



Summer



Guide

Volume 3

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Hey there!

Happy 2016! Are you ready to make it the best year ever? Of course you are! Not sure where to start? Have no fear, your friends at Bisque Imports are here to help. Say hello to the third edition of our exclusive Summer Camp Guide. Yippee!

Within this guide, you'll find 20 fresh projects built to save you time and stress as you plan your Summer Camp and kids programs for the year. This year, we've taken it a step further to make your planning even easier. On the next page, you'll find a list of 50 products. And here's the best part: those 50 products (many of which you probably already have in your studio) are ALL you need to create the 20 projects in this guide! And to top it all off - we've revamped our project guides to include even more information than before - step by step photos, quantity estimates, and even a few tricks and tips. Can we get a heck yeah?!

We hope you enjoy these fun new projects as much as we enjoyed making them. But most of all, we hope that they bring you great success this year!

So that's it: 50 products, 20 projects. We're not sure it gets much simpler than that. At BI, we're here to make your life easier, and we hope this guide does just that.

Have fun, and happy planning!

Your friends,
The Bisque Imports Crew

Materials Guide

The 2016 Summer Camp Guide includes the following BI products:

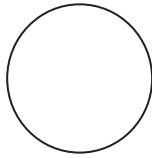
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CN502-8	Neon Blue	CF223-74-F-20	Peacock Green Opal Frit - Fine
CN504-8	Neon Orange	CF226.74F-20	Amazon Green Opalescent Frit - Fine
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FD254	Black Licorice	CF260.72F-20	Yellow Opalescent Frit - Fine
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BLS902-8	Apricot Stone	ST356	Wheel Mosaic Nipper
BLS904-8	Strawberry Field	ST540	Thinfire Paper
BLS919-8	Mermaid's Song	BIM275	Pitch Black Mosaic Tile 10 mm
BLS920-8	Limelicious	BIM321	Mirrored Square Mosaic Tile 20 mm
CR103	Blue	BIM574	Pastel Plum Smoothies
CR104	Yellow	BIM578	White Smoothies
CR105	Red	BIM586	Deep Purple Smoothies
CR107	Black	BIM588	Teal Smoothies
CR108	Orange	BIM591	Grass Green Smoothies
100	Coupe Salad	BIM70212-0002	White Grout 1 lb.
224	Sundae Bowl	BIM72946-0006	Weldbond 8 oz.
952	6" Square Tile	BIM8009	Square Plaque - Sm
1251	Peace Sign Box	BIM8105	Monster Plaque
1878	Small Rising Star	8006	3/4" Decorative Stickies Assortment
2315	Message Me	8013	Art Tape Assortment
2411	Party Plate Buddy	AA5155	Canvas Stretched 12"x12" Value Pack
9700	6" Curly Letter Set		

New for this year:

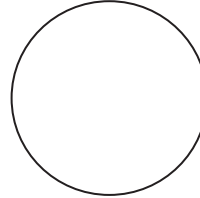
Each project guide will include a "Materials Guide" box. These are meant to help you estimate just how much product you will need for each project, and how for each product will go. We hope this helps to streamline your planning and ordering process.

Painting Guide

PENNY-SIZED DROP



QUARTER-SIZED DROP



PEPPERONI-SIZED
DROP



OREO-SIZED
DROP



SAND DOLLAR-SIZED
DROP





Party Animal

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Calling all party animals! This project features a fun bubble wrap technique to create textured animal print - how cool is that?!

MATERIALS

- 2411 Party Plate Buddy
- CN074-8 Really Red
- CN253-8 Dark Black
- CN501-8 Neon Yellow
- CN502-8 Neon Blue
- CN504-8 Neon Orange

SUPPLIES

- Assorted Paintbrushes
- Bubble Wrap
- Detail Brush
- Water
- Water-based Marker

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Lightly wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.
2. Paint the plate with 3 coats of Neon Yellow. Let dry.



3. Generously coat a large piece of bubble wrap - similar in size to the bisque plate - with Neon Orange. Once coated, immediately press the painted bubble wrap onto the plate surface, then lift to reveal texture! Repeat as desired, then allow paint to dry.



This technique can be used in so many ways! Easily create the look of bubbles, snow, tree leaves, and honeycomb. Feeling extra wild? Try using bubble wrap to create a textured turtle shell, snakeskin, or fun fish or dragon scales!

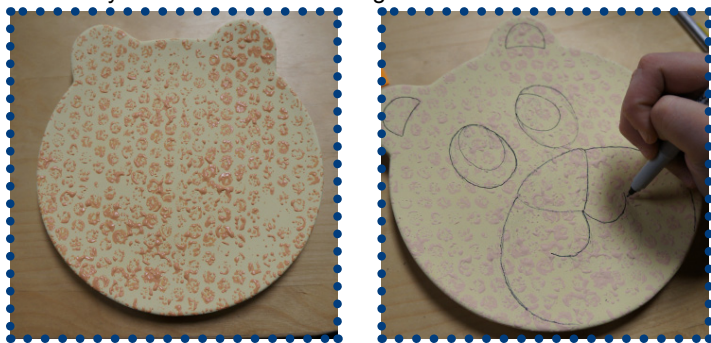


Money Saving Tip:

Think outside the paint brush! Experiment with studio supplies already on hand to create different kinds of texture! Repurpose sponges, toothbrushes, string, and plastic wrap as fun, unique painting tools for painters.

Party Animal Continued

4. Once dry, use a water-based marker to sketch the animal design. Recreate the cheetah design using the provided template, or create your own fun animal design.



5. Use an assortment of underglaze colors to paint your animal design.

6. To recreate this project, paint the inner ears and the lower face shape - around the mouth and nose - with 3 coats of Neon Orange. Let dry.

7. Paint the outer area of the eyes with 3 coats of Neon Blue.



8. Fill in the mouth with 3 coats of Really Red.



9. Fill in the inner circle of each eye with 2-3 coats of Dark Black, leaving a small accent dot within each eye unpainted. Use the same color to fill in the nose shape.

