

# **CCSA THROUGH THE YEARS:**

# Valentines Day Projects & St. Patrick's Day Projects Projects





# "i ♥ u" Plaque Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Rectangular plaque

Pattern printed on clay carbon paper

Pencil Fan brush

Long liner brush or writer bottle Fun wire and beads (optional)

# **Glaze Colors**

White, Black, Red

# **Directions**

- 1. Paint the front of the plague with 3 coats of White. Allow to dry.
- 2. Transfer the alphabet pattern to the front of the plaque.
- 3. Using a liner brush or a writer bottle filled with Black or Red, paint the letters according to the painting guide. (Turn the O into a heart by elongating the bottom tip.) Allow to dry.
- 4. Paint 3 coats of White on the back of the plaque. Allow to dry.
- 5. Glaze and fire to cone 06. (If you are certain the painter has applied 3 coats over the entire piece you can omit the clear glaze.)

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6. If desired, string beads on Fun Wire to create a hanger for the plaque.

Project Medium: Pottery Painting

Project Cost: \$4–\$5
Project Time: 90 minutes







# "LOVE" Plaque Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: LOVE 3D wall plaque Lettering pattern printed on plain paper Fan brush Round brushes in assorted sizes Splatter brush Writer bottle



### **Glaze Colors**

Red, Dark Pink, Medium Pink, Light Pink, Black, White

### **Directions**

- 1. This plaque features an ombre effect, going across the plaque horizontally from Bright Red to Light Pink (from base to top). Using a fully loaded fan brush for each color, try to blend the colors seamlessly as you paint across the plaque. The aim is to apply 2–3 coats of each color evenly. Make sure to apply color to the bottom and sides of the plaque as well as the front. Use small round brushes to get into the nooks and crannies of the 3D plaque. Allow to dry.
- 2. Using the splatter brush, lightly splatter Black onto the plaque. Allow to dry.
- 3. With the lettering pattern and picture of the finished project as a guide, use a writer bottle filled with White to write out the quote following the curve of the plaque letters. Allow to dry.
- 4. Glaze and fire to cone 06. (If you are certain the painter has applied 3 coats over the entire piece you can omit the clear glaze.)

Project Medium: Pottery Painting

Project Cost: \$4

Project Time: 90 minutes

For Ages: 8 & up

Love doesn't make the world go around. Love is what makes the ride worthwhile.



# "Love's True Colors" Vase Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Tall square vase

Pattern printed clay carbon paper

Pencil Fan brush

Round brushes in assorted sizes

Writer bottle

# **Glaze Colors**

White, Red, Orange, Yellow, Bright Green, Bright Blue, Pink, Black

# **Directions**

- 1. Paint 3 coats of White on all four sides of the vase. Allow to dry.
- 2. Transfer the heart pattern to 3 sides of the vase.
- 3. Using round brushes, paint the hearts following the finished sample as a guide. Allow to dry.
- 4. On the fourth side, use a large round brush to make 7 horizontal swipes of alternating colors from top to bottom. Allow to dry.
- 5. Transfer the lettering pattern to the swipes of color.
- 6. Fill a writer bottle with Black and paint the letters. Allow to dry.
- 7. Glaze and fire to cone 06.

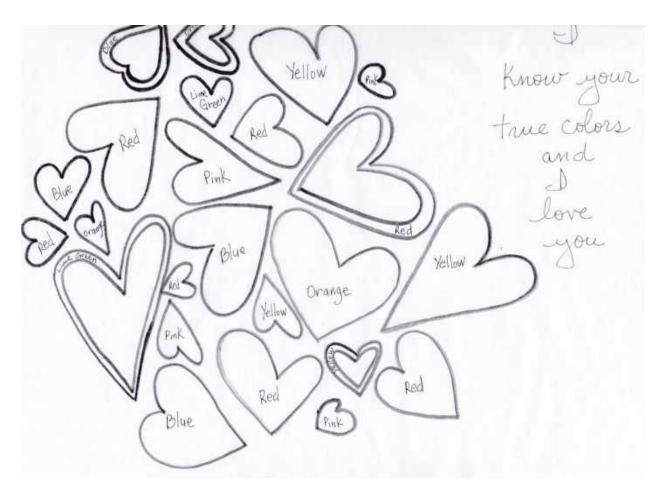
Project Medium: Pottery Painting

Project Cost: \$4

Project Time: 90 minutes









# "you & me" Plate Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Round or square coupe plate Pattern printed on plain paper Pattern printed on clay carbon paper Scissors Pencil Fan brush Writer bottles

# **Glaze Colors**

White, Black, Red



### **Directions**

- 1. Cut out the ampersand from the plain paper pattern.
- 2. Using a fan brush, paint 3 coats of White on the front of the plate. Allow to dry.
- 3. While still slightly wet, center the cut-out ampersand on the plate. Seal the edges of the paper with a damp brush.
- 4. Paint 3 coats of Black on the front of the plate. Allow dry, then remove the paper pattern.
- 5. Transfer the lettering pattern to the upper left and lower right of the ampersand.
- 6. Using a writer bottle filled with Red, paint the letters and the hearts in the ampersand. Use the picture of the finished project as a guide. Allow to dry.
- 7. Paint 3 coats of Black on the back of the plate. Allow to dry.
- 8. Glaze and fire to cone 06. (If you are certain the painter has applied 3 coats over the entire piece you can omit the clear glaze.)

Project Medium: Pottery Painting

Project Cost: \$4–\$5
Project Time: 90 minutes







# Key to My Heart Dish Clay Project

### **Supplies**

Low-fire clay with light grog
Foam work mat
2 Chinet salad-size paper plates
Picture of finished project to use as painting guide
Wooden skewer
Toothbrush or other scoring tool
Round brushes in assorted sizes
Words printed on plain paper
Ink pads in distressed brown and black
Decoupage medium



# **Glaze Colors or Acrylic Paint Colors**

Tan, Yellow Gold

### **Directions**

- 1. Cut off enough clay to form a softball-sized ball. Roll, pat, and squeeze the clay between cupped hands to make a lumpy ball.
- 2. Throw ball onto the foam mat. Using the sides of your fists, pound the clay ball into a ¼" slab.
- 3. With the pointy end of the skewer, cut out a 5½" square.
- 4. Gather the excess clay from around the cutout shape and form it into a ball. Set aside.
- 5. With wet fingertips, smooth the edges of the clay.
- 6. Place the clay square in the center of one of the paper plates. Press the other plate on top of the clay square so it causes the four corners of the square to curve up slightly. Remove the top plate.
- 7. Pinch off a piece of clay from the clay ball you set aside. Pull, roll, and pinch it into the shape of a key using the pattern as a guide.
- 8. Score the back of the key and press it onto the left side of the plate.
- 9. Allow to dry to a leather-hard stage. This may take 24–72 hours.
- 10. If using glazes, paint with glazes and then fire to cone 06. Or fire to cone 04, then paint with glazes, then dip and fire to cone 06.
- 11. If using acrylic paints, fire to cone 04 or cone 06, then paint.
- 12. Cut the words out of paper. Run the 4 edges of each word paper across the ink pads to stain the edges.
- 13. Arrange the papers to read "You hold the key to my heart" on the right side of the key. Apply a light coat of decoupage medium to secure them to the dish.

Project Medium: Clay Hand Building

Project Cost: \$3

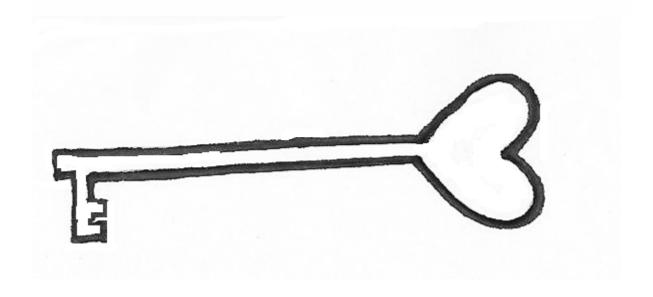
Project Time: 90 minutes for creating project; additional 30–45 minutes for painting



You hold

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# **Heart Votive Holder or Crayon Container Clay Project**

# **Supplies**

Low-fire clay with light grog
Foam work mat
Pattern cut out from cardboard
Mini heart cookie cutter
Picture of finished project to use as painting guide
Wooden skewer
Toothbrush or other scoring tool
Round brushes in assorted sizes
Splatter brush



# **Glaze Colors or Acrylic Paint Colors**

Bright Red, Orange, Yellow, Green, Blue

### **Directions**

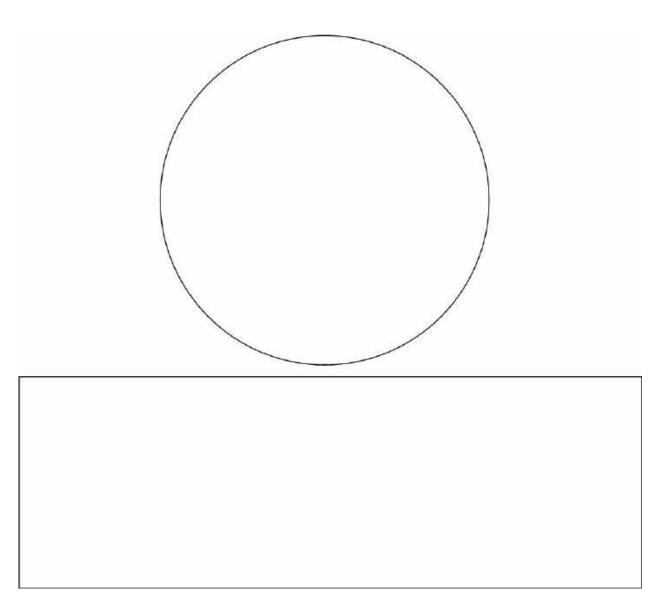
- 1. Cut off enough clay to form a softball-sized ball. Roll, pat, and squeeze the clay between cupped hands to make a lumpy ball.
- 2. Throw ball onto the foam mat. Using the sides of your fists, pound the clay ball into a ¼" slab.
- 3. Place the patterns on the clay slab. With the pointy end of the skewer, trace around the shapes to cut them out.
- 4. Gather the excess clay from around the cutout shapes and form it into a ball. Set aside.
- 5. With wet fingertips, smooth the edges of the clay.
- 6. With the cookie cutter, cut out several heart shapes all over the rectangle of clay. Don't make the cutouts too close together or too close to the top or bottom edge.
- 7. Bring the 2 short ends of the rectangle together to form a short cylinder and check to be sure it's the right size to wrap around the outside edge of the clay circle. Make adjustments accordingly.
- 8. Score the outside edge of the circle. Wrap the rectangle around the circle and press together.
- 9. Pinch off some clay from the clay ball and roll a long coil.
- 10. Score and press together, and then smooth the long coil along the inside seam of the circle base and upright cylinder of clay.
- 11. Allow to dry to a leather-hard stage. This may take 24–72 hours.
- 12. If using glazes, paint with glazes and then fire to cone 06. Or fire to cone 04, then paint with glazes, then dip and fire to cone 06. Use the splatter brush to add interest when painting.
- 13. If using acrylic paints, fire to cone 04 or cone 06, then paint.

