

Ball Ornament



1. Make a ball of newspaper and wrap it with masking tape so it keeps its shape. (Size is up to you; we made one about the size of a baseball.)
2. Cut out fish scale shapes from paper. Layer pages to cut out more scales at a time. (Tip: Don't avoid variations in text and blank paper; they will help to give the ball a layered look.)



3. Using the glue gun, attach scales overlapping each other in a circular/spiral pattern. Start with a very small, crowded circle (just a few scales) at the base and allow the circles to grow as the ball widens.



4. When you reach the "top" of the ball, make a loop with the yarn. Use the glue gun to secure the ends of the loop under the last few scales.