10. Using a detail brush and 2-3 coats of Dark Black, outline and accent your animal design as desired. Let dry.



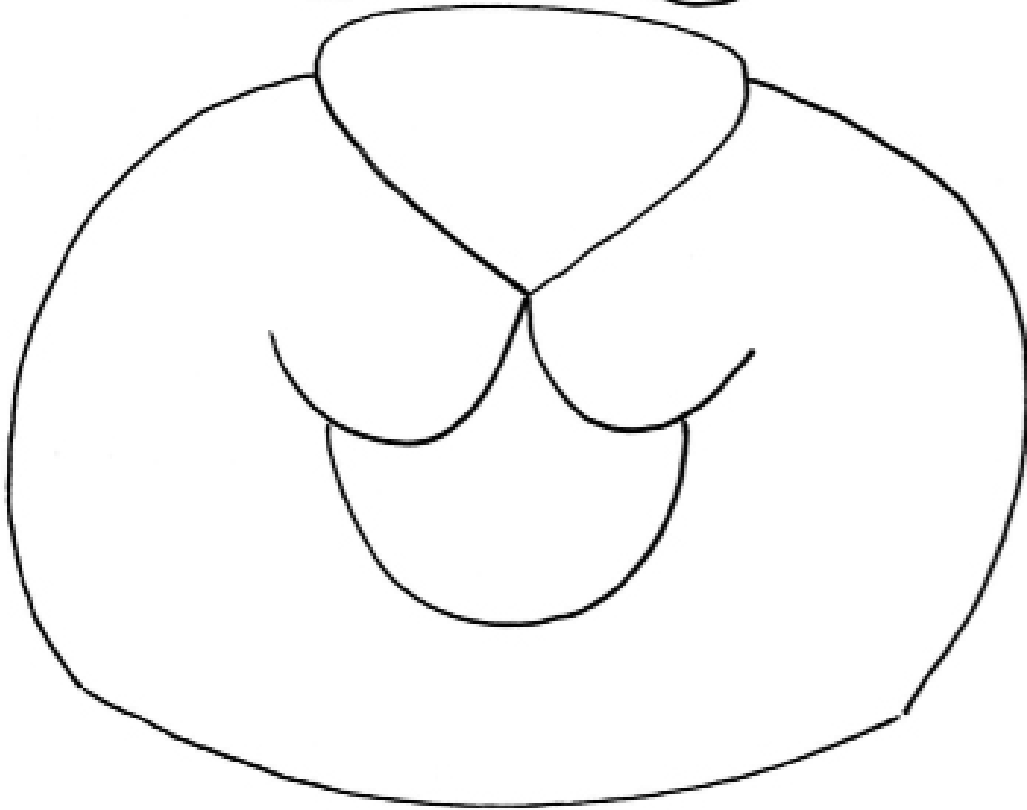
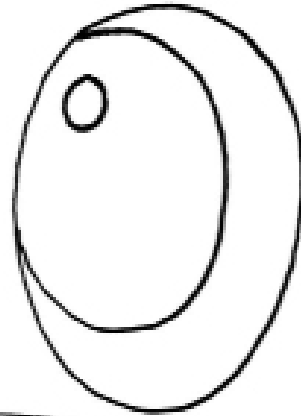
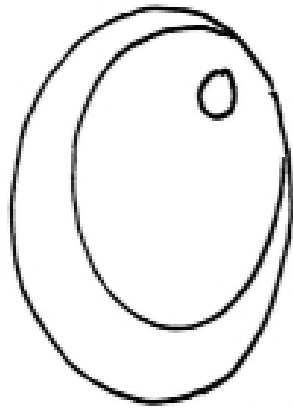
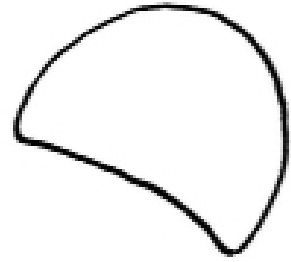
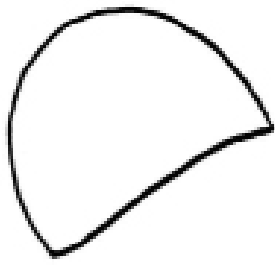
11. Using a small brush and Dark Black, transform the bubble wrap texture into cheetah print by adding accents around the scattered impressions. For a more natural look, vary the look of each accent mark.



12. Once complete, allow project to dry then dip in Pure Brilliance and fire to Cone 06.

Materials Guide

- 2411 - 1 per project
- CN074-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects
- CN253-8 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects
- CN501-8 - 1 sand dollar-sized drop yields 50 projects
- CN502-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects
- CN504-8 - 1 sand dollar-sized drop yields 50 projects





High Five!

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

With no cutting required, younger campers will have fun creating their own fused glass handprints. Parents and kids alike will love the final results.

MATERIALS

- BCASSTO-20 Buffalo Chip Assortment (Opal)
- BCASSTT-20 Buffalo Chip Assortment (Transparent)
- GBS6-100 6" Square Clear Transparent
- ST540 Thinfire Paper

SUPPLIES

- Black Sharpie Marker
- Elmer's Clear Gel Glue
- Silver Sharpie
- Toothpick

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Trace handprint on the 6" clear base with a black Sharpie.



2. Using an assortment of Buffalo Chips, fill in the traced handprint shape in a mosaic-like fashion.



3. As the handprint shaped is filled, secure glass components in place with pinpoints of Elmer's gel glue.

Encourage campers to create a pattern with Buffalo Chips - such as stripes, swirls, or concentric color circles - when filling in their handprint outline.



High Five! Continued

4. Using an assortment of Buffalo Chips, create a border around the project edge. As you work, secure in place with Elmer's gel glue and allow project to dry.

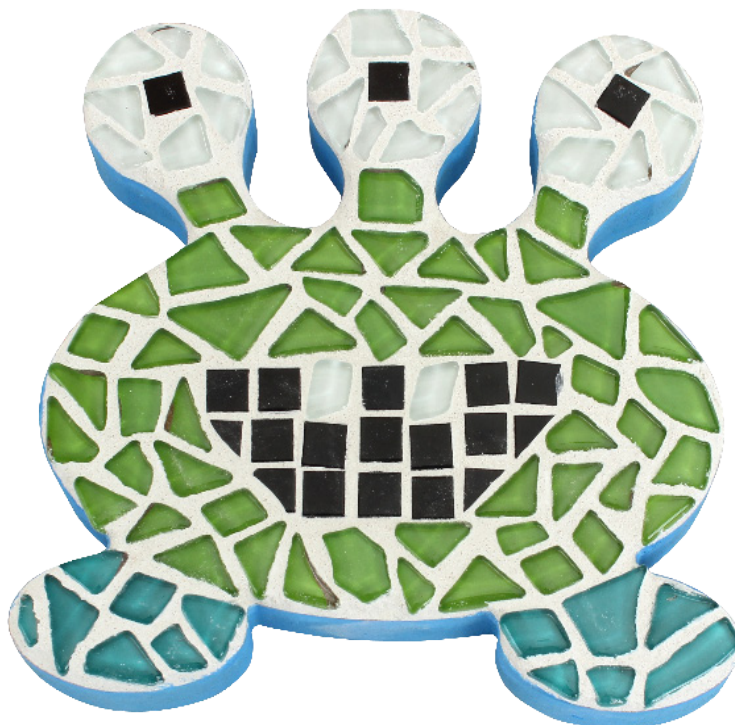


Materials Guide
 BCASSTO-20 - 2 oz. yields 10 projects
 BCASSTT-20 - 2 oz. yields 10 projects
 GBS6-100 - 1 per project
 ST540 - 7" square sheet yields 40 projects

5. Write the camper's name with a Silver Sharpie on the Thinfire Paper. Position completed project on the Thinfire and transfer to kiln. Contour fuse using the provided firing schedule:

Seg:	Ramp	Temp	Hold
1	300	1000	.30
2	350	1380-1395	.10
3	9999	1050	.60
4	250	800	.10

Money Saving Tip:
 Provide a nice variety of glass components for campers to work with. By buying assorted jars of Buffalo Chips in bulk, you'll be able to provide design flexibility on a budget.