Project Medium: Clay Hand Building

Project Cost: \$3

Project Time: 90 minutes for creating project; additional 30-45 minutes for painting







# "You Hold the Key to My Heart" Canvas Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Canvas: 8"x10"
Pattern
Graphite paper
Pencil
Assorted brushes
Bubble Wrap
Heart stamps
Decoupage medium (optional)



# **Acrylic Paint Colors**

Deep Red, Venetian Red, Burnt Sienna, Gold, Black

# **Directions**

- 1. Using a square brush with long strokes, paint the whole canvas Deep Red, allowing some areas to be lighter than others.
- 2. Load the brush with Venetian Red and paint over the lighter areas.
- 3. Paint the corners and along the upper and lower edges Burnt Sienna. Allow to dry.
- 4. Position the pattern on the canvas with the graphite paper underneath. Trace the pattern onto the canvas.
- 5. Using either a long liner brush or small round brush, paint the letters Black.
- 6. Paint the key Gold.
- 7. Lightly outline the key in Black, smudging the lines slightly.
- 8. Apply Gold paint to a piece of bubble wrap and press it onto the corners of the canvas.
- 9. Use the heart stamps to stamp Black hearts randomly around the canvas. Allow to dry.
- 10. If desired, apply a coat of decoupage medium to the whole canvas for a high-gloss finish.

Project Medium: Canvas Painting

Project Cost: \$2–\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes







# Donut Box Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Round box with lid

Patterns printed on clay carbon paper

Pen or pencil

Picture of finished project to use as a painting guide

Assorted brushes (fan brush, round brushes, long liner brush)

# **Underglaze or Glaze Colors**

White, Light Golden Brown, Pink, Red, Black, Yellow, Blue, Dark Brown

# **Directions**

- 1. Paint 2–3 coats of White over the entire box, both inside and outside. Allow to dry.
- 2. Transfer the donut pattern to the lid and sides, and lettering to the inside.
- 3. Using the picture of the finished project as a guide, paint 2–3 coats of color to each of the design elements: Light Golden Brown for the donuts; Pink or Dark Brown for the frosting; Pink, Red, Yellow, Blue, and Dark Brown for the sprinkles; and Black for the lettering inside the box. Allow to dry.
- 4. Glaze and fire to cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$3-\$4
Project Time: 90 minutes





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# Heart Pocket Vase Clay Project

# **Supplies**

Low-fire white clay with light grog
Foam work mat
Rolling pin
Wooden skewer
Scoring tool
Plastic straw
Pattern of heart cut out of cardboard
Texture tool/stamp
Picture of finished project to use as sculpting and painting guide
Round brushes in assorted sizes
Fun Wire or twine



# **Glaze Colors or Acrylic Paint Colors**

Deep Red, Black

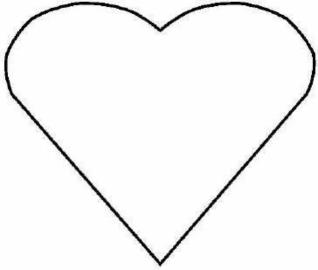
### **Directions**

- 1. Roll out an 8"x8" slab of clay, ¼" thick.
- 2. Place the cardboard pattern on the clay slab. With the pointy end of a wooden skewer, trace around the pattern and cut it out twice. Ball up the remaining clay and set it aside.
- 3. With a plastic straw, poke 2 holes along the top edge of one heart for hanging.
- 4. Press the texture tool or stamp on the clay heart that doesn't have the holes.
- 5. Score the back and side edges of the textured heart and the top and side edges of the heart with the holes.
- 6. Place a small wad of crumpled newspaper in the center of the heart with the holes.
- 7. Place the textured heart on top of the other heart. Press the sides together, making sure to keep the top of the pocket open.
- 8. Use dampened fingertips to smooth out the edges of the stacked heart shapes.
- 9. Allow clay to dry to leather-hard stage (may take 24–72 hours).
- 10. If using glazes, paint with glazes and then fire to cone 06. Or fire to cone 04, then paint with glazes, then dip and fire to cone 06.
- 11. If using acrylic paints, fire to cone 04 or cone 06, then paint.
- 12. After firing and painting, loop a length of Fun Wire or twine through the 2 holes to create a hanger.

**Project Medium: Clay Hand Building** 

Project Cost: \$3-\$4

Project Time: 60 minutes for creating project; additional 30-45 minutes for painting





# Tree Stump Bud Vase Clay Project

# **Supplies**

Low-fire white clay with light grog
Foam work mat
Rolling pin
Wooden skewer
Scoring tool
Picture of finished project to use as sculpting and painting guide
Round brushes in assorted sizes

# **Glaze Colors or Acrylic Paint Colors**

Brown, Black

### **Directions**

- 1. Roll out a 6"x6" slab of clay, 1/4" thick.
- 2. With the pointy end of a wooden skewer, cut out a 4"x6" rectangle, leaving the top of the rectangle jagged and uneven.
- 3. Bring the 2 short ends together, score the sides, and press together to form a hollow tube.
- 4. Stand the clay tube with the smooth, straight end on the remaining clay slab and trace around it.
- 5. Score the bottom of the tube and the top of the cut out circle. Join the 2 pieces. Use dampened fingertips to smooth out all the seams.
- 6. Run the end of the wooden skewer gently over the clay tube in vertical wavy lines to create a textured tree bark
- 7. Allow clay to dry to leather-hard stage (may take 24–72 hours).
- 8. If using glazes, paint with glazes and then fire to cone 06. Or fire to cone 04, then paint with glazes, then dip and fire to cone 06.
- 9. If using acrylic paints, fire to cone 04 or cone 06, then paint.

**Project Medium: Clay Hand Building** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3

Project Time: 60 minutes for creating project; additional 30-45 minutes for painting





# **Canvas Projects**

- 1. Candy Cane Wishes and Mistletoe Kisses
- 2. Gingerbread House
- 3. Home for Christmas
- 4. Merry Christmas Tree
- 5. Snowy Owls

# 2017 Winter Project Guide

# In My Heart of Hearts Mixed Media Project

# **Supplies**

Canvas: 9"x12"

2 sheets of newspaper or several book pages

Scissors Pattern Pencil Scissors Rubber s

Rubber stamp with swirly pattern

Large flat brush
Metal gear charms
Metal lock
Key charm
Glue
Decoupage medium

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Acrylic Paint Turquoise, Red, Violet, Metallic Gold

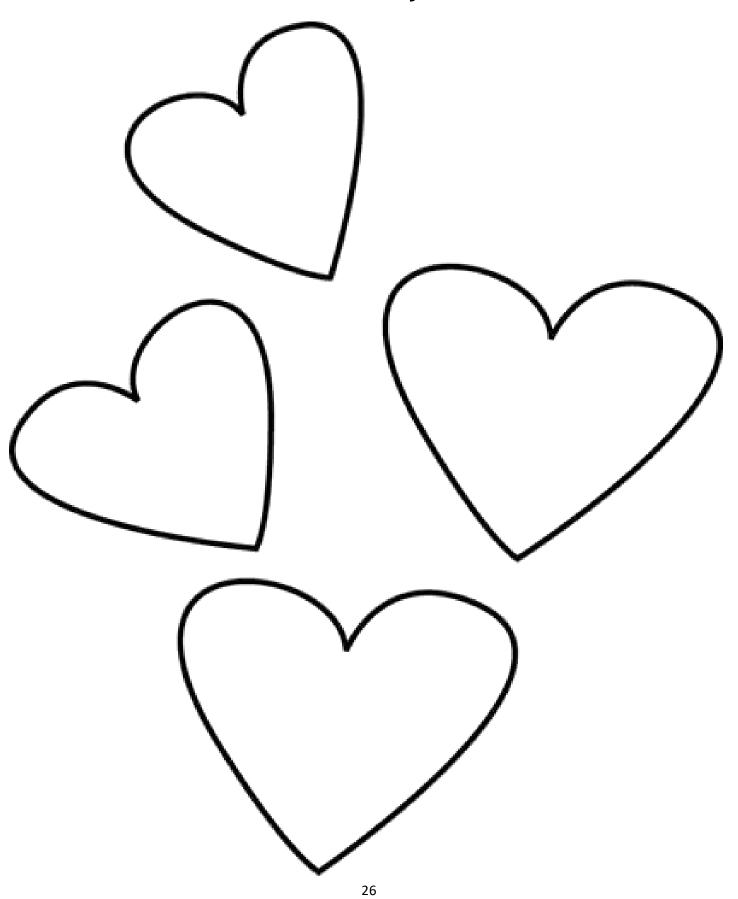
# Directions

- 1. Wrap the canvas with a sheet of newsprint or book pages. Secure the paper to the canvas with decoupage medium. Allow to dry.
- 2. Paint the background Turquoise. Allow to dry.
- 3. Paint some newspaper or book pages in Red and in Violet. Allow to dry.
- 4. Transfer the heart pattern to the painted papers.
- 5. Cut out 8-10 of each size heart.
- 6. Arrange the different hearts on the canvas to form a large heart shape that stretches across the canvas. (You can keep it simple, not overlapping any hearts and keeping them all going in the same general direction, as in the example, or you can overlap and mix things up a bit!) Secure the hearts to the canvas with decoupage medium
- 7. Stamp the swirly pattern around the large heart shape in Metallic Gold. Allow to dry.
- 8. Scatter the gears and lock around the large heart shape. Secure with pinpoints of glue.
- 9. Glue the key charm to the canvas outside the heart. Allow to dry
- 10. Apply a coat of decoupage medium to seal all the papers. Allow to dry.

Project Medium: Mixed Media Project Cost: \$4-\$5 Project Time: 90 minutes



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# **Green Clover Dish Fused Glass Project**

**Supplies: System 96 Spectrum Glass** 

Glass blank: 6" square

Design glass:

Assorted chips and bits: Dark Green, White

Rods: Green

Noodles: White, Green, Amber

Pebble: White Stringer: Green

Scissors Scoring tool Running pliers Nippers

Pattern printed on plain white paper Picture of project to use as design guide Sharpie marker (to mark cutting lines) Alcohol (to clean off marker lines)

Glue

Thinfire paper

6" square plate or mold for slumping

### **Directions**

- 1. Cut out the clover design from the pattern. Center it on the glass blank and trace around it with the marker.
- 2. Arrange chips and bits of Dark Green glass to fill in the entire clover shape.
- 3. Place a White pebble in the center of the clover.
- 4. Arrange 3 White noodles radiating out from the center of the clover. Place a Green stringer on top of each noodle.
- 5. Place a 1" square White chip at each corner.
- 6. Place a Green nip in the center of each White chip.
- 7. Place a Green noodle and an Amber noodle side by side along each of the four sides.
- 8. Affix each element with a pinpoint of glue.
- 9. Clean off the marker tracing lines.
- 10. Place the project on a piece of Thinfire paper.
- 11. Fire to a full fuse.
- 12. Place the fused project in a prepared slump mold or on a piece of Thinfire paper in the mold.
- 13. Fire for slumping.

**Project: Glass Fusing** 

Ages: 8 & up

Project Time: 60 minutes Project Price: \$4-\$5



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# Pot of Gold Clay Project

# **Supplies**

Low-fire white clay with light grog
Foam work mat
Rolling pin
Pattern
Scoring tool
Wooden skewer
Picture of finished project to use as sculpting and painting guide
Round brushes in assorted sizes

# **Acrylic Paint Colors**

Black, Metallic Gold, Red, Orange, Yellow, Blue, Indigo, Violet

# **Directions**

- 1. Form a pinch pot. Tap the open end to flare out the sides a bit.
- 2. Create 3 small round balls. Score the tops of each and attach them to the bottom of the pinch pot.
- 3. Roll out a small ¼" slab of clay. With the pointy end of a wooden skewer, cut out a half circle that will fit inside the opening of the pinch pot. Also cut 5–7 circles to create coins that will fit in the pot.
- 4. Allow all the clay to dry to leather-hard stage (may take 24–72 hours).
- 5. Fire to cone 04, then paint with acrylics. Or paint with glazes and fire to cone 06.

