies - using a matt marker.

You'll need the following to make your Easter egg decorations:

For the Easter eggs:

- 2-3 eggs, cleaned and blown
- **edding 4000 matt paint marker** (nib size: 2-4 mm) and **edding 4040 matt paint marker** (nib size: 1-2 mm) in colour 008 (violet) or other colours of your choice – twelve colours are available

For the paper mache basket:

- Balloons
- White silk paper
- Wallpaper glue
- A bowl to mix the glue
- Dowel for stirring

Step by step instructions: This is how to design your Easter decoration with edding matt markers:

- Blow the eggs prior to decorating. Poke a small hole on two sides of the egg and carefully enlarge using a needle. Then blow heavily to remove the liquid inside. Subsequently rinse out the egg with fresh water.
- Now comes the fun part – decoration: Use a **matt paint marker** in the colours of your choice to paint or write on the Easter eggs – your imagination is the limit. It's especially enjoyable to design these with children.

Tip: the full-cover colours of the markers are also lovely on brown Easter eggs, for example in white.



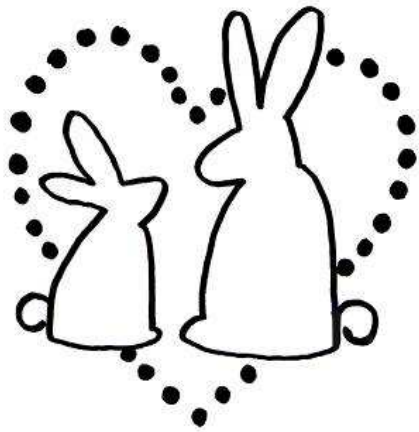
Paper mache basket:

- Blow up the balloon to the desired size. Cover half the balloon with wallpaper glue and silk paper to create the basket. Repeat this step multiple times until the layer is thick enough to be sturdy.
- Then allow the balloon to dry. Once the paper layers are dry, pop the balloon and then remove from the basket.
- Your creativity is needed for the decoration motif. Paint your basket with vines, ornaments or Easter greetings with an **edding matt paint marker**.

The full coverage ink of the markers is well suited to all raw surfaces, such as terracotta and wood, and gives these materials a great, gloss-matt effect.

To activate the edding matt paint markers correctly:

1. Make sure the cap is secure then shake the marker well.
2. Place the writing nib of the marker on a test surface and pump by gently pressing on the top a few times until the ink runs into the nib.
3. Write a few lines on the test surface.
4. Always remember to put the cap back on after use.



Happy
Easter