Little Monsters

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Let your imagination “rawr!” with this monster-ific mosaic project!

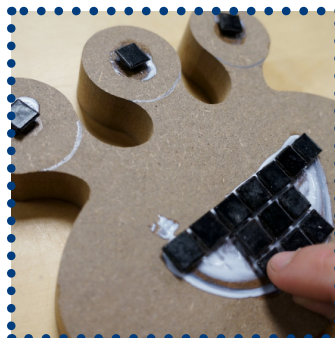
Money Saving Tip:
Order grout in the 1 pound size to save up to \$1.00 per camper!
(covers 4-6 projects depending on size)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Sketch your unique monster design with a pencil, or recreate the design shown in sample.



2. Using Weldbond as adhesive, fill in the mouth and the center of each eye with Pitch Black tiles. If desired, add two White Smoothies to the mouth area to create teeth.



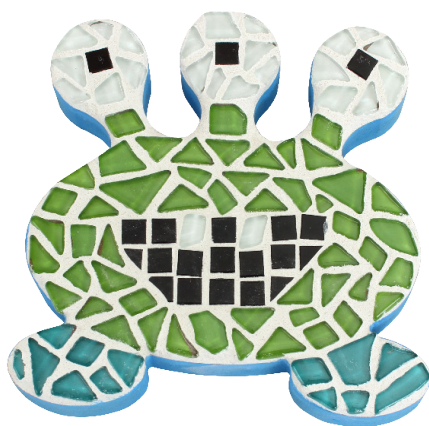
TIP: If needed, nip tiles into smaller pieces using a Wheel Mosaic Nipper!

MATERIALS

- BIM275 Pitch Black Mosaic Tiles 10 mm
- BIM578 White Smoothies
- BIM588 Teal Smoothies
- BIM591 Grass Green Smoothies
- BIM70212-0002 White Grout
- BIM72946-0006 Weldbond
- BIM8105 Monster Plaque
- CR103 Blue
- ST356 Wheel Mosaic Nipper (optional)

SUPPLIES

- Latex Gloves
- Paintbrush
- Paper Towels
- Pencil
- Plastic Spoon (to mix grout)
- Q-Tips
- Small Disposable Bowl (for grout mix)
- Water



Little Monsters Continued

- 3. Adhere White Smoothies to fill in the rest of each eye.
- 4. Adhere Grass Green Smoothies to fill in the body.
- 5. Fill in the feet with Teal Smoothies.



6. Let your mosaic project dry until all tiles are securely in place. Once dry, follow the grouting instructions to grout your project using White grout.



7. Once grouted, paint the edges with Blue or another acrylic color of your choice.



Materials Guide

- BIM275 - approx. 20 tiles yields 25 projects
- BIM578 - approx. 25 tiles yields 16 projects
- BIM588 - approx. 15 tiles yields 30 projects
- BIM591 - approx. 50 tiles yields 8 projects
- BIM70212-0002 - 1 lb. bag covers approx. 5 projects
- BIM72946-0006 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects
- BIM8105 - 1 per project
- CR103 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects
- ST356 - optional

Tips for stress and mess free grouting with campers:

1. Mix your grout to a thin peanut butter consistency in a large mixing bowl.
2. Have the table and work area prepared with trash bags or a disposable table cloth.
3. Walk around the table and dispense a small dollop of grout onto each camper's project.
4. Instruct the campers to quickly smooth the grout into the areas between tiles. The final result should fill in all the spaces, while the tiles are all still visible under a thin cloudy layer. Don't forget to wipe the sides of the mosaic with a thin layer of grout, too!
5. Allow to dry for a few minutes (the next step is easier if the grout is still a little wet!)
6. Give each camper a damp sponge so they can wipe the grout off the top of the tiles. Since the grout isn't dry, don't focus on removing the cloudiness but the grit of the grout at this step.
7. Set projects aside and allow to completely dry. Wrap up tablecloth and throw away.
8. Optional last step: spritz a paper towel with glass cleaner. Polish each tile to remove any cloudiness.



Swirly Daze

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Kids will have a blast with this shaving cream technique. Easily create the look of waves, swirls, or tie dye!

MATERIALS

9700 6" Curly Letter Set
CR103 Blue
CR104 Yellow
CR105 Red
CR107 Black
CR108 Orange

SUPPLIES

Assorted Paintbrushes
Paper Towel
Pencil
Shaving Cream
Saran Wrap (for easy clean-up)
Squeegee or other flat object for smoothing cream
Water

Unlike water soluble glazes, acrylics can stain clothes. Have smocks available for campers and be sure to let them know! If a mess occurs, quickly run the area under warm soapy water. For easy cleanup, place kraft paper or newsprint on the table before painters begin. This reduces mess and keeps your tables clean!

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Lightly wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.
2. Dispense shaving cream onto a flat, easy-to-clean surface. Dispense enough to fill an area slightly larger than the letter. Smooth with a flat object. For a funkier look, you can leave the shaving cream as is.
3. Dispense small amounts of Red, Yellow, and Orange directly onto the shaving cream. Feel free to experiment with more colors!
4. Using the end of a paintbrush, gently swirl the paints into each other, being careful not to muddle the color.



5. Firmly press the letter into the shaving cream mixture. Twist the piece or reapply to add greater texture. Once done, gently lift the letter.
6. Using a small amount of water, gently rinse off the shaving cream to reveal your funky design. Be careful not to soak the bisque piece. Now, let your piece dry completely.



Swirly Daze Continued



7. Sketch swirls on the letter with a pencil. Then, with 3 coats of Blue, paint the swirls to create the look of tie-dye.



8. Mix a quarter-sized drop of Yellow with a single droplet of Blue to create green. Use 3 coats of this color to accent the tie dye swirls. Let dry.



9. Use Black to add peace sign designs, or other unique designs to your tie dye letter. Allow project to dry completely.

Materials Guide

9700 - 1 Letter per project

CR103 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects

CR104 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects

CR105 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects

CR107 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 400 projects

CR108 Orange - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects



Going Wild

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

With so many possibilities, parents and campers alike will delight in this fun animal handprint project!