**Project Medium: Clay Hand Building** 

Project Cost: \$3-\$4

Project Time: 60-90 minutes for creating project; additional 30-45 minutes for painting

For Ages: 8 & up



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# CACT-US CHARGER Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Coupe charger

Pattern Tissue paper Pencil

Black Sharpie or washable marker

Assorted brushes (fan, large round, small round, liner)

# **Glaze Colors**

Pastel Orange, Coral, Pink, Pale Blue, Tan, Green, Light Green, Dark Green Writer bottles in Black, White

# **Directions**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the lines with a marker (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design to the pottery.) Remove the tissue paper.
- 2. Dip a fan brush in water and then dip in Pastel Orange. Gently mix to create watercolor look. Start at the second section from the bottom of the plate and paint area in a wash. Slightly rinse the brush, dip in Coral, and paint the next section, slightly overlapping the Pastel Orange. Repeat technique using Pink in the next section, slightly overlapping the Coral. Repeat technique using Pale Blue in the top part of the plate, slightly overlapping the Pink.
- 3. Paint 3 coats of tan at the bottom of the plate for the sand.
- 4. Paint the large cactus with 3 coats of Green. Paint the small cactus with 3 coats of Light Green. Paint the cactus detail lines in Dark Green on both cacti.
- 5. Using a Black writer bottle, paint the faces and the lettering.
- 6. Remove the tip from a White writer bottle and squeeze paint in heart-shaped puddle. While this is still wet, add Pink to center of the puddle and swirl color to create a marbleized look. Allow to dry.
- 7. Clear glaze and fire to cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes







# LOVE SNAPS PLATTER Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Square coupe charger

Tissue paper Pattern

Black Sharpie or washable marker

Assorted Brushes (fan, large round, small round, liner)

# **Glaze Colors**

Cream (or other skin tone), Red, Pink, Black, Tan Writer bottles in Black, Red, Dark Gray

# **Directions**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the entire design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the lines with a marker (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design to the pottery.) Remove the tissue paper. Do not trace the letters onto the bisque yet.
- 2. Paint the hand with 3 coats of Cream or other skin tone.
- 3. Using a small brush, paint the hearts with 1 coat of Red or Pale Pink. Using a Black writer bottle, add 3 or 4 dots between hearts.
- 4. Using a medium brush, paint the sleeve with 3 coats of Black.
- 5. Using a Tan writer bottle, outline the hand and nails, and add knuckles. Allow to dry.
- 6. Reposition the tissue paper tracing over the painted design and trace the letters on the right edge of the sleeve. Use a Red writer bottle to fill in the letters.
- 7. Use a Dark Gray writer bottle to outline the sleeve and make the line for the cuff. Allow to dry.
- 8. Clear glaze and fire to cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes









# LOVE YOU FOR ALL TIME PLATE Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Rectangular plate

Pattern Tissue paper Pencil

Black Sharpie or washable marker

Assorted brushes

# **Glaze Colors**

Cream, Dark Blue, Light Teal, Dark Teal, Red Writer bottles in White, Light Teal, Dark Teal, Red

# **Directions**

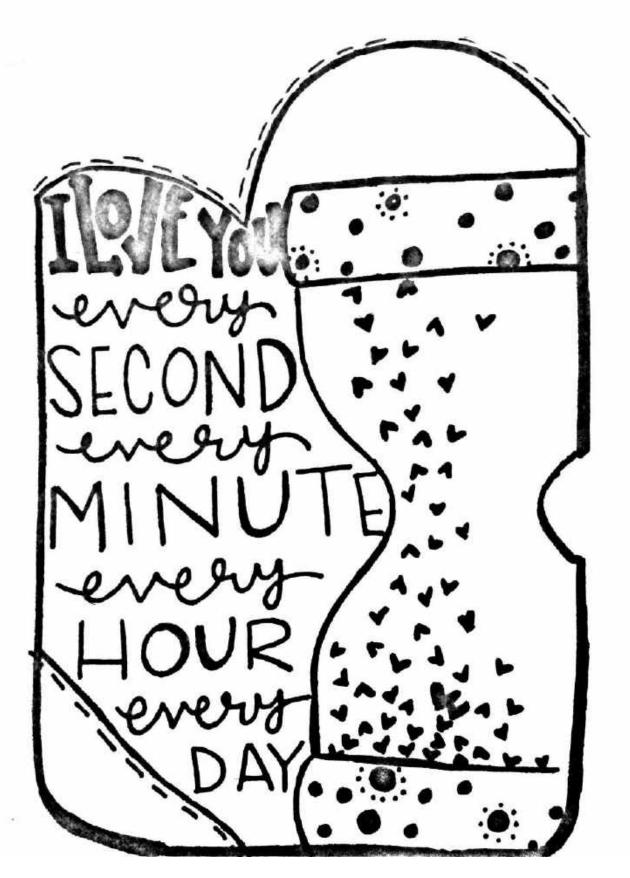
- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the lines with a marker (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design to the pottery.) Remove the tissue paper. Do not trace the lettering onto the bisque yet.
- 2. Paint the inside of the hourglass with 3 coats of Cream. Paint the top and base of the hourglass with 3 coats of Dark Blue.
- 3. Paint the heart-shape background with 3 coats of Light Teal.
- 4. Using a small brush, paint small hearts inside the hourglass with 3 coats of Dark Teal and Red.
- 5. Using a small brush, outline the Cream part of the hourglass in Dark Teal.
- 6. Using a Light Teal writer bottle, make various dots on the Navy Blue.
- 7. Reposition the tissue paper over the painted design and trace the lettering, Fill in the capital letters with White and use a Dark Teal writer bottle for the cursive words and for the small. Add small dots on White letters.
- 8. Add dashes around the outside edge of the heart with a Red writer bottle. Allow to dry.
- 9. Clear glaze and fire to cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3
Project Time: 90 minutes









# **STUCK ON YOU PLATE Pottery Painting Project**

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Coupe charger Tissue paper Pattern Black Sharpie or washable marker Assorted brushes (fan, large round, small round, liner)

# **Glaze Colors**

Green, Medium Brown, Light Green, Red, Taupe, Cream Writer bottles in Lime Green, White, Red

### **Directions**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the entire design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the lines with a marker (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design to the pottery.) Remove the tissue paper. Don't trace the lettering onto the plate yet; it will be traced on at a later step.
- 2. Paint the cactus with 3 coats of Green.
- 3. Paint the flowerpot with 3 coats of Medium Brown.
- 4. Use a Lime Green writer bottle to create stitching around the inside of the cactus and to add vertical lines within the cactus.
- 5. Use a White writer bottle to make small heart shapes to suggest cactus spines.
- 6. Use a Red writer bottle to make small hearts at the top edges of the cactus.
- 7. Reposition the tissue paper pattern and trace the lettering onto the flowerpot. Use a Red writer bottle to write the letters.
- 8. With a round brush, paint waves around the edge of the plate in Red, Taupe, and Cream.
- 9. Use a White writer bottle to add lines and dots between the waves of color. Allow to dry.
- 10. Clear glaze and fire to cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3
Project Time: 90 minutes









# LOTS OF LOVE Canvas Painting Project

# This project can easily be adapted to pottery painting.

# **Supplies**

12"x12" canvas
Graphite paper
Pencil
Black Sharpie
Large and medium square brushes
Small liner brush

# **Acrylic Paint Colors**

White, Light Blue, Gray, Red, Neon Pink, Light Pink, Silver

### **Directions**

- 1. Paint the whole canvas White.
- 2. Using graphite paper, transfer the pattern to the canvas.
- 3. Paint the jar Light Blue. Be sure to leave the rectangle for the quote unpainted.
- 4. Paint the lid Gray.
- 5. Paint some of the hearts Red, some a blend of Red and White, and some Neon Pink.
- 6. Paint the bow Light Pink.
- 7. Paint Red stripes on the background with a small Silver line along the top and bottom of each Red stripe.
- 8. Using a Black Sharpie, outline the jar, ribbon, and label.
- 9. Write the quote with Black Sharpie.

**Project Medium: Canvas Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes









# St. Patrick's Day Mug Pottery Painting Project

NOTE: This project can be adaptable to any bisque shape, canvas or board art.

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Tall Mug Pattern Tissue paper Sharpie Pencil

Assorted brushes (round brushes, long liner brush)

Writer bottle (optional)

# **Glaze Colors**

Light Green, Dark Green, Bright Yellow, Red, Black

### **Directions**

- 1. Basecoat the mug with 3 coats of Light Green, leaving space at the bottom to add a striped edge. Allow to dry.
- 2. Paint the inside of the mug with 3 coats of Dark Green. Allow to dry.
- 3. Transfer the pattern to the mug.
- 4. Using a small round brush or a writer bottle, paint the letters.
- 5. Outline the lettering with alternating dots of Bright Yellow and Dark Green. Paint the dot of the "I" as a small red heart.
- 6. Around the bottom edge of the mug, lightly mark off squares with pencil to create stripes. Using a small brush, fill in alternating stripes with 2 coats of Black, or use a writer bottle.
- 7. Embellish with dots mug above the black and white stripes. Add clovers by painting 3 small heart shapes with points that touch in the center and draw a line for the stem. Allow to dry.
- 8. Glaze and fire to cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes







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# Rustic Stick Message Frame Clay Project

# **Supplies**

Low-fire white clay with light grog
Wooden skewer
Toothpick
Pattern
Twine for hanging
Picture of finished project as sculpting and painting guide
Round brushes in assorted sizes

# **Glaze Colors or Acrylic Paint Colors**

Cream, Medium Brown, Dark Brown, Black, Red

## **Directions**

- 1. Roll and cut a 3" x 5" clay slab 1/4" thick. Set aside.
- 2. Roll a small piece of clay (½" x 2"), on the work surface to create a long stick. Repeat 8 times so that each edge will have two sticks. The top and bottom sticks are about 5.5" and the sticks along the sides are about 3.5". Pinch the ends of the sticks to flatten them, or use a toothpick to split the ends into a V shape.
- 3. Slightly intertwine the sets of sticks. Score the overlapped edges and add a little water to adhere.
- 4. Starting at the top of the slab, score a pair of the longer intertwined sticks and attach to the slab base, adhering with water. Repeat the process at the bottom of the slab.
- 5. Roll a pea-size ball of clay and flatten slightly. Score the top and bottom and adhere with water to the side edge of slab in the middle. Repeat on the other side. (This is to prevent the side sticks from sagging.)
- 6. Attach the side sticks, overlapping the top and bottom sticks. If there is too much overlap, pinch off the excess or use a toothpick and to split the end.
- 7. Once all the sticks are attached, use a toothpick to carve lines into the sticks to represent bark. Poke a hole in the top corners if you want to hang the frame.
- 8. If using glazes, paint with glazes and then fire to cone 06. Or fire to cone 04, then paint with glazes, then dip and fire to cone 06. If using acrylic paints, fire to cone 04 or cone 06, then paint. Be sure to let the clay dry thoroughly before firing (may take 24–72 hours).
  - a. Paint the slab background cream.
  - b. Paint the sticks with 2 coats of Medium Brown. Highlight the carvings in the sticks and along the edges here and there with Dark Brown.
  - c. Lightly sketch a grid pattern to space the letters proportionately on the base.
  - d. Using a small paintbrush or writer bottle with Black, write out the alphabet, but use the Red for the letters I and U and for a heart that will serve as the letter O.
- 9. If using acrylic paints, fire to cone 04 or cone 06, then paint.

