

# STEPPING STONES

DIFFICULTY: *EASY*



VOLUNTEER(S)



4 HOURS

## MATERIALS

### PREP

12x12" cement pavers (can adjust as needed)

Concrete primer

Porch and floor paint

Paint supplies

### BUILD

12x12" cement pavers

Paver sand (can adjust as needed)

Landscape edging (optional)

## TOOLS

### PREP

Tape measure

Pencils

Tamp

Shovel

### BUILD

Shovel

Tamp

Push broom

## PREP LIST

1. Sort all the materials into piles by like items to ensure you have materials needed to complete project.
2. Lay down drop cloth or paint in an area that can be easily cleaned of excess paint.
3. Paint all of the 12" pavers as desired.
4. Prepare the pathway by digging down 1-2". Level the area with a tamp to provide a flat surface on which to lay the pavers.

## BUILD LIST

1. Sort all the materials into piles by like items to ensure you have materials needed to complete project.
2. Next, ensure that you have a flat and level surface. If the surface is not level use a piece of wood or durable straight edge to create a level surface. If needed, lay more paver sand and level as shown below.
3. Make sure when laying the pavers that you are checking the spaces in between each paver. The spaces should all be the same distance. The closer the bricks are together, the better. If sand prevents this, clear out the excess sand and lay the brick again.
4. After all the bricks have been laid, pour leftover paver sand over the top. Using your push broom, sweep the excess sand off allowing the space between each paver to be filled.
5. Optional Edging: Lay the edging along the outside of the pavers. Make sure that the edging is as tight up against the pavers as possible. This will prevent movement over time.