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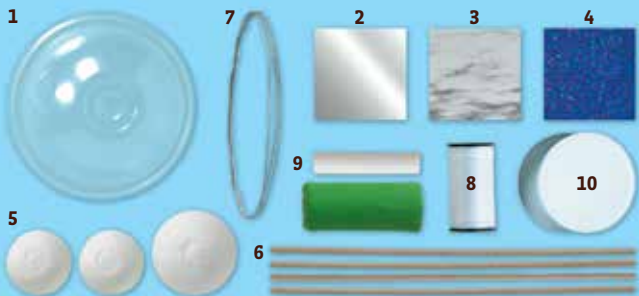
# Do-it-YoURSeLF UFOs



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| 1 | Dome                         | 6  | Wooden dowels (4)    |
| 2 | Silver-colored cardboard (2) | 7  | Wire (90 cm)         |
| 3 | Silver foil                  | 8  | Thread               |
| 4 | Blue hologram foil           | 9  | Green and white clay |
| 5 | Dense cotton balls (3)       | 10 | Round box            |

**YOU WILL ALSO NEED:** Pencil, scissors, wire cutter or combination pliers, garden shears, hobby glue, ruler, compass or round object, hobby paint, paintbrush, pin, round cheese box (like the box that brie or camembert cheese sometimes comes in)

## Dear UFO Fan!

Have you noticed? UFOs are everywhere. Or more precisely — **U**nidentified **F**lying **O**bjects! No wonder, because with this kit, you will be able to construct all kinds of UFOs of your very own — from the basic model with its exploration capsule, to a double-decker, all the way to a mobile with flying saucers. It's up to you!



## PART 2

# THE BaSiCS OF BUILDING A UFO

### Attaching the UFO dome

#### You will need:

UFO dome, round box, hobby paint, paintbrush, pencil, scissors, compass or round object, ruler

#### Here's how:

- 1 Paint the outside of the round box with hobby paint, maybe gray or silver. Ideally, paint the shallow and the deep box pieces separately, so they don't stick together when they dry.
- 2 Set the UFO dome on the tall box piece and draw around its outline with the pencil. That's the red line in the drawing. Then, about 1 cm inside that circle, draw a smaller circle (the blue line in the drawing). You can use a suitably-sized round object or a compass.

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### TIP!

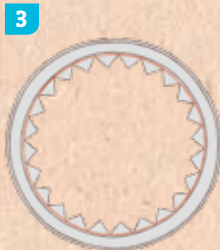
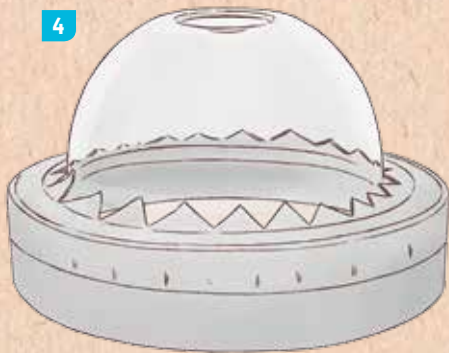
You can also just try decorating your UFO with blue and silver foil. See page 11 for ideas.

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**3** Cut along the inner blue line. Next, cut into the area between the blue and the red lines in a jagged or zigzag manner.

**4** Push the UFO dome through the jagged edge from below. The teeth will get pushed up and hold the dome firmly in place. This way, you can easily remove the dome and use it again in other UFO models.



## TIP!

*On the next page, you will see instructions for making the UFO's legs. Before you start this, think about how many legs you will need in total — for the UFO, for the exploration capsule, and maybe another UFO model. The more legs you need, the shorter they will have to be. Keep in mind that you can always use other wooden skewers or toothpicks.*