MATERIALS

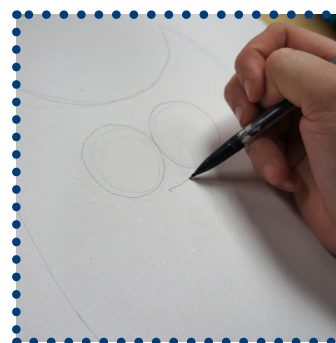
- AA5155 Canvas Stretched 12"x12"
- CR103 Blue
- CR104 Yellow
- CR105 Red
- CR107 Black
- CR108 Orange

SUPPLIES

- Assorted Paintbrushes
- Detail Brush
- Pencil
- Water

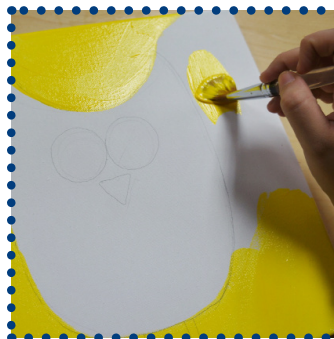
INSTRUCTIONS

1. Sketch your animal design with a pencil.



2. Paint the background with 1-2 coats of Yellow, or your choice of acrylic paint. Let dry.

3. Once dry, sketch your background the design.



Looking for other fun hand and foot print ideas? Try creating a footprint rocket ship, a bouquet of handprint flowers, or hand and foot print monster buddies!

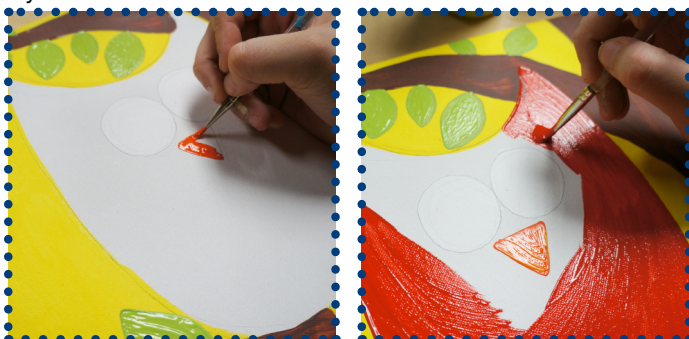


Going Wild Continued

4. Using an assortment of acrylic colors, paint your background design. For this project, we mixed 1 quarter-sized drop of Yellow with a single drop of Blue to create green for the leaves; and we mixed equal amounts of Blue, Red, and Orange to create brown for the tree. Once painted, allow project to dry.



5. Fill in your animal shape with an assortment of acrylic colors. For this project, we paint the owl beak and feet with a mix of Orange and Yellow and the owl body with Red. Once painted, let dry.



6. Paint the belly of the owl with Blue. Let dry.



7. Once dry, apply two Blue-painted handprints to the canvas project to create the owl wings. Let dry.

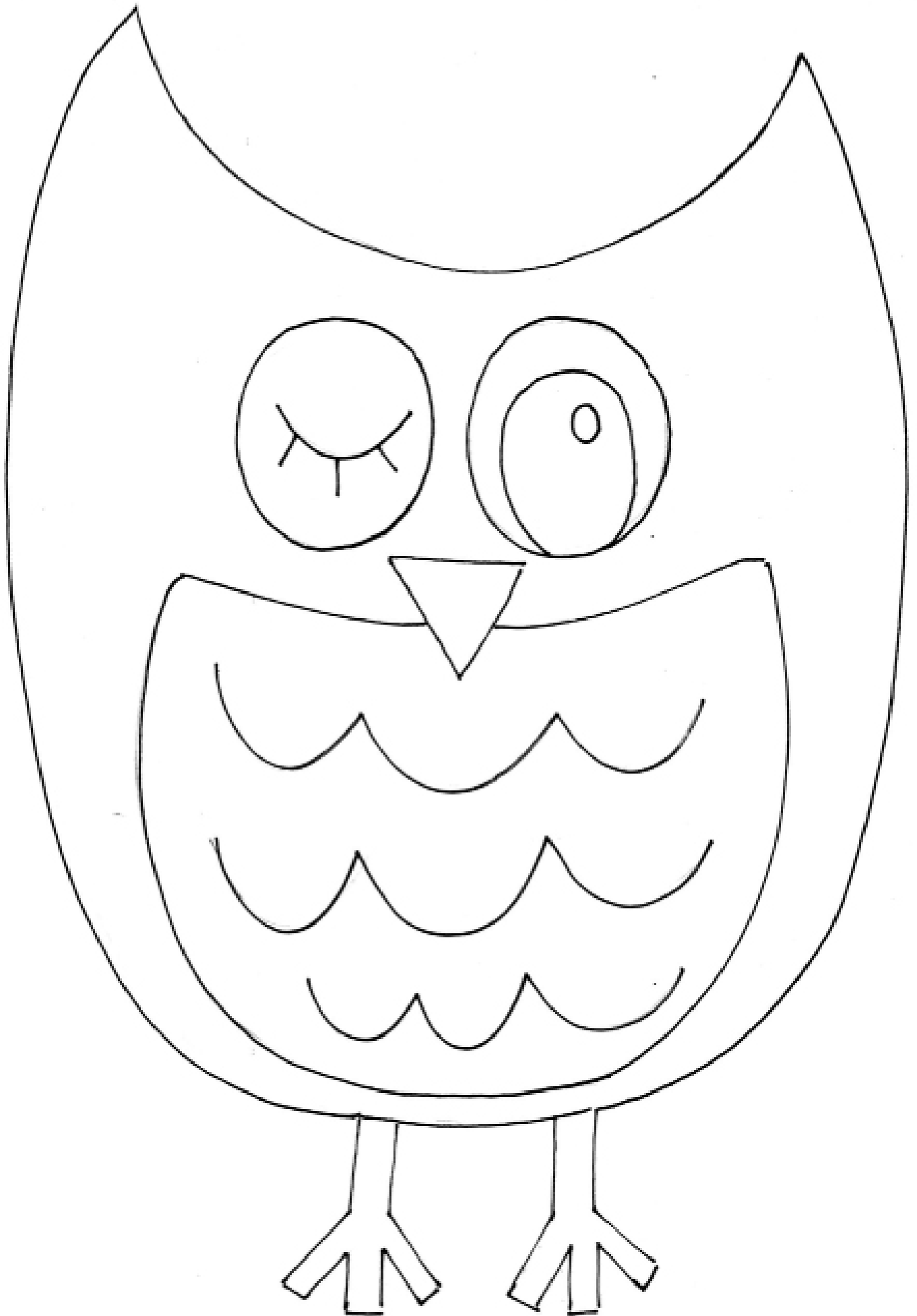


8. Once dry, use Black to paint and accent the eyes. Use the same color to accent any other areas of the project, as desired. Once complete, allow project to dry completely.

