



Tired of hearing the question, “What do you want to do tonight?” and having no idea? If you’re like us, you probably just default to watching TV, reading, or playing on your computers/phones because you’re tired and can’t think of anything better to do.

It’s tough trying to think of things to do together. Especially things that don’t cost much (or any) money. And, sure, sometimes it’s not so bad going back to the same old thing you do every night. There’s a comfort in being perfectly content just sitting together.

But sometimes monotony gets boring and you want to shake things up a bit.

Or maybe you just want a sweet, DIY gift idea.

No matter your reason, we have the answer!

How to Make a Date Night Jar

- a jam jar with lid (cleaned)
- Coloured Lolly sticks (or sticks + paint)
- glitter pens (optional)
- paint pens
- ribbon or baker’s twine
- scrapbook paper

Method

Step 01:

Come up with some ideas for your jar. We spent some time searching for ideas (I’ll show you our list in a moment.)

Once you find ideas your happy with, write them down on the lolly sticks. (or used regular sticks, paint them, write on the front, and put glitter glue on the back.)

Step 02:

Decorate your jar.

Step 03:

Make a label. (heart shape may be a good idea). Then I write on it ‘Date Night Jar’.

And you’re done! Or be a little more creative, a little bow out of some baker’s twine, or something else.

Date night ideas:

Stay-at-Home:

1. Bed fort and reading together (or watching YouTube videos)
2. Mario Tennis / Mario Kart / Mario Party
3. TV Show Marathon
4. Chocolate Tasting
5. Take out + board game night
6. Decorate mugs for each other
7. Movie marathon
8. Popcorn + singular movie
9. Homemade pizza + The Godfather (or another movie)
10. Popcorn + Youtube videos
11. Puzzle + pizza
12. Wine & cheese
13. Dessert only dinner (can also be done at a restaurant)
14. Make dessert together
15. Sushi + Netflix
16. Crossword puzzles + breakfast for dinner
17. Fondue + Netflix
18. Diablo III + beer and pizza
19. Play "Would You Rather?"
20. Listen to a podcast and do a puzzle together.

Free:

1. Bike ride
2. Hiking
3. Wine tasting
4. Go to the library and read together

Cheap or Affordable:

1. Coffee date
2. Restaurant
3. Read at a bookstore or library
4. Dinner + private book club
5. Mini golf
6. Dinner + Movie
7. Team Trivia Night
8. Buy a new board game

Expensive and Requires Planning:

1. Trip to the zoo (
2. Bed & breakfast
3. Murder Mystery Night
4. Weekend away
5. Couple's massage
6. Trip to the Shops
7. Fancy restaurant
8. Hotel for one night
9. Spend a day at a theme park