

Covering the cake board with a foil balloon

When creating a base for a centre piece or delivery, it is great to use the same or matching foil balloon as a base, by using this technique you can create custom made bases for any table decoration

1. Cut around the edge of the foil (just behind the seal) this will give you two pieces of balloon
2. On the back of the cake board place double sided tape (without taking off the backing) all around the edge of board
3. On the top of the cake board place a piece of double sided tape in the area where you are going to place the Oasis or base for a stick (this is so the foil is stuck to the base and there is no movement when anything is glued to that area)
4. Remove the backing from the tape, and place one half of the foil balloon over the cake board, ensuring that the foil is wrinkle free over the sticky area
5. Turn the cake board over, remove the backing off the double side tape
6. Then slowly pull the foil tightly over the edge of the board and stick down
7. Do this as you turn the board slowly, making sure that the edge is good and flat, and no little wrinkles. If you do get a wrinkle, just lift the foil and pull it a bit and then stick it down to the double sided tape
8. When all the foil is neatly pulled onto the back of the cake board, cut any excess foil away, so the board will sit flat

You now have a great base to build your table decoration on. This is a great way to get coordinated bases, or even Mirror bases using a silver foil.

