



# Project: DIY Pet Food Station

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## Upcycle leftover materials to build a food station for your pooch

We had some leftover studs from our entryway makeover, so we decided to put together this food station for our dog Jack. This DIY is doggone adorable, and your pooch will appreciate the pampering!



## Supply List:

- ScotchBlue™ Painter's Tape
- One 6' section of stud
- Hairpin legs (we used 9" legs)
- 2 stainless bowls
- 4" drywall screws
- Test pot of Lemon Zest paint by Behr
- Minwax Polycrylic Protective Finish
- Compound miter saw
- Mini Kreg jig saw
- Tape measure
- Drill
- Jig saw
- Sanding block
- Paint/foam brushes

## Step 1

Start by cutting the stud into three equal 22" sections. Using a Kreg jig kit, install 4" drywall screws on the ends and middle of each of the three pieces to create a solid base for the tray.

Take food bowls and trace around the outside. Use measuring tape to make sure they are equidistant from the center. Use the jig saw to cut out each circle just inside the line.



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### Step 2

Tighten the existing screws and add a handful more using the Kreg jig kit. Then use more drywall screws to install the hairpin legs.

Next, prep the food station with ScotchBlue™ Tape. Line the top of the food station with the tape, then use a small foam brush to paint the edges. Pull off the painter's tape to reveal smooth, crisp lines.



### Step 3

Once the paint dries, apply two coats of Polycrylic to seal everything in and protect it from doggie water dribbles and food spills.

Allow everything to dry and bond overnight, and then your DIY pet food station will be ready for its first fun!



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