



## Purple Pumpkin Project Painting Tips

Base Coats - Let base coat dry before adding any other decorations.

- For Fresh Pumpkins
  - Use a base coat of spray paint – this seals the pumpkins and they last longer.
  - Once dry, use acrylic craft paint, paint pens or other decorations to personalize.
- For Craft Pumpkins
  - Acrylic craft paints work well as a base coat
  - Once dry, use acrylic craft paint, paint pens or other decorations to personalize

Decorations – Add any decorations you can think of to personalize your pumpkin. To attach your decorations use quick-dry craft glue for flat items or double-sided sticky craft dots for other items such as pom-poms or wiggle eyes. Suggestions for decoration include the following items:

Wiggle eyes

Sequins

Paper Basket

Pom-poms

Tulle

Filler

Pipe Cleaners

Fabric

Yarn

Feathers

Scrapbook paper

Glitter

Felt