A Cute, Daily Reminder

Learning how to be a bucket filler takes daily practice. We love visuals that help remind us daily about being a bucket filler. We hope you'll love crafting this cute, daily reminder!

Supplies needed:

- New or used terracotta clay pots
- Cleaning cloth or brush and soap (if needed)
- Foam sponge or paint brushes
- Acrylic paint colors, specifically black and white
- Pencil
- Newspaper
- Spray sealer (matte or glossy)
- Flowers or plant (real or artificial), or potting soil and flower or plant seeds

1) Get a terracotta clay pot. We used a 4” pot that we got from our local store.
2) Brush any clay dust off the pots so you have a clean surface. If you decide to use old pots, make sure you scrub them thoroughly with soap and water and let dry completely before painting.
3) Paint the pot whatever color you'd like. (We used a gray paint to make ours look like our Bucket Fillers' bucket.) Let the paint dry.
4) Once dry, use a pencil to draw a face on your painted pot.
5) Then take black paint and fill in the pencil face on your pot. Let the paint dry.
6) Once the black paint is dry, use white paint to put the white dots in your eyes. Let the paint dry.
7) After all the paint colors are dried, spray the pot with a spray paint sealer. Let the sealer dry completely.
8) Now you can fill your 'bucket' with whatever you'd like! We chose a small bunch of artificial flowers. You can use live flowers or plants, or you could use some potting soil and start a flower or plant from seed!

Make sure you put your pot in a special place so you can
see it every day. If you do a live flower or plant, please make sure to water it every day. It will make a great visual reminder to fill a bucket!

Keep filling buckets!

Caryn Butzke, Chief Operating Officer
Bucket Fillers, Inc.