**Project Medium: Clay Hand Building** 

Project Cost: \$1-\$2

Project Time: 30 minutes for creating project; additional 30-45 minutes for painting









# I LOVE YOU FOR ALL TIME MUG Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Large mug Pattern Tissue Paper Sharpie

Small and medium round brushes

## **Glaze Colors**

Red, Light Teal, Taupe, Teal Writer Bottle in White

# **Directions**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the hourglass design (including the interior heart designs) onto the mug with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Paint the background of the mug with 3 coats of Light Teal. Do not paint the handle yet.
- 3. Paint the big heart and the handle with 3 coats of Red.
- 4. Paint the inside of the mug and the top and bottom rims, and the underside of the base with 3 coats of Taupe.
- 5. Trace the lettering on the mug using the tissue paper technique.
- 6. Fill in the "I love you" with a White writer bottle
- 7. Fill in the "so much" with a Red writer bottle.
- 8. Add a few small hearts near the bottom of the hourglass with a Red writer bottle. Allow to dry.
- 9. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

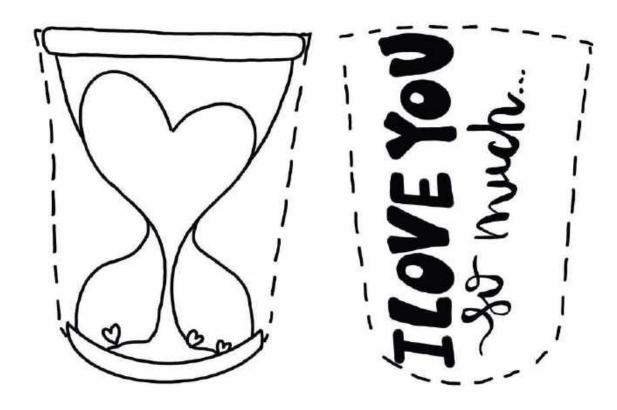
Project Cost: \$2-\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes





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# LOVE BUG Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Oval plate

Pattern

Tissue paper

Pencil

Sharpie marker

Small and medium round brushes



# **Glaze Colors**

Yellow, Red, Pink, Dark Pink, Peach, Golden Yellow, Black, Gray, Pale Blue, White Writer bottle in Golden Yellow

# **Directions**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.) Do not trace the lettering onto the plate yet.
- 2. Paint the car with 3 coats of Yellow.
- 3. Paint the heart balloons with 1–2 coats of Red, Pink, Dark Pink, and Peach, alternating colors and overlapping some of the hearts.
- 4. Using a small brush, outline the car, fenders, and door with 1 coat of Golden Yellow.
- 5. Paint the tires with 2 coats of Black. Paint the inside of the tires and the door handle with 2–3 coats of Gray.
- 6. Paint the background of plate Pale Blue.
- 7. Paint the windows 1 coat of White, painting over the heart balloons.
- 8. Trace the lettering onto the car using the tissue paper technique. Fill in the letters with a Golden Yellow writer bottle. Allow to dry.
- 9. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

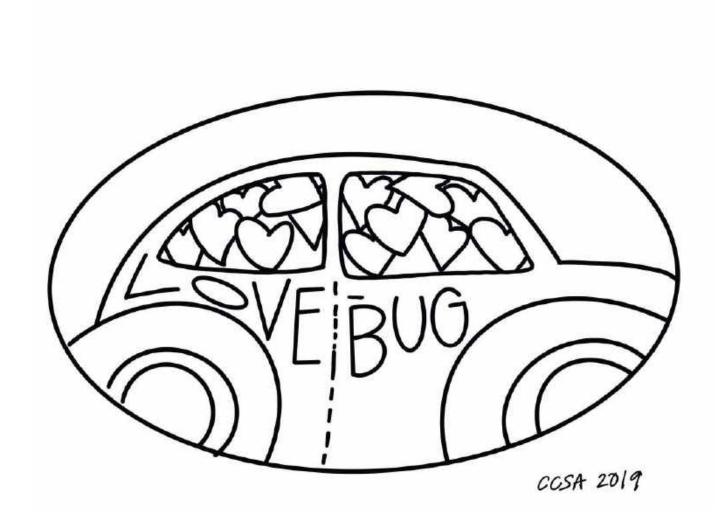
**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes



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# WAFFLE LOTTA LOVE Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Salad plate

Pattern Tissue paper Pencil

Sharpie marker

Small and medium round brushes

# **Glaze Colors**

Yellow, Pink, Golden Yellow Writer bottles in Golden Yellow, Cream



- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Paint the heart shape with 2 coats of Yellow.
- 3. Paint the syrup/frosting drips with 2 coats of Pink.
- 4. If the pattern of waffle squares does not show through the Yellow, lightly sketch squares in rows.
- 5. Using a Golden Yellow writer bottle, make the lines of the squares.
- 6. Using a Cream writer bottle, add sprinkles on the pink area.
- 7. Fill in the letters with a Golden Yellow writer bottle.
- 8. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes





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# YOU STOLE A PIZZA MY HEART Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Coupe plate
Pattern
Tissue paper
Sharpie
Small and medium round brushes

### **Glaze Colors**

Tan, Red, Yellow, Bright Light Blue, Bright Light Green Writer Bottles in Black, Red, Coral, Taupe, Green

## **Directions**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.) Don't trace the letters yet.
- 2. Paint the crust with 2-3 coats of Tan.
- 3. Water down Red and paint the "sauce" with 1 coat.
- 4. Water down Yellow and paint the "cheese" with 1 coat.
- 5. For the background, paint 2-3 coats around the heart shape about 1" out in Bright Light Blue.
- 6. Dip the same brush into water and then Bright Light Green, and blend from the painted blue area to the edge of the plate.
- 7. Reposition the tissue paper tracing and transfer the lettering to the plate. Fill in with a Black writer bottle.
- 8. Using a Red writer bottle, paint the pepperoni heart shapes. Add dots on to these with a Coral writer bottle.
- 9. Use a Taupe writer bottle to add mushrooms.
- 10. Use a Black writer bottle for the olives.
- 11. Use a Green writer bottle for green peppers.
- 12. Outline the pizza heart with a Black writer bottle.
- 13. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3
Project Time: 90 minutes





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# HONEY BEE MINE Board Art Painting Project

# **Supplies**

14"x14" wood plank pallet Pattern Graphite paper Sharpie Baby wipes Assorted brushes

# **Acrylic Colors**

Light Yellow, White, Black, Red

# **Directions**

- 1. Place the board with the planks running vertically. Trace the design onto the pallet using graphite paper.
- 2. Wipe Light Yellow over the entire surface with a baby wipe to create a wash background.
- 3. Paint a few of the honeycomb shapes a solid Light Yellow.
- 4. Using a small brush, paint the honeycomb pattern White.
- 5. Paint the bee details Black, including lines of hearts for the stripes. Paint the wings White.
- 6. Paint a heart where the bees come together.
- 7. Using a small brush, paint the lettering Black.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$5-\$7
Project Time: 90 minutes





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# KISS ME I'M IRISH PLANK Board Art Painting Project

# Supplies

Wood pallet plank, 6"x12"
Pattern
Graphite paper
Pencil
Assorted brushes
Sponge dotters, small and large
Sharpie

# **Acrylic Colors**

White, Dark Green, Light Green, Bright Yellow, Black

## **Directions**

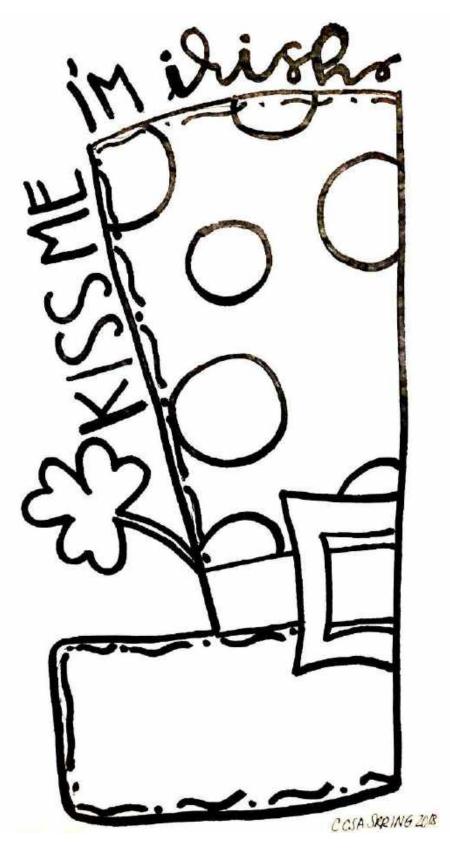
- 1. Trace the outline of the hat onto the wood using graphite paper.
- 2. Paint the background with 2–3 coats of White.
- 3. Paint the hat with 2–3 coats of Dark Green.
- 4. Sketch clover onto the white painted area: 3 hearts connected and a line for the stem. Using a small brush, paint the clover with 2 coats of Light Green.
- 5. Using sponge dotters, add Light Green polka dots on the top of the hat. Let dry.
- 6. Add a buckle and hat band to the hat. Paint the buckle Bright Yellow and the band Black.
- 7. Trace the lettering around the hat using graphite paper. Using a small brush with Black paint or a Sharpie marker, fill in the letters and add squiggles around the edge of the hat.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$1-\$2
Project Time: 90 minutes









# GNOMIE LOVE CHARGER Pottery Painting Project

This project can easily be personalized or customized.

