Paws for Books Scratching Post Instructions



Supplies*:

- Insulation board
- Large cardboard tube
- Rope
- Hot glue gun
- Hot glue sticks
- Fleece
- Utility knife
- Scissors

Directions:

- 1. Draw a 12" circle on the insulation board and cut out. Place the large cardboard tube in the center of the insulation board circle and trace around it. Cut out the smaller circle. (For safety purposes, we recommend wearing leather gloves when using the utility knife. Never leave the utility knife where children can pick it up.)
- 2. Insert the small insulation board circle (cut out in step 1) into one end of the large cardboard cylinder to plug up the end. Hot glue in place.
- 3. Lay the 12" round base flat on the floor. Insert the other end of the large cardboard tube into the hole in the middle. Hot glue the tube in place. The post should stand on its own.
- 4. Cover the base and the top of the post with fleece. Hot glue in place.
- 5. Starting from the bottom of the post, wrap rope around the cardboard tube, hot gluing it in place until you reach the top. Cut off excess rope.

^{*}Remember, these are only suggestions.

This project should be fun and creative, so use supplies you have on hand for substitutions.

