

# OUTDOOR NOUGHTS & CROSSES



This colourful twist on the classic noughts and crosses game is great fun to make and then play – whatever the weather.

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## You will need

- 1 concrete paver (ours measured approximately 300mm x 300mm)
- Flat stones (x10)
- Paintbrushes
- Resene Concrete Primer
- Resene Quick Dry
- Resene testpots of Resene Cabaret, Resene Curious Blue, Resene Turbo, Resene Japanese Laurel, Resene Havoc, Resene Kitsch

## HOW TO PLAY

Two players take it in turns to place a 'nought' or a 'cross' on the grid, with the first to get three in a row (vertically, horizontally or diagonally) the winner.

## TOP TIP

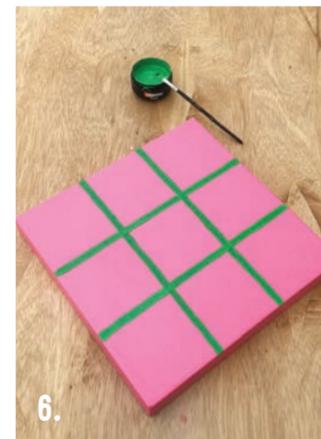
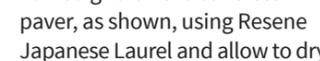
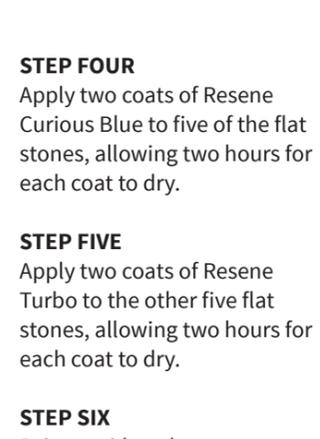
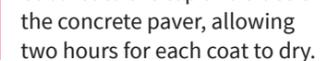
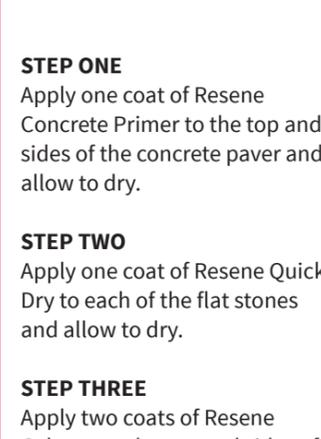
When priming and painting the flat stones, it's best to let one side dry first before turning



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## STEP ONE

Apply one coat of Resene Concrete Primer to the top and sides of the concrete paver and allow to dry.

## STEP TWO

Apply one coat of Resene Quick Dry to each of the flat stones and allow to dry.

## STEP THREE

Apply two coats of Resene Cabaret to the top and sides of the concrete paver, allowing two hours for each coat to dry.

## STEP FOUR

Apply two coats of Resene Curious Blue to five of the flat stones, allowing two hours for each coat to dry.

## STEP FIVE

Apply two coats of Resene Turbo to the other five flat stones, allowing two hours for each coat to dry.

## STEP SIX

Paint a grid on the concrete paver, as shown, using Resene Japanese Laurel and allow to dry.

## STEP SEVEN

Paint 'noughts' on the blue stones using Resene Havoc and allow to dry.

## STEP EIGHT

Paint 'crosses' on the yellow stones using Resene Kitsch and allow to dry.