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Square coupe charger

Pattern Tissue paper Pencil Sharpie

Small and medium brushes

## **Glaze Colors**

Pink, Dark Pink, Maroon, Red, White, Light Tan, Tan Writer bottle in White, Red, Dark Pink, Black

### **Directions**

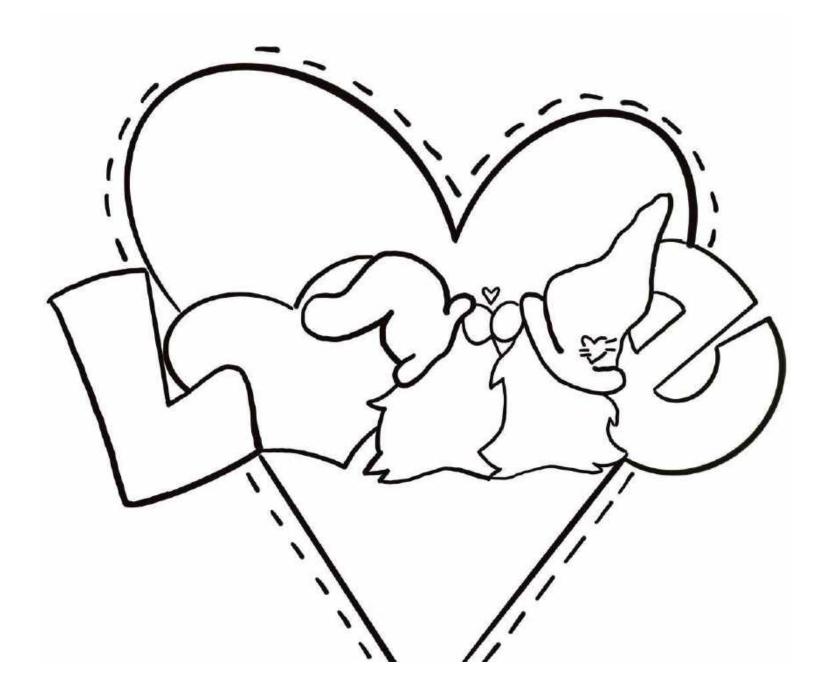
- 1. Using a pencil, trace the pattern onto tissue paper. Position the tissue tracing onto the plate and retrace the pattern with a Sharpie. The marker will bleed through the tissue paper, transferring the design to the bisque.
- 2. Paint the background heart with 1–2 coats of slightly watered-down Pink.
- 3. Paint the smaller heart with 3 coats of Dark Pink.
- 4. Paint the letters L and E with 3 coats of Maroon.
- 5. Paint the gnome hats with 2 coats of Red. Be sure to paint around the small heart on the gnome hat on the right.
- 6. Paint the beards with 1-2 coats of White.
- 7. Paint one gnome nose with 2 coats of Light Tan. Paint the other nose with 2 coats of Tan.
- 8. Using writer bottles or a small brush, add design details. Paint White "v" hearts on the left hat and a Red "v" heart above the noses. Remove the writer bottle tip and add dashes around the background heart. With a Black writer bottler, outline the letters and gnomes and the heart on the right hat. Let dry.
- 9. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$4-\$5 Project Time: 90 minutes









# LOVE IS IN THE AIR BOWL Pottery Painting Project Project can easily be adapted to other pottery shapes

# **Supplies**

Bisque: 8" Shallow Bowl Pattern (2 copies) Tissue paper Pencil

Sharpie Scissors Sponge

Small and medium brushes

## **Glaze Colors**

White, Peach, Black, Light Pink, Medium Pink, Red, Light Teal Blue, Gray Writer bottle in Black

### **Directions**

- 1. Using a pencil, trace the pattern onto tissue paper. Position the tissue tracing onto the plate and retrace the pattern with a Sharpie. The marker will bleed through the tissue paper, transferring the design to the bisque.
- 2. Cut out the different shapes of the pattern. (Because some of the shapes overlap, you'll need to use 2 copies of the pattern.)
- 3. Paint the penguin heart face cutout with a thick coat of White. Press it paint side down over the outline on the bisque and smooth out the bubbles.
- 4. Paint the hand and feet cutouts with Peach and press in place on the bisque, smoothing out the bubbles.
- 5. Paint the penguin body cutout with a thick coat of Black and position on the design on top of the heart cutout, smoothing out the bubbles.
- 6. Paint the heart cutouts (balloons) Light Pink and Medium Pink and place on the appropriate hearts on the bisque. Smooth out the bubbles.
- 7. Once all the papers are in position, sponge 2 coats of Light Teal over the whole inside of the bowl.
- 8. Remove the paper cutouts. With a small brush, add Gray balloon strings.
- 9. Paint the beak with 3 coats of Peach.
- 10. Outline the penguin face, feet, hands, and body with a Black writer bottle or small brush. Paint Black dots for eyes. Let dry.
- 11. Clear glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes



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# MAKE EVERY DAY EARTH DAY DISH Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: 8" shallow bowl/dish

Pattern

Tissue paper

Contact paper

Sharpie

Scissors

Sponge

Aluminum foil

Shaving cream

Foil

Small and medium brushes



# **Glaze Colors**

Green, Dark Blue, Bright Blue, Red, White, Midnight Blue, Yellow Writer bottle in Black

# **Directions**

- 1. Using a pencil, trace the pattern onto tissue paper. Position the tissue tracing onto the contact paper and retrace the heart and clouds with a Sharpie. The marker will bleed through the tissue paper, transferring the design. (Do not trace the lettering yet.)
- 2. Cut out the heart and cloud shapes from the contact paper. Place these stickers on the inside of the bowl. Run a finger along the edge of the stickers to ensure they have adhered properly.
- 3. Lay out a sheet of foil a little bigger than the bowl. Spray out a thin coat of shaving cream on the foil, enough to cover the inside of the bowl. Smooth out the shaving cream.
- 4. Drop Green, Dark Blue, and Bright Blue paint all over the shaving cream. With the back end of a paintbrush, swirl the colors around to ensure that the shaving cream areas are covered with color.
- 5. Turn the bowl upside down and place on top of the colored shaving cream. Slide a hand under the foil and flip the bowl over, gently pressing the foil down into the center of the bowl. Continue pressing foil over the whole inside of the bowl.
- 6. Remove the foil. Gently rinse off the excess shaving cream with water and a sponge. Let dry.
- 7. Peel off the stickers. Paint the heart with 3 coats of Red. Paint the clouds with 2- coats of white.
- 8. Position the tissue tracing in the bowl and trace the lettering with a Sharpie. Fill in the letters with a Black writer bottle
- 9. Paint the outside of the bowl with 3 coats of Midnight Blue. Add White dots for stars. Paint the bottom with 3 coats of Yellow for the moon. Let dry.
- 10. Clear glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3
Project Time: 90 minutes







# PIES BEFORE GUYS DISH Pottery Painting Project

This is a great Galentine's Day project. Or use other quotes for different occasions: YOU WANT A PIECE OF ME? I'M HERE FOR THE PIE NICE AS PIE YOU'RE THE APPLE TO MY PIE SWEET AS PIE

# **Supplies**

Bisque: 8" shallow bowl/dish

Pattern

Tissue paper

Pencil

Sharpie

Scissors

Sponge

Small and medium brushes

# **Glaze Colors**

Cream, Light Yellow, Moss Green, Taupe, Salmon Pink, Tan, Pumpkin, Red, Writer bottles in White, Taupe, Salmon Pink

# **Directions**

- 1. Using a pencil, trace the pattern onto tissue paper. Position the tissue tracing onto the plate and retrace the pattern with a Sharpie. The marker will bleed through the tissue paper, transferring the design to the bisque.
- 2. Cut out the pie shape from the paper pattern.
- 3. Paint the bottom of the bowl with 1 coat of Cream. While still wet, place the pie cutout over the design. Press a damp sponge dipped in Cream along the edges of the paper to seal it to the bisque. Paint an additional coat of Cream over the paper and the inside of the dish out to the edge Let dry.
- 4. Slightly water down Light Yellow and paint 1–2 coats around the pie, like a halo, going about halfway up the sides of the dish.
- 5. Slightly water down Moss Green and paint the remaining areas to the rim of the bowl, slightly overlapping the Light Yellow. Apply an additional light coat of Light Yellow where it meets the Moss Green to blend.
- 6. Paint the outside of the dish with 2–3 coats of Taupe.
- 7. Peel off the paper pie shape. Be sure the pattern lines are still visible.
- 8. Paint the pie plate with 1 more coat of Cream. Let dry.
- 9. For the pie plate design, slightly water down Salmon Pink and paint the stripes. Over lap the stripes in the other direction to create a plaid effect.
- 10. Paint the crust with 3 coats of Tan, avoiding the heart cutouts. Paint the hearts with 3 coats of Red. With a small brush, add the scallops along the bottom of the crust, the lines around the hearts, and the outline around the edge of the pie in Pumpkin.
- 11. Paint the whip cream with 1–2 coats of White. With a White writer bottle, add swirls from top to bottom and outline the whip cream shape.
- 12. Outline the pie plate with a Taupe writer bottle or a small brush.
- 13. Add the lettering with a Salmon Pink writer bottle. Let dry.
- 14. Clear glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3 Project Time: 90 minutes









# SO GLAD I FOUND YOU MUG Pottery Painting Project

# **Supplies**

Bisque: Large Mug (Beer mug shown)

Pattern Tissue paper

Pencil Sharpie

Small and medium brushes

# **Glaze Colors**

White, Light Pink, Medium Pink, Red, Peach Writer bottles in Tan, Black

# **Directions**

- 1. Using a pencil, trace the pattern onto tissue paper. Position the tissue tracing on the mug and retrace the pattern with a Sharpie. The marker will bleed through the tissue paper, transferring the design to the bisque.
- 2. Paint the socks with 2-3 coats of White.
- 3. Pencil in other hears to hang from the clothespins. Paint the hearts with 3 coats of Light Pink, Medium Pink, Red, and Peach in any order.
- 4. Paint the red details on the socks.
- 5. Paint the handle with 3 coats of Red.
- 6. Paint the inside of the mug with 2-3 coats of Medium Pink.
- 7. Use a Tan writer bottle or a small brush for the clothespins.
- 8. Use a Black writer bottler or small brush to outline the socks and clothespins, and create the clothesline and lettering. Let dry.
- 9. Clear glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$2-\$3
Project Time: 90 minutes









# LOVE NOTES SHELF SITTER Board Art Painting Project

This pattern quote can easily be created on stencil material and used on board art project.

# **Supplies**

12"x6" wood plank (12"x6" cradled wood panel shown)

Pattern

Graphite paper

Pencil

Assorted brushes

Sharpie marker (optional)

# **Acrylic Colors**

Teal, White, Red, Tan, Dark Brown, Black

## **Directions**

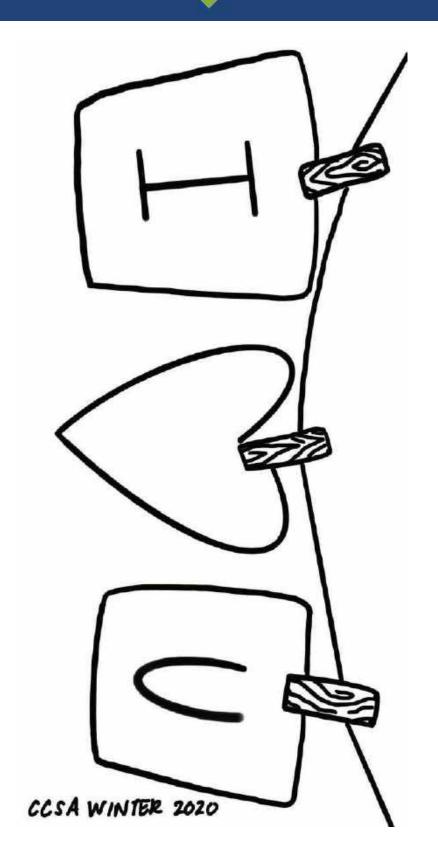
- 1. Trace the pattern onto the wood using graphite paper.
- 2. Mix Teal and a little White together and paint the background of the board.
- 3. Paint each of the two notes with 2 coats of White.
- 4. Paint the heart with 2 coats of Red.
- 5. Paint the clips Tan. Add the wood grain details and outlining in Dark Brown.
- 6. Paint the letters I and U and the clothesline string Black, or use a Sharpie marker.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$4-\$5
Project Time: 60 minutes



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# ETCHED IN LOVE PLAQUE Clay Project

# **Supplies**

Low-fire white clay with light grog
Pattern
Wooden skewer
Round brushes in assorted sizes
Picture of finished project as sculpting and painting guide

# **Glaze Colors or Acrylic Paint Colors**

Red, Maroon, Pink, Coral, White

# **Directions**

- 1. Roll out an 8"x8" clay slab,  $\frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{2}$ " thick.
- 2. Place the pattern on the slab. Using a skewer, trace the outline of heart to cut out. Also trace the design details on top of the paper to indent the design into the clay. Remove the pattern and smooth the edges. Poke hole on each side near the top for hanging later. Allow to dry.
- 3. If using glazes, paint with glazes and then fire to cone 06. Or fire to cone 04, then paint with glazes, then dip and fire to cone 06.
- 4. If using acrylic paints, fire to cone 04 or cone 06, then paint.

