

# **Curled Paper Pumpkin**

By Amanda Formaro, Crafts by Amanda

## **Supplies:**

- 1 sheet orange construction paper
- Scrap strips of brown and green construction paper
- White craft glue
- Pencil
- String
- Scissors

## **Instructions:**

1. Cut orange construction paper into half-inch strips.
2. Wrap strips around a pencil. Remove from the pencil and glue the end of the strip to close the circle. Repeat for as many circles as you need to create your pumpkin, I made 22.
3. Lay the circles on your work surface and arrange them into the shape of a pumpkin.
4. Glue the circles together.
5. Cut three green strips about three to four inches long. Curl the end of each strip around a small paint brush or simply roll it up to get a tighter curl. Glue the straight end into the top of your pumpkin to create the green leaves.
6. Cut a brown strip of paper about two inches long. Fold in half and insert into the top of the pumpkin to create a stem and secure with glue.
7. Once everything has dried, you can tie a piece of string through the pumpkin stem and hang from a suction cup hook.

## **Helpful Tip:**

Buy a large package of construction paper for plenty of fun projects. For smaller circles, wrap paper around a small paint brush handle. White craft glue is perfect for this project, however white school glue will work as well.

*Printed from Fun Family Crafts <http://funfamilycrafts.com> - For personal and educational use only. Copyright, Amanda Formaro, Crafts by Amanda.*