

# Turtle



## You will need

- 1 x 6" lime green heart
- 1/2 x 350 yellow
- 1/2 x 350 mocha
- 1 x 160 mocha
- 1 260 or 160 red
- 2 x 260 Lime Green
- optional extra
- 1 x 350 grey



### Head and Bandana:

Inflate a 6" heart.  
Inflate a 160 red  
with a 4" tip.



Make a 4" bubble in  
the red 160 and wrap  
a loop around the  
heart.



Make a 1" bubble



Make a pinch twist  
in the 1" bubble.



Finish the bandana  
with another 4"  
bubble and remove  
the excess balloon.



Shell and body:  
Inflate the mocha  
and yellow 350 to  
6". Tie both of them  
to the lip of the  
heart balloon.



Tie the bottom of the  
shell and body  
together and remove  
the excess.



Inflate a 160 mocha  
balloon leaving a 6"  
tip. Tie it to the lip of  
the heart balloon.



Extend the 160 mocha over the gap between the shell and body balloons and back up to the heart head.



Hand: Lime Green 260 6" tip. Make a 1" bubble and a 3" loop. Wrap the lip in to pinch the 1" bubble.



Arm: Bend the balloon (arm) and make a 3" bubble whilst it is bent.



Make a 1" pinch twist.



Make a 2" bubble. Ease the rest of the balloon between the body and shell.



Squeeze the air up to make the balloon slack under the body and shell.



Make a pinch twist under the head.



Bring the balloon back round to the same side as the first arm.



Ease the balloon between the body and shell again as before,



Again make sure the air is pushed out of the area under the body.



Make a 2" bubble followed by a pinch twist as with the previous arm.



Make a 3" bent bubble. Finish with a 3" loop and 1" pinch twist to make the second hand.



Foot and Leg: Lime Green 260 - 6" tip Make two 1" pinch twists and a 6" loop.



Make a 6" bent bubble. Ease the remaining balloon up between the body and shell. Make a 6" bent bubble.



Finish with another 6" loop and two 1" pinch twists. Remove any excess balloon.



If you want this model to stand you could put it on a CD base.



**This is a nice simple face**



**How about a super simple sword?  
This is made from a scrap grey 350**



**Ready for action !!**



**Here I have drawn some detail onto the shell. All very basic stuff.**



Alternatively you could use a full 350 balloon for a belt and sword. Wrap the uninflated balloon around the body.



Make a hole where the nozzle meets at the front and push the nozzle through. Its like a button. Remove the remaining balloon. Use it to make the sword.

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If you bend the balloon then let it go before making then next twist the air moves back up into the bent balloon and is straightens out a little bit. If you squeeze the air up the balloon as you bend it and also make the twist at the same time the bend is much nicer.

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I often use the cd base for sculptures I want to display.

If you do not know how to do this you can look at the instructions on my website. Check out Free Instructions in the Features panel on the right hand side of the page.

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