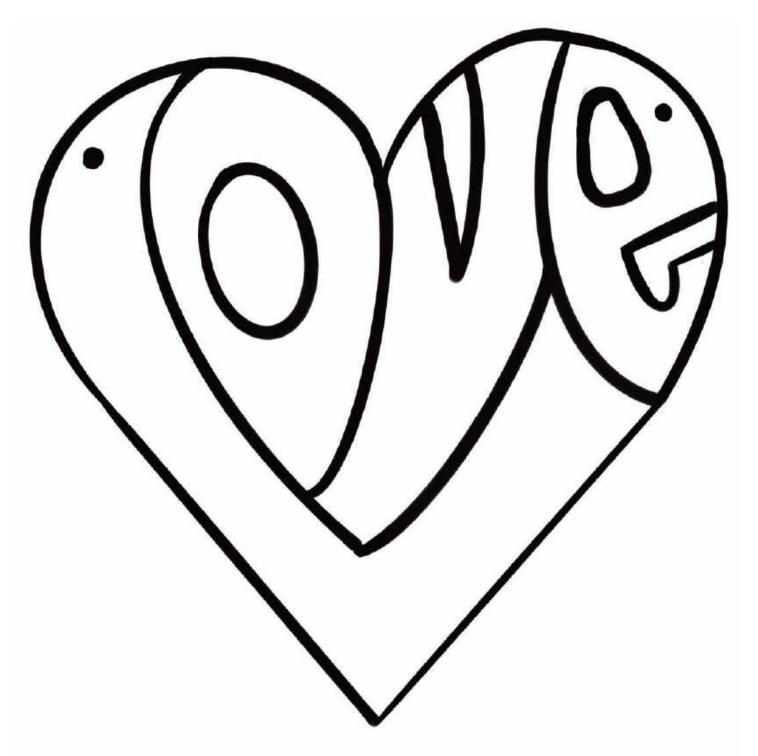
**Project Medium: Clay Hand Building** 

Project Cost: \$1-\$2

Project Time: 30 minutes for creating project; additional 30-45 minutes for painting







# PIECE OF MY HEART CANVAS

# **SUPPLIES**

12"x12" canvas
Pattern
Graphite transfer paper
Pen
Large flat canvas brush
Small and medium round brush

# **Acrylic Paint Colors**

Aqua Blue, Teal Blue, Taupe, Lime Green, Pink, Red , White



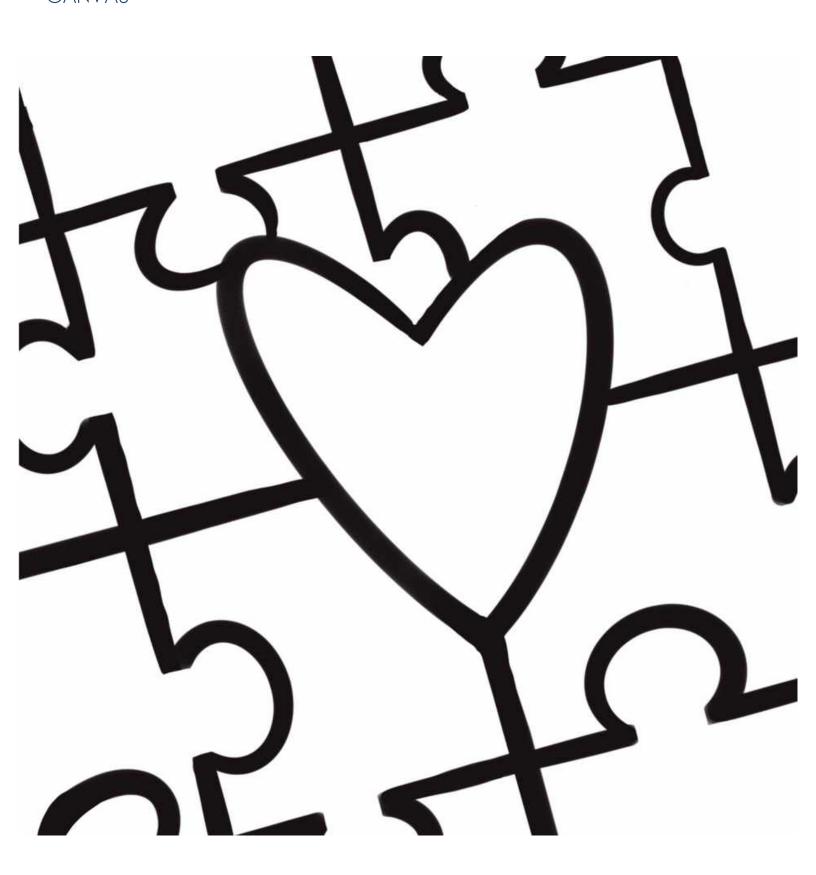
# **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Place pattern over the graphite transfer paper and trace onto the canvas.
- 2. Paint the puzzle pieces with solid coverage using all the colors except Red and White. Do not paint to the traced pattern line—leave a slight space around all the shapes.
- 3. Paint the heart with a solid coverage of Red.
- 4. Paint the spaces between the shapes with 3 coats of White; be sure to use enough coverage so the traced lines are no longer visible. Let dry.
- 5. Sign and date your masterpiece.

Project Medium: Canvas Painting

Project Time: 90 minutes

# PIECE OF MY HEART





# **SUPPLIES**

Bisque: 8" rectangular platter

Pattern

Tissue paper

Pencil

Sharpie marker

Small and medium round brushes

Liner brush



Salmon Pink, Black Writer bottles in Black, Salmon Pink



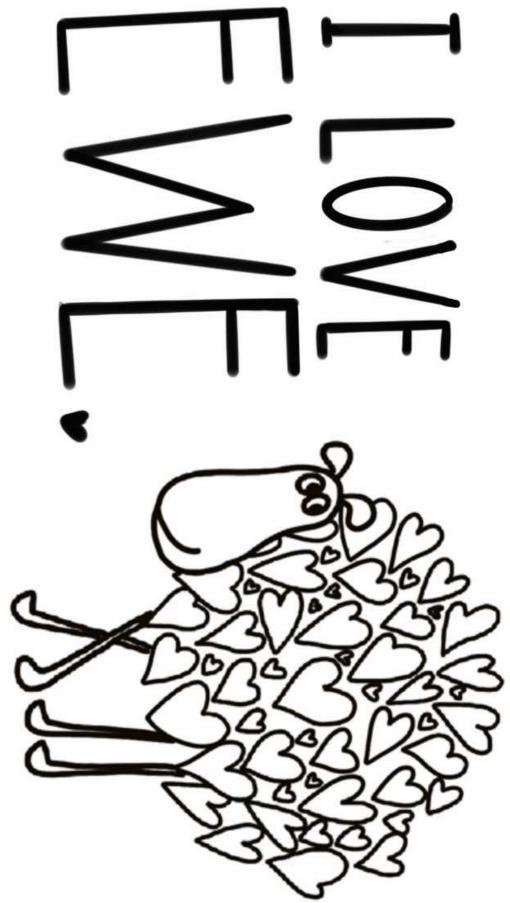
# **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Paint the hearts with 2–3 coats of Salmon Pink.
- 3. Paint the head and legs with 2–3 coats of Black.
- 4. Fill in "I" and "EWE" with a Black writer bottle.
- 5. Fill in "LOVE" with a Salmon Pink writer bottle.
- 6. Use a writer bottle or small brush to add a dashed stitched line in Black around the border of the platter.
- 7. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

Project Medium: Pottery Painting

Project Time: 90 minutes

LOVE EWE POTTERY



# LOVE IS A FOUR-LEGGED WORD

# **SUPPLIES**

Bisque: Large mug
Pattern
Tissue paper
Pencil
Sharpie marker
Small and medium round brushes
Liner brush

# **Glaze Colors**

Pink, Cream, Red, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Teal Blue, Black Writer bottle Black, Pink

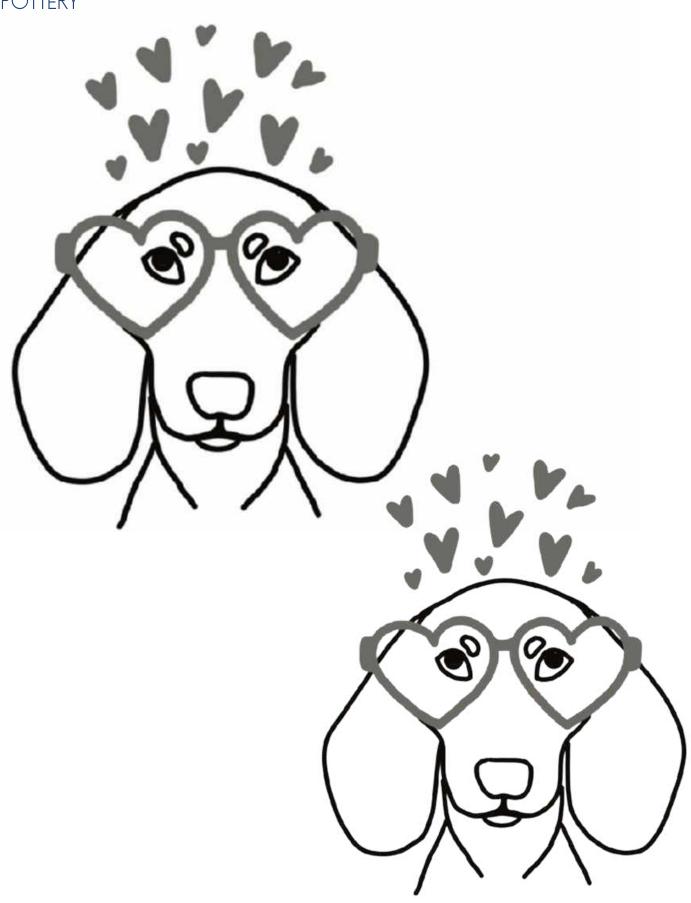


## **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. With messy brushstrokes, paint 1 coat of Pink all over the outside of the mug. Using the same technique, paint 1 coat of Cream over the Pink.
- 3. Paint the handle and the inside of the mug with 3 coats of Red.
- 4. With a liner brush, paint the dog face and neck with 2 coats of Light Gray. Add Dark Gray to the same brush and make quick brushstrokes following along the shape of the head, eyebrows, ears, snout, and neck of the dog.
- 5. Paint the pupils with 2 coats of Teal Blue.
- 6. Paint the nose and outline the body and features with a Black writer bottle.
- 7. Paint the glasses with 2-3 coats of Red.
- 8. Use a Pink writer bottle for the hearts above dog's head.
- 9. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

