

Meals on Wheels Paper Valentine Fortune Cookies

SUPPLIES:

- colored/patterned paper for the fortune cookie (circles)
- white paper strips for the fortunes
- pencil/scissors
- glue stick
- colorful pens (for writing your messages)

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Start by preparing your fortunes. If you want your fortunes to stick out of the cookies, cut your strips a little longer than the width of your circle. Cut them a bit shorter if you want the fortune hidden inside of the cookie (or fold them). Hand write your message. Use **one** of the examples listed. Write clearly and use a fun colored pen. Write YOUR first name in place of Christi.

Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love. - **1 John 4:8**

Love,
Christi
Northland Christian School

Let all that you do be done in love. - **1 Corinthians 16:14**

Love,
YOUR First Name
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We love because he first loved us. - **1 John 4:19**

Love,
YOUR First Name
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So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love. - **1 Corinthians 13:13**

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2. Use the circle template and print on colored or patterned Valentine paper. (red or pink)

3. Cut out your circles.

4. Dab a bit of glue inside the top center edge of the circle (between arrows as shown). Match the bottom edge up with it, and pinch until the two pieces stick together. (see photo below) **Do not** press a crease along the centre fold.



5. **Insert your paper fortune now** before you fold up your cookie

6. To fold your fortune cookie, continue holding the glued edge with one hand. With the other hand, hold the ends of the fortune cookie with your thumb and middle finger.

7. Press your forefinger into the centre of the cookie.



8. As you press in, use your other hand to guide the back edge into a fold that kind of “hugs” the cookie as it fold. (see above photo)

9. Once folded, if your cookie is a little lopsided, slide your fingers into the cookie, and rub gently to even things out.

10. Dab a bit of glue into the fold and pinch your fortune cookie together until it holds.

6 completed fortune cookies = 1 hour

Due Tuesday, Feb. 6th

