

Household Elf

Make a Draft Stopper

Put a draft stopper over cracks under doors or along the edges of windows so heat doesn't leak out of your home. This way, when it's cold outside, you need less energy to stay warm inside.

- 1. Start with a pair of tights or panty hose. Cut the top and feet off the legs so you have two separate tubes.
- 2. Tie one end closed tightly with ribbon.
- **3.** Pour dried beans or dried corn into the open hole. You will need about five pounds of beans or corn.
- **4.** Tie off the other end. Place it along the bottom of a door or along a windowsill to keep warm air in and cold air out.