Project Medium: Pottery Painting Project Time: 90 minutes

# LOVE IS A FOUR-LEGGED WORD



# LOVE SIGNS

# **SUPPLIES**

Bisque: 8" rectangle platter

Pattern

Tissue paper

Pencil

Sharpie marker

Copy paper

Scissors

Fan brush

Small and medium round brushes

Liner brush

Sponge



White, Light Pink, Red, Black Writer bottle in Black



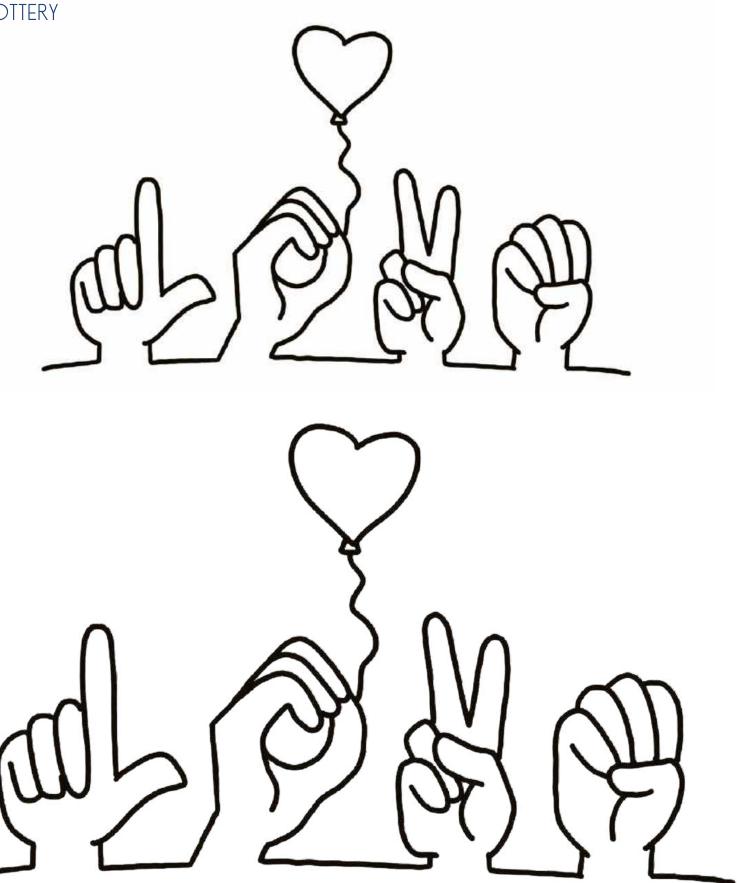
- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Paint 1 coat of White over the surface of the platter. Without rinsing brush, dip brush in Light Pink and paint from the top of edge to about one-third down, creating an ombre look. Rinse the brush, dip in White, and paint over where the Pink meets the White to blend the colors.
- 3. Paint the heart balloon with 2–3 coats of Red.
- 4. Using a liner brush or writer bottle, outline the hands with Black.
- 5. Paint the balloon string Black.
- 6. Paint a White highlight line at the edge of the heart balloon.
- 7. Sponge-paint the edge of the platter with 2 coats of Red.
- 8. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

Project Medium: Pottery Painting

Project Time: 90 minutes



LOVE SIGNS POTTERY



## SHAMROCK SNACK PLATE

**POTTERY** 

#### **SUPPLIES**

Bisque: Coupe salad plate

Pattern

Tissue paper

Pencil

Sharpie marker

Plain paper

Scissors

Fan brush

Small and medium round brushes

Liner brush



White, Dark Green, Light Green, Light Bright Blue Writer bottle in Black

#### **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design with a pencil. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Trace the shamrocks and square on plain paper and cut out.
- Paint a thick coat of White on the square cutout and place painted side down over the traced design on the plate.
- 4. Paint a thick coat of Dark Green on two of the shamrocks and place them painted side down near the square.
- 5. Paint a thick coat of Light Green on one shamrock and place it painted side down in the upper left-hand corner. Leave the paper cutouts in place for the next step.
- 6. Using a fan brush, paint the background of the plate with 2–3 coats of Light Bright Blue.
- 7. Once dry, remove the paper cutouts.
- 8. Using a liner or small detail brush, paint the inside edge of the square with 2–3 coats of Light Green.
- 9. Paint the border of the dark shamrocks with 2–3 coats of Light Green.
- 10. Paint the border of the light green shamrock with 2–3 coats of Dark Green.
- 11. Paint Dark Green dashes on the inside of the light green within the square.
- 12. Fill in the lettering with a Black writer bottle.
- 13. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

Project Medium: Pottery Painting

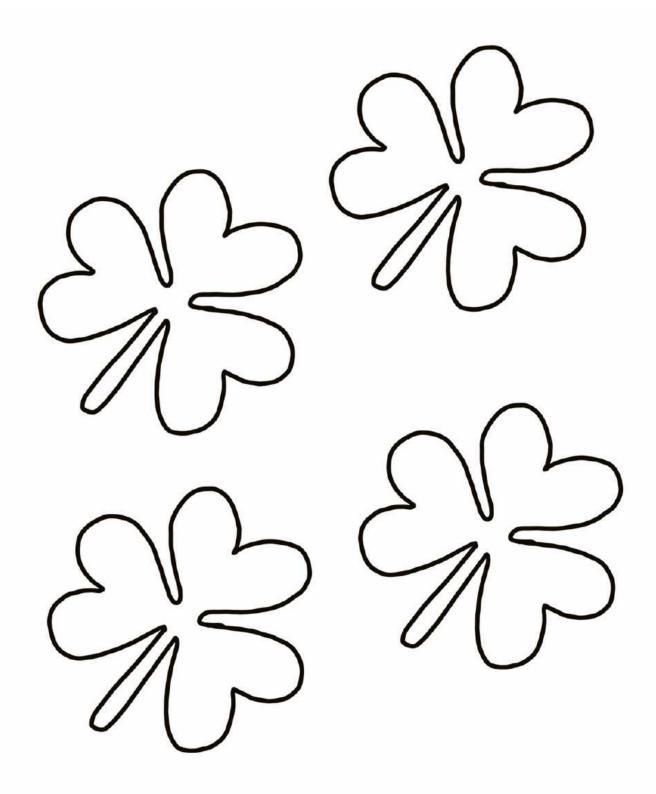
Project Time: 90 minutes

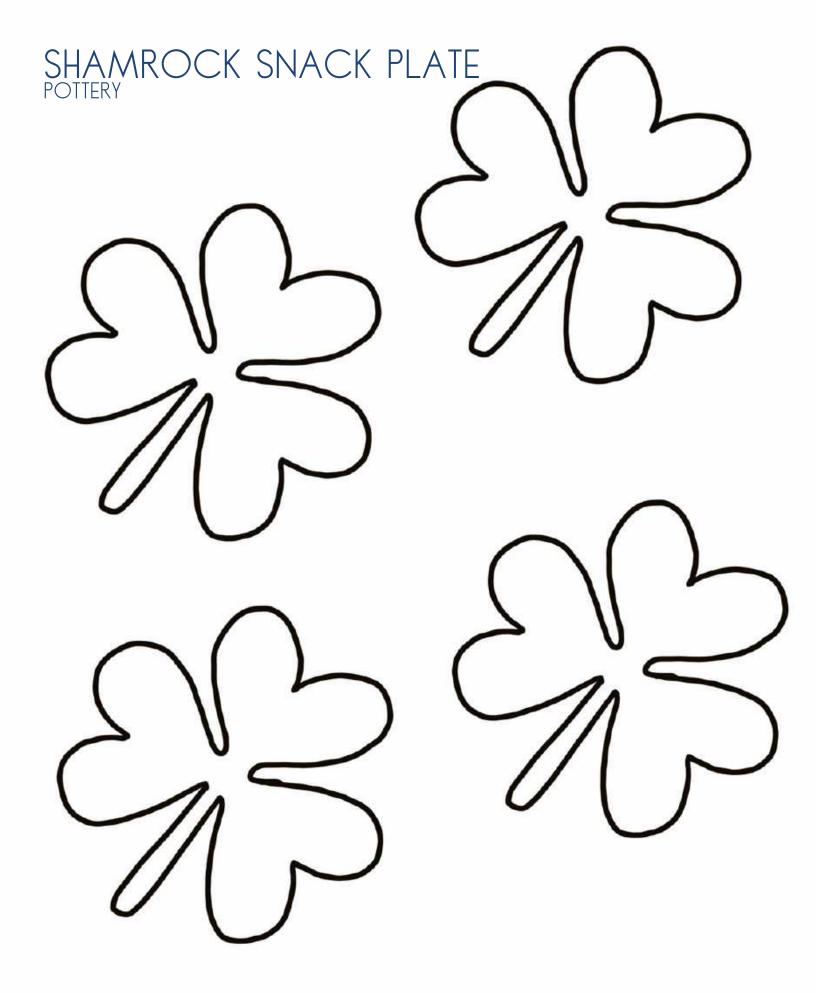


## SHAMROCK SNACK PLATE



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# 2021 Spring Project Guide.

#### CACTUS ACCESSORY BOARD

**Board Art Painting Project** 

#### **Supplies**

Wood plank, 12"x6"x1"
Pattern
Graphite paper
Pencil
Black Sharpie marker
Assorted brushes
1" finishing nails (3–4)
Hammer

#### **Acrylic Colors**

Green, Yellow, Coral

#### **Directions**

- 1. Trace the pattern onto the plank using the graphite paper.
- 2. Paint the cactus Green. Using the same brush, add Yellow and blend into the green for more dimension.
- 3. Paint the background Coral.
- 4. Paint small heart shapes in Yellow. Shade on top of the hearts with Coral. Let dry.
- 5. With a black Sharpie, outline the cactus with a sketchy line.
- 6. Hammer 3–4 nails in random areas of the cactus to hang jewelry or accessories on. Be sure the nail does not go through the back of the board.