Materials Guide

- AA5155 - 1 per project
- CR103 - 1 sand dollar-sized drop yields 100 projects
- CR104 - 1 sand dollar-sized drop yields 100 projects
- CR105 - 1 oreo-sized drop yields 200 projects
- CR107 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects
- CR108 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 400 projects

Stretch this project over several sessions if need be. Have kids sketch their design with a pencil and paint their background, then revisit later to add their handprint and animal details. Bonus tip: don't give the kids any black paint until the very last day--and even then, only a drop!





Stained Glass Art

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Create a glass “mosaic” by filling a blank with Buffalo Chips. Then, fill in or “grout” the spaces between chips with fine Black frit. The result? A mosaic stained glass masterpiece!

MATERIALS

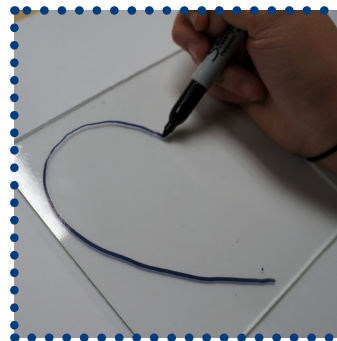
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CF1009F-20 Black Opalescent Frit - Fine
GBS6-100 6” Square Clear Transparent
ST540 Thinfire Paper

SUPPLIES

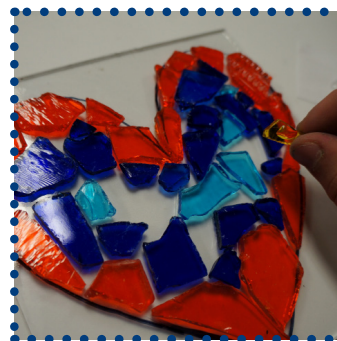
Black Sharpie Marker
Elmer’s Clear Gel Glue
Hairspray
Silver Sharpie
Small Paintbrush
Spoon
Toothpick

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Sketch your shape design on the 6” clear base with a black Sharpie marker. Choose your favorite shape, and you’re ready to create!



2. Fill in the shape design with an assortment of Transparent Buffalo Chips. As you work, use pinpoint amounts of Elmer’s Clear Gel Glue to glue each Buffalo Chip to the clear base.



Take this project one step further by sandwiching loops of High Temp Stamen Wire (#ST952) in between glass components pre-firing. Once fired, hang using wire and beads to create a cool stained-glass suncatcher!



Stained Glass Art Continued

3. Allow project to dry, then use a spoon and fine Black Opalescent frit to fill in or “grout” the spaces between chips and around the shape outline.

4. Use a small paintbrush to lightly brush off excess frit on the Buffalo Chip surfaces and in the background area around the project shape.



5. Lightly spritz project with hairspray to secure frit in place. Allow project to dry.

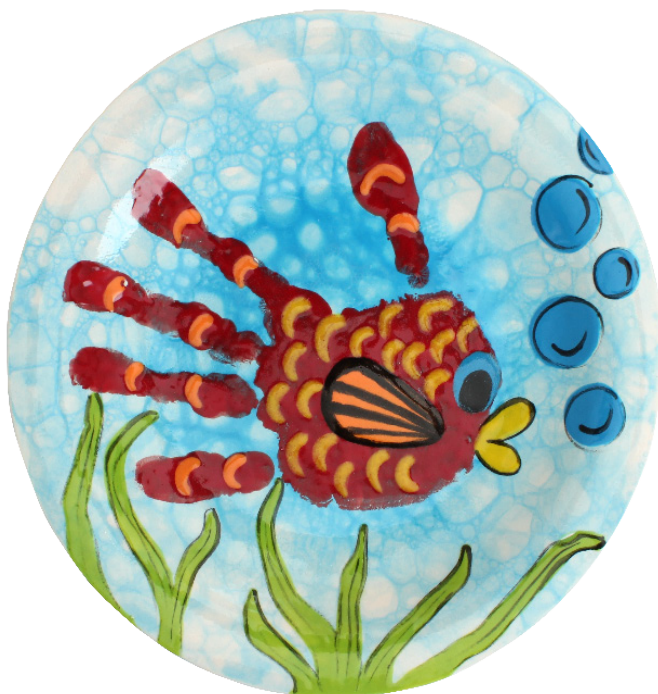
6. Write the camper’s name with a Silver Sharpie on the Thinfire Paper. Position completed project on the Thinfire and transfer to kiln. Full fuse using the provided firing schedule:

Materials Guide
 BCASSTT-20 - 2 oz. yields 10 projects
 CF1009F-20 - 2 oz. yields 10 projects
 GBS6-100 - 1 per project
 ST540 - 7” square sheet yields 40 projects

Money Saving Tip:
 Have campers work on a paper plate when “grouting” their project with frit. Excess frit can be brushed onto the plate surface then poured back into the frit jar to be used later.

Seg:	Ramp	Temp	Hold
1	300	1000	.30
2	350	1465	.15
3	9999	1050	.60
4	280	800	.10





Splish Splash

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Bubble painting and handprint art make this project summer camp worthy.

MATERIALS

- 100 Coupe Salad
- CN074-8 Really Red
- CN253-8 Dark Black
- CN501-8 Neon Yellow
- CN502-8 Neon Blue
- CN504-8 Neon Orange
- CN505-8 Neon Green

SUPPLIES

- Assorted Paintbrushes
- Liquid Dish Soap
- Saran Wrap (for easy clean-up)
- Small Cup
- Spoon
- Straw
- Water
- Water-based Marker

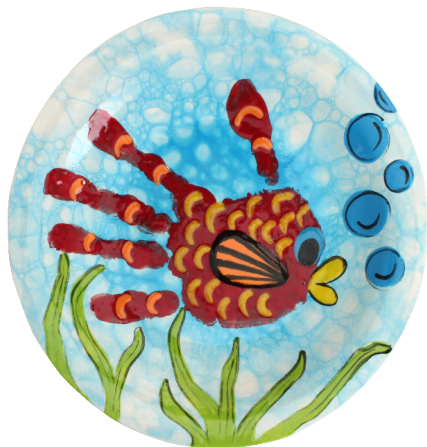
INSTRUCTIONS

1. Light wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.
2. Bubble paint: In a small paper cup, mix equal parts liquid dish soap, Neon Blue, and water. Stir until you see bubbles forming. With a straw, blow into the mixture, making sure the cup remains in an upright position. Allow bubbles to overflow onto the bisque surface. When the entire surface is covered, allow bubbles to pop on their own. Repeat as desired, then allow project to dry completely.



Bubble paint recipe:
 Pour enough paint to cover the bottom of a small paper cup, then add liquid dish soap to cover the paint. Add water to double the liquid, then mix!

