

Schultüte

When children in Germany set off for their first day of school upon entering first grade, their parents and/or grandparents present them with a large Schultüte, an attractively decorated cone filled with toys, chocolate, candies/sweets, school supplies, and various other special treats. The cone is given to children to make this anxiously awaited first day of school a little sweeter.

Parents can purchase materials to make Schultüte themselves or they can purchase them pre-made then they can then fill them with special things for their child.

Here are some examples of what that looks like:

