



Your own candle  
in the glass

Use candle scraps and  
create a new candle in  
the glass

## Material list - what do I need?

- candle remains
- wooden stick from an ice cream
- an old pot
- an empty, clean tin can
- a pincer
- a small sheet of metal (or something else made of metal that leaves the wooden wick standing vertically in the glass)
- an old wooden board as base to put hot can on it
- for all cases: plasters

**Warning - to all children - Warning**  
**Please only work together with your parents. Risk**  
**of injury! Possibly trouble with parents because**  
**of kitchen use!**



Place the wooden stick in cooking oil overnight.



Break the wooden stick to the desired length. You can easily break small pieces with pliers.



Slightly split the wooden stick on one side.

Careful, please.

You see, I cut myself.

I wasn't careful!



Insert a small sheet of metal into the gap.

The wooden stick must be vertical.

You don't have a metal strip?

Find something else made of metal, maybe a paper clip, a bottle cap made of metal ...



Fill an old pot with water. Put the candle wax in your can.

Put something heavy on the can (it doesn't have to be a bottle - a plate, a stone ... works too. It only doesn't be sensitive to water vapor. So: no book!

The can can't tip over.  
Heat the water on the stove to the boil.

Now you have to wait.  
The candle wax slowly melt.  
The candle wax become liquid.



Use pliers and carefully take the jar of liquid wax out of the pot.

Warning: the water, the can and the liquid wax are very hot.

Pour the liquid wax into your glass.



Now hold the wooden stick vertically with the pliers. Place something under the pliers so that it doesn't tip over.

(Does not have to be a bottle, the correct height is important.) The pliers must lie horizontally on the edges of the glass. The candle wax is slowly becoming solid.

Be patient. It needs time ...



Kitchen workshop...

Workshop instead of cooking...

Today there are only cold meals.

Have fun trying it with your parents.

Write me how everything worked.

Maybe you will send me a photo of your candle creation.

You can use the contact form at my website:

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I would be very happy.