

# METAL Ideas



CREATIVE IDEAS THAT SET  
THE GOLD STANDARD FOR  
*Metal Projects!*



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**Tip:** Use two layers of foam for extra dimension.



## METAL GARDEN SIGN

An arched metal sign & rectangle wall planter form the backdrop of this cheery garden display, while the letters & designs come courtesy of an unexpected material: a self-adhesive foam sheet.

## METAL GARDEN PICKS

Some *sage* advice: Whether you're using these plant markers indoors or out, use an epoxy adhesive to secure custom wood-burned squares to metal picks—it's the most durable over *thyme*!

## DECOUPAGE & RUSTED METAL CONTAINERS

These containers get their cottagecore designs from acrylic paint and decoupage paper. And a collection of other media—like color wash tint, coarse texture medium, modeling paste & wax metallic finish—help accentuate the aged aesthetic.



**On the Cover:**

*Vinyl two ways!*

**Oval containers:**

*Cut out design and adhere directly to surface.*

**Bucket:** *Cut out design, adhere vinyl stencil directly to surface, cover with paint, then remove.*



## PATINA METAL CANDLE HOLDER

Copy & paste the patina effect from these candle holders (Home Décor) to a metal container by spray painting it black, letting it dry, and applying wax metallic finish.



## PAINTED METAL LUNCH BOX

Enamel paint + spray lacquer = a trusty combo that'll withstand lunches for years! And if designs do chip away on this metal box, enamel paint dries fast, making for quick touch-ups.

## PAINTED METAL TIN

The best way to get acrylic paint to adhere to metal? Rough up the smooth exterior with sandpaper first. This will create a porous surface for the paint to easily grip onto.





## METAL PIECES

Be on the lookout for these ready-to-embellish pieces! And don't be afraid to mix and match techniques when trying out these crafts. We've provided SKU numbers to help you find these products in store and online.

Look for them on the packaging, or search them on the website.

- A** Galvanized Metal Rectangle Wall Planter #2196962
- B** Shiny Galvanized Pot #2369676
- C** Metal Box with Handle #2541613
- D** Silver Heart Tin #2541456
- E** Galvanized Metal Vase #662403
- F** Arched Metal Décor #2369635
- G** Oval Metal Bucket #1607712
- H** Silver Metal Pencil Case #2541514

- I** Shiny Galvanized Metal Milk Can #2369668
- J** Galvanized Metal Ridged Round Container #1608710
- K** Galvanized Metal Bucket - Extra Large #972216
- L** Galvanized Metal Ridged Oval Container #2019669
- M** Galvanized Metal Container #665810
- N** Galvanized Metal Flower Pot #661082