

10 Handmade Holiday Gift Ideas for Arctophiles

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{besps_c}0|teddy_bear_headband.jpg| **KEEP YOUR EARS WARM**, \$24. This unBEARably cute headband doubles as a warm winter accessory and as the cutest thing in your closet! Made with acrylic yarn, so it's vegan! Comes in dark brown, or other animal patterns including panda and fox! Length (unstretched, flat): 10" long x 3.5 to 4" wide. Etsy.com shop name:

[susannahbean](#)

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{besps_c}0|koala-booties.jpg| **FOR THE BABY BEAR IN YOUR LIFE**, \$8. Handmade gift items are always special, and how cute is this Koala bear baby booties pattern? This company also offers teddy bear, panda bear and over 130 other baby bootie patterns on her site. The pattern is in an easy-to-understand "symbol" form. Comes as a PDF file with free shipping. Etsy.com seller name: meinu xing{|/besps_c}

{besps_c}0|BearLetterPendant.jpg| A CHARMING GIFT, \$20. Cute copper alphabet pendants in a teddy bear font. Each bear is solid copper that's been polished to a satin finish. 2 cm tall. The chain strings through the ears, so no unsightly tabs or rings take away from their genuine cuteness. The ears will also fit a 1/8" ribbon. These would be cute on a human or a teddy bear! Every letter is made to order. Discount offered on 3 or more letters. Etsy.com shop name: [ironi](#)

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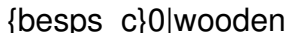
{besps_c}0|gummy-bear-lip-balm.jpg| **PURPLE GUMMY BEAR LIP BALM**, \$4, Teeny tiny purple bears with the tart taste of concord grapes. Perfect for stocking stuffers and to keep lips nice and soft during the cold winter months! Made with natural ingredients. Gift sets and more than 40 unique flavors of lip balm available. Etsy.com seller name: BagLunch{|/besps_c}

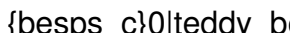
{besps_c}0|polar-bear-gift-tags.jpg| **POLAR BEAR GIFT TAGS**, \$5, Wintry and white, these polar bear gift tags will add a bit of fun and fancy to your holiday wrapping. Set of 6. Tags measure 2 x 4", printed on high-quality card stock and come with red & white baker's twine to affix to that special package. Etsy.com shop name: [deepblueseas](#) {|/besps_c}

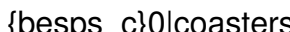
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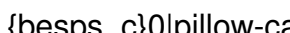
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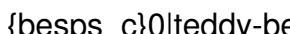
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 FOR YOUR TREE, \$7-\$9. Custom wooden ornaments that can be personalized with the family name, year, and first names of family members or as a grandparent ornament with the grandparents' title and all the grandkids names. Two versions available: A 3, 4, 5, or 6 bear ornament, \$7. Or 7, 8, 9 or 10 bear ornament, \$9. Approximate size: 5 in. x 2 1/4 in. Etsy.com shop name: [MackleyWoodenGifts](#)

 Ready to fill with teddy bears, \$8-\$14. This is an adorable image of vintage teddy bears, on a conveniently-sized 15x15 high-quality canvas tote bag, \$12. Image can be printed in any color and comes in different sizes of bags: 13x13 cotton twill tote for \$8.00. 14x18 zippered top canvas tote bag is \$14.00. Bags can be personalized for \$1. Seller also has T-shirts, pillow cases and much more that feature teddy bears, dolls and over 1000 other cute designs. Etsy.com seller name: Lesley Hornbeck

 For man caves or any home, \$32. This set of 4 brown leather coasters feature realistic silhouettes of black bears. And they are handmade using reclaimed leather so they are eco-friendly. The top layer is made from light brown garment leather. The bottom layer is black motorcycle leather. In between, is made from a heavy upholstery leather. The 3 layers - plus the leather bear graphic - will protect furniture from both moisture and heat. These 4 1/4" wide, round coasters are a cute practical gift for bear lovers. Sold individually or in sets of 2. More leather bear gift items, such as pillows and coin purses also available! Etsy.com shop name: 352trading

 If you love to sleep with bears... "Commandeered By Wilderness" Hand Printed Pillow Case Pair, \$26. Two standard pillow cases in 200 thread count cotton. Hand-screen printed with eco- friendly inks. Original Bark design. Other pillow case, t-shirt and towel designs are available. Etsy.com seller name: [barkdecor](#)

 SAY' I DO' TO THIS TEDDY BEAR, \$22. Adorable sterling silver .925 teddy bear ring. Sizes 3 – 14 and half sizes. A unique design and conversation piece for any arctophile. This seller has other bear motif rings, pendants and charms available. Etsy.com shop name: princeofdiamonds

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It's that time of year again! Etsy.com has thousands of wonderful items, but finding unique gifts for the special bear collectors in your life isn't always easy. I've searched high and low for affordable, hand-made items that will make any bear collector happy!

*Whether you are shopping for the special people in your life or putting together a wish list for yourself,
holidays! happy shopping ... and happy*