1. Fold balloon pieces in half
2. Glue back to back
3. Tie loop in center of strings
4. Center string and glue balloon closed
5. Fold basket on score lines
6. Glue basket
7. Trim strings to 2"
8. Tape 1 string in each corner

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Supplies:

- Scissors
- Tape
- Glue
- Twine/Ribbon

Instructions:

You may choose to cut out and color the patterns below or use the blank pieces as a template with any light weight cardstock. You will need 6 balloon pieces and 1 basket for this project.

1. Begin by folding all of the balloon pieces in half along score line.
2. Glue each folded balloon cut-out back to back, so each half connects to another half of a differently colored cut-out, along the fold line. Do not glue the last two halves together.
3. Holding two 18 inch strings together, fold in half making a small loop in the center 1 inch from the end to be your hanger.
4. Take the 4 strings and insert into the center of the balloon so that the loop is on top and there are 4 string hanging from the bottom.
5. Glue the remaining white side of your first and last balloon pieces. This should complete your 3D balloon.
6. To create the basket, fold along dotted lines and glue small flaps to the box walls.
7. Trim strings to about 2 inches long.
8. Taking your 4 strings, glue or tape them into the corners of the basket.