

FOIL OWLS

1. **Draw** your picture on paper the size of your final cardboard. Just the big shapes, no details.
 2. **Go over** your simple drawing with Sharpie.
 3. **Turn** your drawing over. On the back, use your pencil on it's side to go over your lines.
 4. **Place** your drawing right side up on cardboard and trace over your lines for a graphite transfer to the cardboard. *(Or, if you want to speed this up, just draw directly on the cardboard.)*
 5. **Go over with Sharpie** if needed to see lines clearly.
 6. **Use** a thick, tacky glue to go over the lines and let dry.
 7. **Use a glue stick** to attach the foil. *(Shiny or dull side showing-you decide.)*
 8. **Wrap the foil** over the front and to the back.
 9. **Press** foil down around dry glue lines. Use a paper towel over your fingers as you rub to avoid tearing the foil.
 10. **Then use a cotton swab** up against the glue outlines once the foil is pressed down, just to be sure the glue outlines show up really well.
 11. Draw patterns in all of the spaces with a dull pencil. *(Use a variety of types of line and scales of patterns.)*
- Once you've filled all of the spaces, rub over the whole thing with black shoe polish, wait a few seconds, and wipe off. (I use the kind that comes in a bottle with a sponge applicator lid.)



OR LEAVES . . .