For quick and easy clean up, place a sheet of plastic wrap underneath projects when bubble painting.



Splish Splash Continued

3. Apply the handprint sideways across the plate center in Really Red.



6. Add round bubbles with 3 coats of Neon Blue.

7. Paint seaweed with 3 coats of Neon Green.



4. Use a water-based marker to sketch your fish design.



8. Fill in the eye with 3 coats of Neon Blue.

9. Use a detail brush and Dark Black to add details to the fin, to outline and accent the eye, and to outline the seaweed and bubbles. Let project dry completely.

10. Dip in Pure Brilliance and fire to Cone 06.

5. Paint the fin with 3 coats of Neon Orange. Paint the lips with 3 coats of Neon Yellow. Then, paint the scale designs with Neon Orange and Neon Yellow.



Materials Guide
 100 - 1 per project
 CN074-8 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects
 CN253-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects
 CN501-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects
 CN502-8 - 1 oreo-sized drop yields 100 projects
 CN504-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects
 CN505-8 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects



Double Take

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Functional and fun, this DIY mosaic mirror project is a perfect camp project for kids of all ages!

Money Saving Tip:
Nip large mosaic pieces into smaller bits for campers to get even more out of each bag of tiles!

MATERIALS

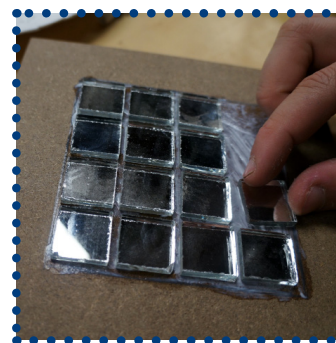
- BIM321 Mirrored Square Mosaic Tiles 20 mm
- BIM578 White Smoothies
- BIM586 Deep Purple Smoothies
- BIM588 Teal Smoothies
- BIM591 Grass Green Smoothies
- BIM70212-0002 White Grout
- BIM72946-0006 Weldbond
- BIM8009 Square Plaque - Sm
- CR108 Orange

SUPPLIES

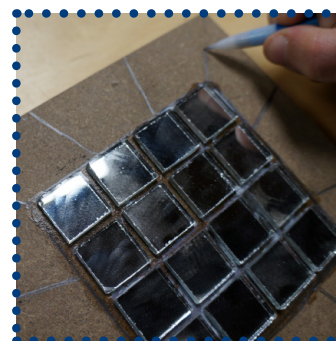
- Latex Gloves
- Paintbrush
- Paper Towels
- Pencil
- Plastic Spoon (to mix grout)
- Q-Tips
- Small Disposable Bowl (for grout mix)
- Water

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Sketch an approx. 4" square in the center of the plaque with a pencil.
2. Using Weldbond as adhesive, fill in the center square with Square Mirrored tiles.



3. Sketch your border design with a pencil. For this project, we separated the border into several sections to create a burst of color.





Double Take Continued

4. Using an assortment of Smoothies, fill in the different sections around the border.



Materials Guide

- BIM321 - approx. 16 tiles yields 8 projects
- BIM578 - approx. 30 tiles yields 13 projects
- BIM586 - approx. 30 tiles yields 13 projects
- BIM588 - approx. 30 tiles yields 13 projects
- BIM591 - approx. 30 tiles yields 13 projects
- BIM70212-0002 - 1 lb. bag covers approx. 5 projects
- BIM72946-0006 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects
- BIM8009 - 1 per project
- CR108 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects

5. Let your mosaic project dry until all tiles are securely in place. Once dry, follow the grouting instructions to grout your project using White grout.



6. Once grouted, paint the edges with Orange or another acrylic color of your choice.



Tips for stress and mess free grouting with campers:

1. Mix your grout to a thin peanut butter consistency in a large mixing bowl.
2. Have the table and work area prepared with trash bags or a disposable table cloth.
3. Walk around the table and dispense a small dollop of grout onto each camper's project.
4. Instruct the campers to quickly smooth the grout into the areas between tiles. The final result should fill in all the spaces, while the tiles are all still visible under a thin cloudy layer. Don't forget to wipe the sides of the mosaic with a thin layer of grout, too!
5. Allow to dry for a few minutes (the next step is easier if the grout is still a little wet!)
6. Give each camper a damp sponge so they can wipe the grout off the top of the tiles. Since the grout isn't dry, don't focus on removing the cloudiness but the grit of the grout at this step.
7. Set projects aside and allow to completely dry. Wrap up tablecloth and throw away.
8. Optional last step: spritz a paper towel with glass cleaner. Polish each tile to remove any cloudiness.



You're a Star!

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Campers will feel like a star with their very own personalized name plaque!

MATERIALS

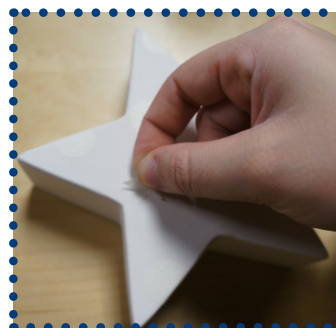
1878 Small Rising Star
8006 3/4" Decorative Stickies Assortment
BLS900-8 Limoncello
BLS902-8 Apricot Stone
BLS904-8 Strawberry Field
BLS919-8 Mermaid's Song
BLS920-8 Limelicious
FD254 Black Licorice

SUPPLIES

Assorted Paintbrushes
Detail Brush
Small Pin or Paper Clip
Sponge (optional)
Water
Water-based Marker

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Lightly wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.
2. Adhere an assortment of Decorative Stickies to the bisque shape. Take this project a step further by creating your own design or pattern with the stickers.



3. Sponge or paint the bisque surface with 3 coats of Limelicious and the edges with Limoncello, or another color of your choice. Allow project to dry completely. Once dry, gently remove stickers.



Try creating your own custom stickers by cutting contact paper into different shapes!



You're a Star! Continued

4. Fill in each sticker shape with 3 coats of a background color of your choice, then add polka dots, swirls, or other designs to accent each painted shape. Let dry.



5. Once dry, use a water-based marker to sketch your name. With Black Licorice, or 3 coats of your choice of color, trace over each letter. Allow project to dry completely.



Alphabet Stencils (#9588) make lettering easy as 1-2-3!

Materials Guide

1878 - 1 per project
8006 - 1/2 sheet per project yields 8 projects
BLS900-8 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects
BLS902-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects
BLS904-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects
BLS919-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects
BLS920-8 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects
FD254 - .05 oz. yields 25 projects

Our Rising Star Shapes (#1878 & #1879) can be used to create a standing plaque, hanging sign, or a fun keepsake box.



6. Dip in Colorobbia Super Clear Dipping Glaze and fire to Cone 06.



Color Doodlez

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Create abstract masterpieces using Art Tape! For added color fun, encourage campers to create unique patterns to fill each section.

