

# YOU'REAGOOD EGG



# Egg-cellent Egg Dying Ideas

## Check, Check

Create a check pattern by applying vertical and horizontal lines with washi tape. To create a two-tone effect, dip once in the dye for five minutes for a darker color. Remove tape and repeat for about 3 minutes to create a second lighter shade.

### Go Natural

Use natural ingredients like beets, purple cabbage, turmeric, onion skin, coffee grounds, and blueberries to create beautiful hues. Simmer natural ingredients in a cup of water with a dash of vinegar. Leave to soak in the refrigerator overnight for the deepest color.

### Rice is Nice

Dye hard-boiled eggs in a spectacular speckled pattern by dropping food coloring onto plain rice. Give it a gentle shake to create this unique dotted color explosion.

## Watercolors Wonderful

Let your inner artist loose on a canvas of white eggs. Use inexpensive watercolor paint to dab, draw, cover, and create your masterpiece.

## Knot a Bad Idea

Make organic shapes and stripes using twine. Wrap the hard-boiled egg in baker's twine and dye. Allow time to dry and remove string to see the white lines and string marks.

## Tattoo Your Eggs

Apply temporary tattoos to your dried, colored eggs. There are so many patterns and designs to choose from!

# The Egg Roll

You will definitely be cracking up over this game!

What you need: A hard-boiled egg for each player or team (plus a couple extra if one cracks!), and a large open place to roll the eggs across (either indoors or outside).



How to play: Create a starting line and a finish line. Each player gets a hard-boiled egg. On their hands and knees, they must roll the egg with their nose and ONLY their nose. No hands! Depending on the number of players, you can either race as individuals or as a relay team. Get cracking!



# HIPPITY HOPPIT

# Beyond the Candy!





Update your Easter egg hunt with a new twist for your traditional plastic eggs.

### Rewards

On slips of paper, create special reward coupons to be redeemedlike, stay up 15 minutes later, skip a chore for a day, or get an extra bedtime story.

## Tricks for Treats

Include a task or trick to complete to receive a candy treat-complete a handstand, sing an Itsy-Bitsy Spider, recite the alphabet backward, name five state capitals, dance like your dad, act like your mom, tell a joke, hop like a bunny. If there is a large age difference, egg hunters can be assigned to a specific color, so their task is age appropriate.

### Reverse Roles









Have your kiddos write rewards they want (within reason) and place them in each egg. Let the kids hide the eggs for the parents to find in a given amount of time. The kids get to keep and redeem any unfound eggs!

#### Treasure Hunt





Each egg can direct them with clues to the next hidden egg. At the end of the hunt, they will find their Easter basket of treasure!

## Egg Relay Race

One kiddo goes to find a hidden egg. Once one egg is found, they run back to the next person who hunts for an egg. They win when their team has found all of the eggs. (Remember to count the number hidden!)

#### Glow in the Dark

Add a glow stick or a battery-operated tea light inside your plastic egg and hide at night! You may need to fold your glow stick to fit in the egg with candy. Use a little tape to secure closed if needed.

## Easter Treat Tag

Create a treat t-shirt for an older teen or parent to wear. Hot glue or use strong tape to adhere a mix of plastic eggs filled with candy, candy bars, snack bags, or small toys directly to the t-shirt. In an open area, the kids can snatch off a prize from the shirt to keep, if they can catch the person! Make sure to attach treats low around the hem for little kiddos to reach and make sure they get an opportunity too.





## **Unexpected Easter** Baskets!

Baseball hat filled with candy for the sports fan.

Makeup bag filled with nail polish and flip-flops for a pedi.





Mixing bowl with measuring spoons and cupcake liners for the chef.

Small personal cooler filled with sports drinks and chocolates for the athlete.



Color-themed basket filled with treats and snacks, all in their favorite hue.



Rubber boots filled with fake grass, trail mix, and granola bars for the explorer.

Travel coffee cup filled with chocolate-covered espresso beans and a coffee card.



# LICK THE SPOON

Graham Cracker



Peep S'mores

An Easter-style twist to your favorite camping treat!

**INGREDIENTS** 

Hershey's chocolate bars Graham crackers Peeps



Place a graham cracker square topped with a chocolate square and peep. Microwave until soft or place under a boiler. Top with another graham cracker square and smoosh!

Chocolate -

# Rice Krispies Eggs

An easy, family favorite in Easter colors!

#### INGREDIENTS

3 Tbsp. Butter
4 Cups Miniature marshmallows
6 Cups Rice Krispies cereal
Food coloring
Non-stick cooking spray



#### **DIRECTIONS**

In a microwave-safe bowl, heat butter and marshmallows on high for 3 minutes, stirring after 2 minutes until smooth. Split the mixture into two bowls and mix with food coloring. Add half of the cereal to each bowl and stir until well coated. Using a buttered spatula, press mixture into clean plastic eggs coated with cooking spray to shape. Let cool before removing.

# Word Search!

Did some bunny say chocolate? Look forward, backward, and at an angle!

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Peeps	Tulips	Chocolate	Chicks
Carrots	Daisy	Bunny	Нор
Bonnet	Eggs	Ears	Hunt
Jellybean	Basket	Duckling	Celebration

# Word Scramble

Can you unscramble these words?

If you can, you are in for a sweet surprise!

acolcteoh nlylejaeb

wrhlmalamos leramac

dyanc oolplpil eppe

# HELLO PEEPS

# Color me happy!

Paint or color this card for some bunny special.

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# Easter Décor as Close as Your Backyard

Gather branches from your garden and place into a tall vase. Decorate with eggs cut from construction paper and hang from ribbon. The littles can decorate with stickers, markers, or stamps. For a splash of color, spray paint your branches in pink or bright yellow.



Gather fallen leaves, sticks, stones, shells, moss, etc. for your kiddo to create each letter of their name using the natural objects.

Nature Walk.

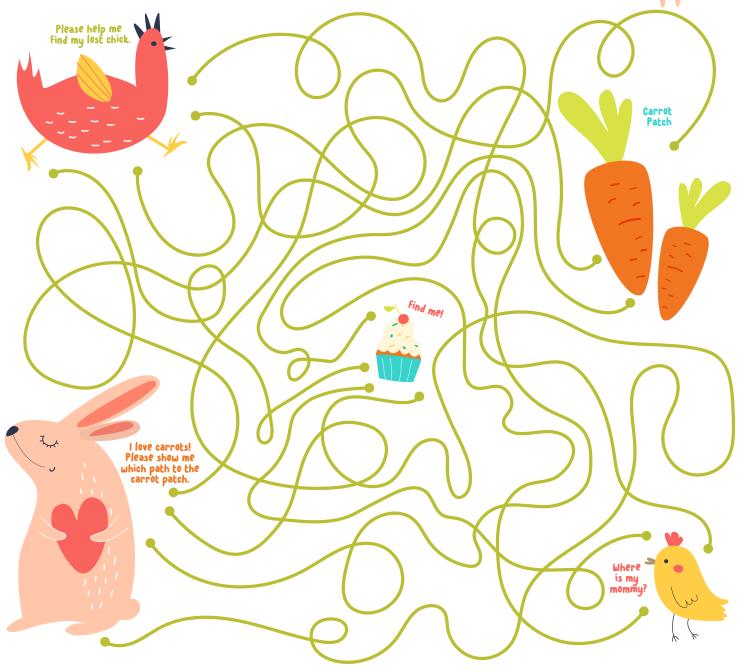






# JELLYBEAN DREAMS





Count down the days to Easter with this Lego challenge! How many can you build?

