

# Eid Card Craft Project

Eid el-Fitur (Feast of the Breaking of the Fast) is the holiday that marks the breaking of the fast for Muslims at the end of Ramadan. The celebration lasts three days during which time families and friends get together to celebrate with good food and give to charity. Muslims often exchange cards with family and friends to celebrate. Use the stamping kit available on loan from the CSAMES library, along with paper and colors to decorate your own Eid card. (See CSAMES Eid Card Craft Project for more information.)



## What You Need:

- ❖ Construction Paper
- ❖ Colored pens, crayons, or paints
- ❖ Any other embellishments

## What To Do:



Step One: Fold the construction paper in half. Since you read in Arabic from right to left, the card should open in the opposite manner than cards in English do. The fold should be on the right-hand side, not on the left.

Step Two: Decorate the cover of the card with the Arabic stamping kit and your coloring tools. Blue, green, gold, and silver are the most popular colors for the cards. Use the images on this page for inspiration.

Step Three: Put a greeting in the interior of the card. Inside the card, write “Eid Sa’id,” which means Happy Festival or “Eid Muburuk / Eid Mubarak,” meaning Blessed Festival.