MATERIALS

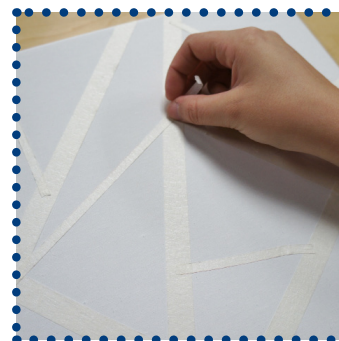
- 8013 Art Tape Assortment
- AA5155 Canvas Stretched 12"x12"
- CR103 Blue
- CR104 Yellow
- CR105 Red
- CR107 Black
- CR108 Orange

SUPPLIES

- Assorted Paintbrushes
- Detail Brush
- Pencil
- Scissors
- Water

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Use an assortment of Art Tape to mask an abstract design on the canvas surface.



2. Fill in each section with an assortment of acrylic paint colors. Once painted, allow project to dry completely. Get creative with color mixing to concoct a whole spectrum of paint colors!



For extra fun, create patterns with Chevron (#8020) & Ric-Rac (#8021) Designer Tape!



Color Doodlez Continued

3. Within each painted section, use a pencil to lightly sketch an assortment of patterns to create a unique zentangle design.



4. Within each section, trace over the sketched patterns and designs with 2 coats of Black or with an assortment of different acrylic paint colors.



5. Once complete, allow project to dry completely then gently remove Art Tape from the canvas surface.

Money Saving Tip:

Pre-cut strips of Art Tape for each camper to minimize waste!

Materials Guide

- 8013 - 3 ft.per project yields 120 projects
- AA5155 - 1 per project
- CR103 - 1 pepperoni-drop yields 300 projects
- CR104 - 1 pepperoni-drop yields 300 projects
- CR105 - 1 pepperoni-drop yields 300 projects
- CR107 - 1 oreo-drop yields 200 projects
- CR108 - 1 pepperoni-drop yields 300 projects

Incorporate a lesson on colors as you paint to create a full art learning experience! Or, for every section, teach campers different painting techniques that they can reuse throughout the week!



Name Tangle

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Add fine frit on bisque to create a cool crackled look!

“Name Tangles” are a fun way to create a cool design using your name or another word of your choice.

MATERIALS

- 952 6” Square Tile
- CF223-74-F-20 Peacock Green Opal Frit - Fine
- CF226.74F-20 Amazon Green Opalescent Frit - Fine
- CF2502F-20 Red Opalescent Frit - Fine
- CF260.72F-20 Yellow Opalescent Frit - Fine
- CN505-8 Neon Green
- FD254 Black Licorice
- ST540 Thinfire Paper

SUPPLIES

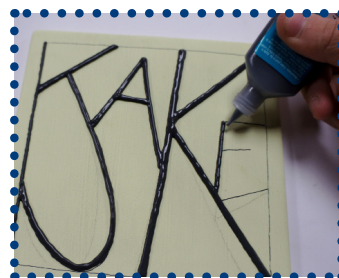
- Angled Straw
- Assorted Paintbrushes
- Hairspray
- Toothpick (optional)
- Water-based Marker

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Lightly wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.
2. Paint the bisque tile completely with 3-4 solid coats of Neon Green, or another color of your choice. Allow paint to dry completely.
3. Use a water-based marker to lightly sketch a square border on the tile surface. Inside the border, sketch your name-tangle design.



4. Trace over the border and name-tangle design with Black Licorice French Dimensions. Allow design to dry completely.





Name Tangle Continued

5. Using an angled straw scoop, fill in the design areas with an assortment of opalescent fine frit. As each section is filled, use a toothpick or small paintbrush to position or move the frit as needed. For best results, start from one side of the tile and work your way to the other side.



Materials Guide

952 - 1 Tile
 CF223-74-F-20 - 1 oz. yields 20 projects
 CF226.74F-20 - 1 oz. yields 20 projects
 CF2502F-20 - 1 oz. yields 20 projects
 CF260.72F-20 - 1 oz. yields 20 projects
 CN505-8 - 1.5 sand dollar-sized drop yields 25 projects
 FD254 - approx. .25 oz. yields 7 projects
 ST540 - 7" square sheet yields 40 projects

6. Once complete, lightly spritz project with hairspray to secure frit in place.



7. Before firing the completed project, apply Thinfire Paper onto the kiln shelf. Stilt project and fire to Cone 06.

Once fired, touch up your outline design or add fun designs to your project with Marabu Pens!

Money Saving Tip:

Rather than buying a bottle of French Dimensions for every camper, coordinate your schedule to allow for sharing of 1-2 bottles of French Dimensions amongst everyone. Have campers paint their background and sketch their design, then transition into another project to keep waiting campers busy as they take turns outlining their designs.



POP ART BURST!

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

A new twist to an old favorite: pop art pointillism! Create comic-style dry-erase message boards using this classic dotted art technique.

MATERIALS

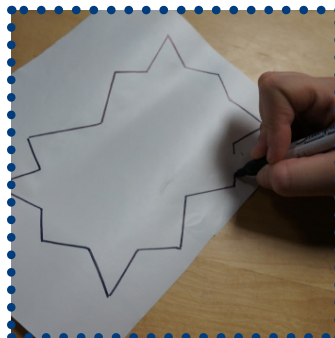
2315 Message Me
BLS900-8 Limoncello
BLS902-8 Apricot Stone
BLS904-8 Strawberry Field
BLS919-8 Mermaid's Song
BLS920-8 Limelicious
FD254 Black Licorice

SUPPLIES

Assorted Paintbrushes
Contact Paper
Detail Brush
Scissors
Water
Water-based Marker

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Lightly wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.
2. Sketch and cut out a speech bubble shape - comic-style! - from contact paper. Remove the protective backing, then adhere to the plate surface.



3. Paint the top and bottom surface of the plate with 3 coats of Mermaid's Song. Let dry.



Money Saving Tip:

Q-tips, paint brush handles, and pencil erasers make easy - and cheap! - paint dotters.



Pop Art Burst! Continued

4. Once dry, use a Q-tip to add rows of Limelicious dots over the painted background area. Let dry.



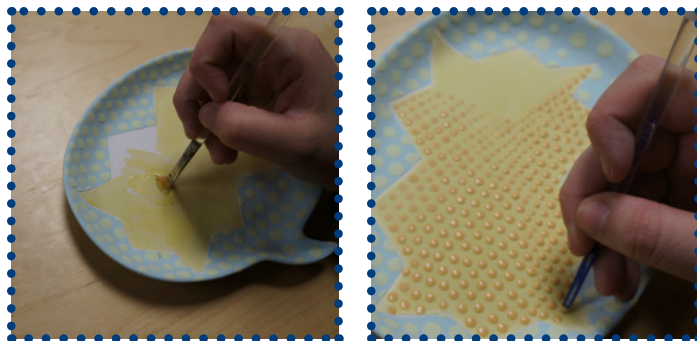
8. Once dry, apply Black Licorice around the Limoncello-painted shape to create a border. Once complete, allow project to dry completely.



