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### Scent Sack Enrichment instructions

Scent Sacks are a popular part of our Enrichment Program at The Wildcat Sanctuary. They are easy (and fun!) to make a home or with a group of friends. For the safety and health of our wild cat residents, please follow these instructions closely and use only approved products and scents.

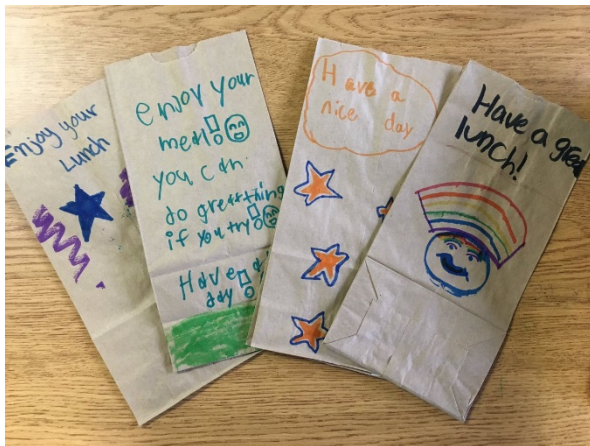
#### Materials needed:

- Brown paper lunch sacks
- Natural crinkle cut paper
- Masking tape (NO plastic tape allowed)
- Approved scents (see list below)
- Non-toxic markers or crayons
- Construction paper



#### Step 1:

Decorate one brown paper lunch sack with non-toxic markers or crayons. Draw fun pictures or write happy words on the bag. You can also use construction paper and masking tape to cut and tape shapes on the paper lunch sack. Be creative!



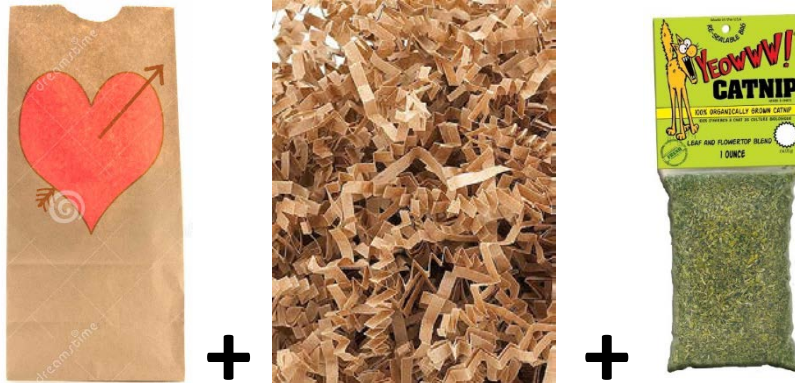


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### Step 2:

Open the decorated paper lunch sack and put a small handful of natural crinkle cut paper and a tiny pinch of approved scent. Remember that cats have *very* sensitive noses so “less is more” when it comes to adding scents to your Scent Sack.



### Step 3:

Fold the top of the Scent Sack over and seal it with a short piece of masking tape. It's very important to avoid plastic tape of any kind. As long as the label says “masking” tape, it will be safe for the cats. Masking tape comes in fun colors and patterns – feel free to use those!



That's it! Your Scent Sack is ready to be enjoyed by one of our rescued Bengal or hybrid cats who live in Hybrid Haven at The Wildcat Sanctuary. Thank you so much for contributing to your Enrichment Program. You can learn more about the other things we do for our cats here: <http://www.wildcatsanctuary.org/tws-animal-enrichment-program/>

**Thank you!**





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### Approved scents

You are welcome to use any of these approved scents in your Scent Sacks. We're also happy to accept donations of these supplies and scents.

#### Spices and Herbs

- Curry powder
- Basil
- Mustard Powder – no seed or plant
- Thyme
- Cilantro
- Rosemary
- Cinnamon Powder – no oil
- Coriander
- Tomato paste – no leaf or stem
- Ginger
- Cat nip



#### Essential Oils

- Frankincense
- Feliway
- Rescue Remedy
- Violet
- Rose
- Jasmine
- Elemi
- Valerian
- Freesia
- Lilac
- Linden Blossom
- Perfumes (all)

