

3 DIY Projects From Menards[®] for the Whole Family to Enjoy

Do some of your favorite childhood memories involve holding a flashlight for your dad as he worked on the car or helping repair that leaky faucet? If so, you know the value of working on home renovation projects as a family!



Start your next family DIY project with a trip to the home improvement store where you're *treated* like family: Menards[®]. Whether you're stocking up on supplies, need advice on your next project, or want to let the kids pick out a new paint color, the friendly staff at your local Menards[®] is happy to help. Try these three DIY projects for home renovations the whole family can enjoy.

Hanging Shelves or Frames

For a simple, practical project to teach your kids about basic tools and safety procedures, enlist their help in hanging up new <u>shelf brackets</u> or picture frames.

Your kids will love:

- Using a level to make sure the shelf is perfectly horizontal
- Helping you mark the wall to indicate where to drill each hole
- Handing you nails or screws

Together, your family can decide what photo should go in your frame *or* what items to display on your newly installed shelf.

Repainting Outdoor Surfaces

Did you recently replace your <u>porch posts</u> to elevate your curb appeal and improve the safety of your home? Or, has the hot summer sun and brisk winter weather left your fence chipped and dull? If so, your porch could probably use a fresh coat of paint to match those new posts, and your fence may need a little TLC.

Painting in the sunshine is hard to beat when choosing a weekend home improvement project! Make this chore a memorable family activity by picking out a paint color together at Menards[®], making lemonade, and playing upbeat music. This activity is perfect for kids since they can feel free to get a little messy.

Adding a Stone Accent Wall

Although some projects may be too complex for kids to safely help with, such as re-siding your home, there are still ways for the whole family to participate! Your kids will love accompanying you to Menards[®] to choose a <u>stone veneer panel</u> option, helping you decide how to organize the panels, or watching the installation process.

Talking your kids through each step of this project is a great way to help them get familiar with different tools, supplies, and safety measures. They may be able to assist you with some of the smaller steps in this project, such as mixing the mortar with supervision or helping grout a section of veneer paneling after installation.

Home improvement is undoubtedly a labor of love, so why not involve your littlest loved ones in your next project? With these three kid-friendly home renovation projects and a trip to your local Menards[®], you and your family can begin making cherished memories, one DIY project at a time.

Find supplies for your next family DIY project at https://www.menards.com/

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