

Trilby Kids Thanksgiving Craft

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The Legend of the Five Kernels of Corn

The first winter the Pilgrims spent in their new home, there wasn't much food to eat. Some days there was only enough for each person to have five kernels of corn. From that time on, each harvest, the Pilgrims put five kernels on each plate to remind them of how far they have come.

The Legend of the Five Kernels

The first kernel reminds us of the autumn beauty all around.
The second kernel reminds us of the love for our family.
The third kernel reminds us to be happy with all we have.
The fourth kernel reminds us of the help from our friends.
The fifth kernel reminds us that we live in a free country.



Craft for the Legend of the Five Kernels of Corn



What You need:

- Paper plates
- tissue paper cut into squares (preferably Thanksgiving colors)
- glue
- crayons or markers

Decorate the border (ridged area) of a paper plate with tissue paper squares. Count out 5 pieces of candy corn to represent the five kernels of corn from the legend and glue them on your plate. Lastly, write something for which you are thankful for by each corn kernel and draw pictures of it.

Start a Tradition too!

Start by placing 5 pieces of candy corn next to each person's place setting at your Thanksgiving table. Then each person can pick up each piece of corn and name something for which they are thankful.

Have a Happy and Blessed Thanksgiving!