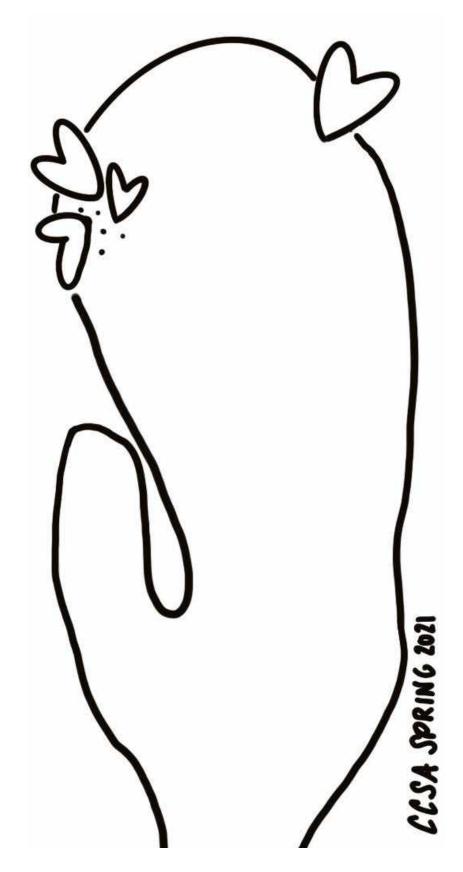
**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

Project Cost: \$1-\$2 Project Time: 60 minutes



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## **BAROQUE MY HEART PLATE**

#### POTTERY

#### **SUPPLIES**

Bisque: Coupe dinner plate
Pattern
Tissue paper
Pencil
Sharpie
Contact paper
Scissors
Fan brush
Thin and medium liner brushes

#### **GLAZE COLORS**

Cream, Red



#### **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Trace the heart shape onto contact paper. Cut out the shape and adhere it over the traced heart shape.
- 3. Add water to each color separately (Cream and Red) until watercolor consistency is achieved.
- 4. Use the fan brush to cover the entire background with Cream.
- 5. While still wet, slowly drip Red into the background area with a fan brush. Use the brush to push and manipulate the color until a marbling effect is achieved. Once dry around the edge of the sticker, remove the contact paper.
- 6. Paint the central design with 2–3 coats using both thin and medium liner brushes.
- 7. Using a small liner brush, outline the heart design with Red. Let dry.
- 8. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

**Project Time: 90 minutes** 

## **BAROQUE MY HEART**



## **FOAMY LOVE MUG**

#### POTTERY

#### **SUPPLIES**

Bisque: Large mug
Pattern
Tissue paper
Pencil
Sharpie
Small and medium round brushes
Large brush
Thin liner brush
Toothbrush



Dark Taupe, Cream, Red, Black Writer bottle: Cream



#### **DIRECTIONS**

- Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the outline of the design. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Paint 2 coats of Dark Taupe on the inside of the letter O. Paint a third heavy coat of Dark Taupe and before dries, use the thin liner brush to draw the outline of the biggest heart with Cream. As the brush drags, the colors should blend slightly. Paint smaller concentric hearts inside the large heart.
- 3. While the Cream is still wet, quickly place the liner brush at the top of the heart and drag down. The paint should still be wet enough to form a blended line.
- 4. Paint sketchy lines into the design with a Cream writer bottle, and add small groupings of dots around the hearts.
- 5. Use the thin liner brush to add 3 coats of Red in a circle around the O.
- 6. Using a large brush, paint 3 coats of Red inside the mug.
- 7. Use the thin liner brush to paint the cursive lettering with 2 coats of Black.
- 8. Use a wet toothbrush to fleck Red and Dark Taupe onto the mug. Let dry.
- 9. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

**Project Time: 90 minutes** 

## **FOAMY LOVE MUG**



## **HAPPY GO LUCKY PLATE**

### POTTERY

#### **SUPPLIES**

Bisque: Coupe salad plate Pattern Tissue paper Pencil Sharpie Small and medium round brushes

#### **GLAZE COLORS**

Bright Green, Red, Orange, Yellow, Medium Green, Blue, Deep Green

Writer bottle: Deep Green



#### **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the design. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Using a large brush, paint the background with 3 coats of Bright Green, avoiding the traced rainbow design.
- 3. Paint the rainbow with 3 coats of each color in the following order: Red, Orange, Yellow, Medium Green, and Blue.
- 4. Paint the shamrocks with 3 coats of Deep Green.
- 5. When design is dry, retrace the lettering onto the plate if needed. Fill in the lettering with a Deep Green writer bottle. Let dry.
- 6. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

**Project Time: 90 minutes** 

## **HAPPY GO LUCKY PLATE**



## **LOVE GNOTES VASE**

#### POTTERY

#### **SUPPLIES**

#### **GLAZE COLORS**

White, Tan, Red, Black Writer bottle: Black

#### **DIRECTIONS**

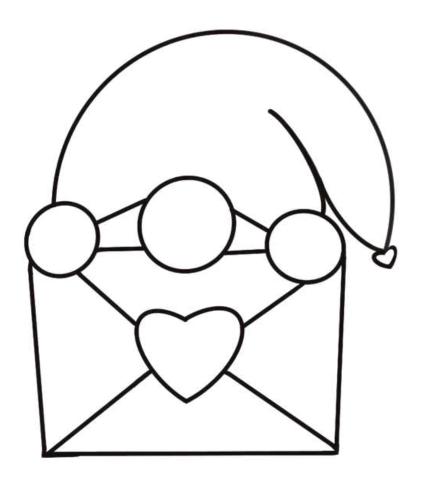
- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the outline design. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Paint the envelope with 3 coats of White.
- 3. Paint the face and hands with 3 coats of Tan.
- 4. Once the envelope is dry, use the thin liner brush to paint the heart in the middle with 3 coats of Red. Also paint the hat with 3 coats of Red.
- 5. For the hearts around the box, dip thumb into Red and place prints in a V shape to create heart shapes.
- 6. Once dry, add a Black outline around the gnome and envelope, and fill each thumbprint heart with a small black heart. Let dry.
- 7. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

**Project Time: 90 minutes** 



## **LOVE GNOTES VASE**



## **SWEET CAKE PLATE**

#### POTTERY

#### **SUPPLIES**

Bisque: Rim salad plate
Pattern
Tissue paper
Pencil
Sharpie
Small and medium round brushes
Thin liner brush

#### **GLAZE COLORS**

Red, Bright Green, Light Teal Blue Writer bottles: Bright Green, Red, Light Teal Blue



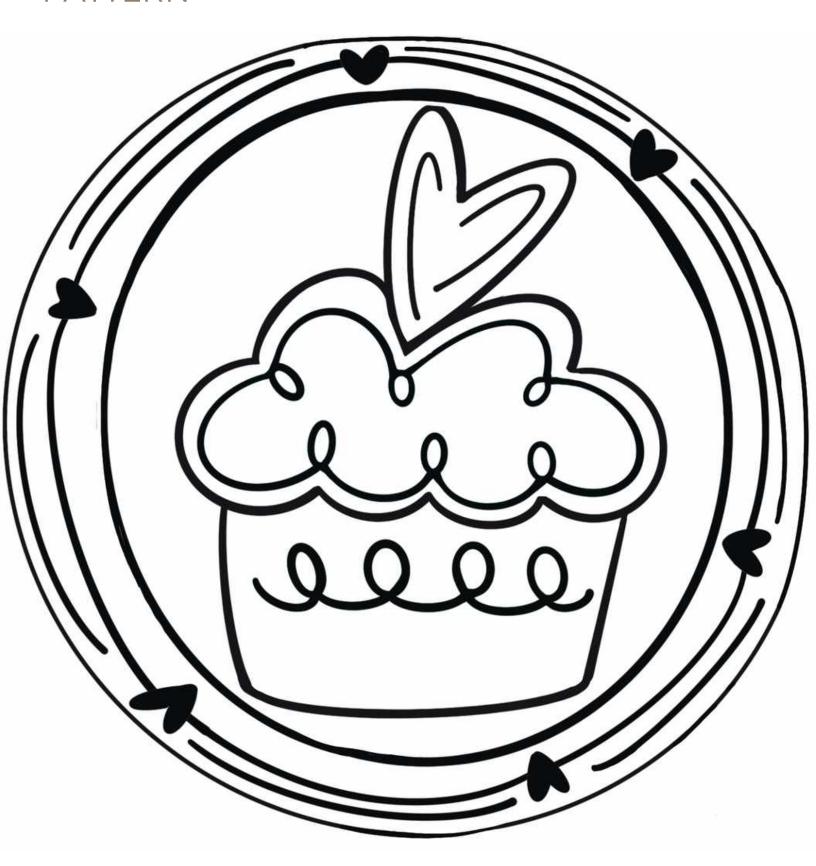
#### **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the outline design. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Paint the heart with 3 coats of Red.
- 3. Paint the cupcake wrapper with 3 coats of Bright Green.
- 4. Paint the frosting with 3 coats of Light Teal Blue.
- 5. With a Bright Green writer bottle, paint the line around the edge of the inside of the rim, or use a small brush to paint 3 coats.
- 6. While the cupcake dries, add sketchy lines around the rim with Red and Light Teal Blue writer bottles.
- 7. Paint the hearts and swirl details using the Red writer bottle. Let dry.
- 8. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

**Project Time: 90 minutes** 

## **SWEET CAKE PLATE**



## **XOXO BOWL**

#### **POTTERY**

#### **SUPPLIES**

Bisque: Tapered bowl Pattern Tissue paper Pencil Sharpie Sponge Thin liner brush

#### **GLAZE COLORS**

Pink, Red, Gray, Salmon



- 1. Place tissue paper over the pattern and trace the outline design. Position the tissue tracing on the bisque and retrace the design with a marker. (The marker will bleed through the tissue, transferring the design.)
- 2. Use the sponge to wipe 1 thin coat of Pink over the inside and outside of the bowl. Be sure to apply a very thin coat, as this color is used later on as well.
- 3. Use thumbprints to fill in the hearts, alternating between Pink, Red, Gray, and Salmon.
- 4. Paint in the XO, XO inside of the bowl with Red. Be sure to only paint in one line on the Xs.
- 5. Once dry, use watered down Black with a thin liner brush to outline the design and the letters. Add dashed lines to edge of bowl as well. Let dry.
- 6. Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

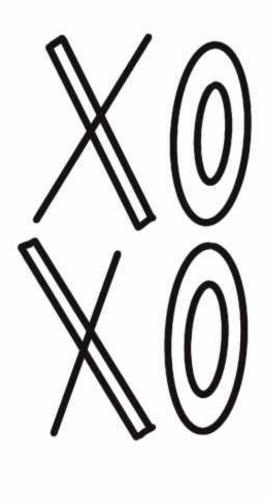
**Project Medium: Pottery Painting** 

**Project Time: 90 minutes** 



## **XOXO BOWL**







#### **SUPPLIES**

12"x12" canvas Pattern Graphite transfer paper Large flat canvas brush Small and medium round brush

#### **ACRYLIC PAINT COLORS**

White, Lime Green, Kelly Green, Dark Green

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Trace the pattern on the canvas using graphite paper.
- 2. Mix equal parts of White and Lime Green. Paint the background with a light coat, just enough to cover the canvas, avoiding the pattern lines.
- 3. Paint each clover section with the Dark Green down the center, Lime Green on the outside section, and Kelly Green on the other side.
- 4. Paint the stem Dark Green.
- 5. With a small brush, paint small dashes between the sections of the clover leaves with White.
- 6. Paint a solid line around the outside edge of each clover leaf.
- 7. Paint the center where the leaves meet with a solid dot of White. Let dry.
- 8. Sign and date your masterpiece.

**Project Medium: Canvas Painting** 

**Project Time: 90 minutes** 







## **CONVERSATION HEART DISH**

### CLAY

#### **SUPPLIES**

Low-fire white clay with light grog
Pattern
Wooden skewer
Water
Toothbrush
Round brushes in assorted sizes
Picture of finished project as sculpting and painting guide



#### **GLAZE COLORS OR ACRYLIC PAINT COLORS**

Pink, Red, White

#### **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Roll out 8"x8" slab about ¼-½" thick.
- 2. Trace the circular base and 12 heart shapes onto the slab. Cut out with the skewer. Smooth the edges.
- 3. To attach the hearts, begin with slightly tapping a heart cutout to create a flat edge. Score the edge with toothbrush dipped and water and attach to the edge of the base. Repeat this step until a heart ring is formed around the edge of the base. Continue to score and attach the remaining hearts on top of the bottom hearts to create a dish shape. Let dry.
- 4. If using glazes, paint with glazes and then fire to cone 06. Or fire to cone 04, then paint with glazes, then dip and fire to cone 06.
- 5. If using acrylic paints, fire to cone 04 or cone 06, then paint.

**Project Medium: Clay Hand Building** 

Project Cost: \$1-\$2

Project Time: 30 minutes for creating project; additional 30-45 minutes for painting

## **CONVERSATION HEART DISH**