5. Once dry, remove contact paper and paint the masked shape with 3 coats of Limoncello.

9. Dip in Colorobbia Super Clear Dipping Glaze and fire to Cone 06.

6. Use a Q-tip or the rounded end of a paintbrush handle to fill in the center shape with Apricot Stone dots.



Materials Guide

2315 - 1 per project

BLS900-8 - 1 oreo-sized drop yields 100 projects

BLS902-8 - 1 penny-sized drop yields 225 projects

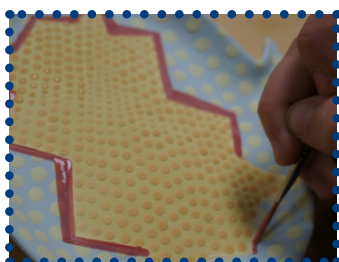
BLS904-8 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects

BLS919-8 - 1 sand dollar-sized drop yields 50 projects

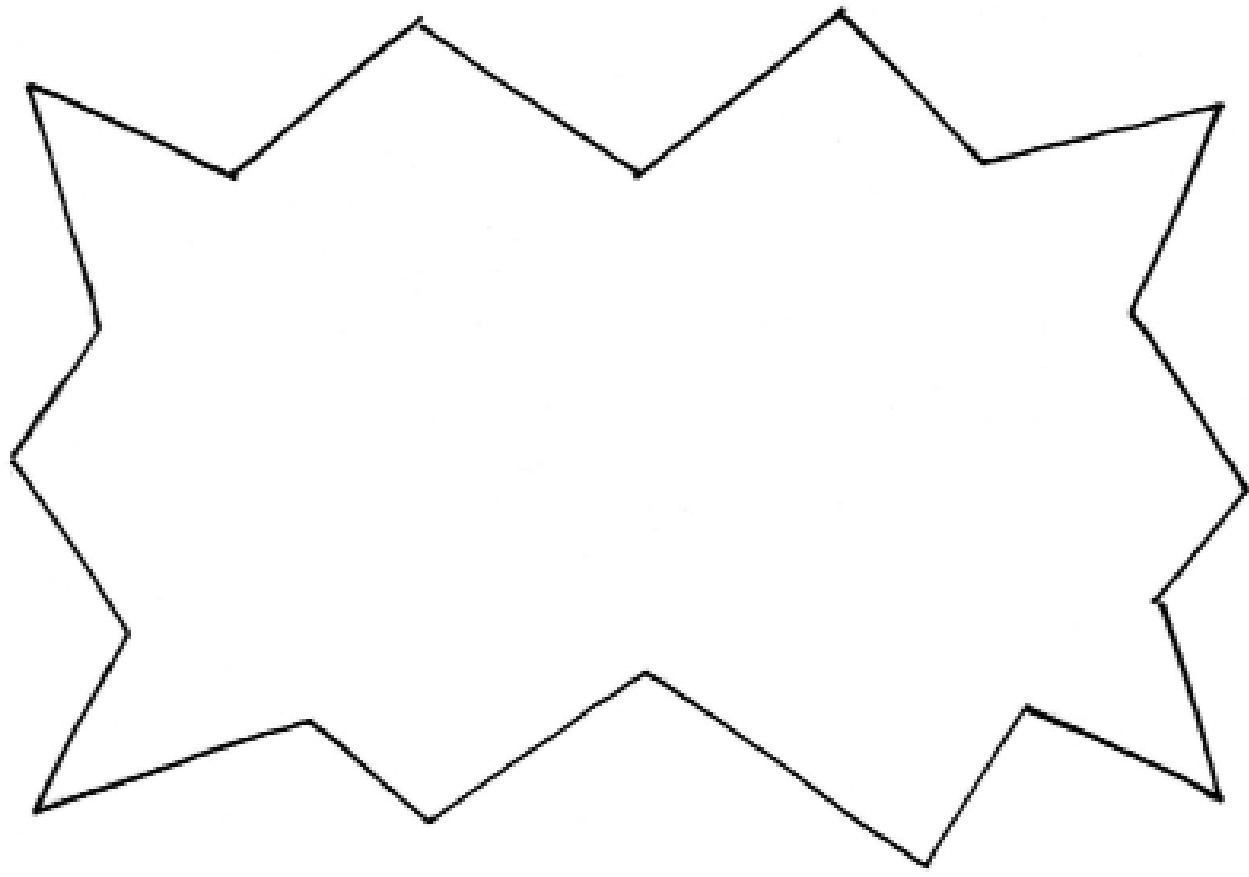
BLS920-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects

FD254 - .05 oz. yields 25 projects

7. Paint a border around the center shape with 3 coats of Strawberry Field. Let dry.



Drill holes and add string and beads to make it a hanging message board, or attach command strips to hang from a wall!





Ice Cream Social

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Cool down this summer with this yummy ice cream sundae bowl!

MATERIALS

- 224 Sundae Bowl
- BLS900-8 Limoncello
- BLS902-8 Apricot Stone
- BLS904-8 Strawberry Field
- BLS919-8 Mermaid's Song
- BLS920-8 Limelicious

SUPPLIES

- Assorted Paintbrushes
- Detail Brush
- Water
- Water-based Marker

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Lightly wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.
2. Along the top rim of bowl, sketch a wavy line with a water-based marker.



3. Below the sketched wavy line, paint the sundae bowl surface with 3 coats of Limoncello, or another color of your choice.



**Not a fan of the Sundae Bowl?
Our Ice Cream Bowl/Spoon (#517),
Parfait Bowl (#147), and Medium Scoop
Shop Bowl (#2330) are some other
great options to use as well!**



Ice Cream Social Continued

4. With 3 coats each of an assortment of colors, paint stripes, swirls, polka dots, or your own unique design to decorate the outside bowl surface. If needed, sketch your design prior to painting.



Materials Guide

- 224 Sundae Bowl - 1 per project
- BLS900-8 - 1 pepperoni-drop yields 150 projects
- BLS902-8 - 1 quarter-drop yields 200 projects
- BLS904-8 - 1 penny-drop yields 225 projects
- BLS919-8 - 1 pepperoni-drop yields 150 projects
- BLS920-8 - 1 pepperoni-drop yields 150 projects

5. Within the unpainted white surfaces inside the sundae bowl and along the top wavy rim, add sprinkles with a rainbow assortment of colors. Let dry.



Celebrate the last day of camp by setting up a small ice cream bar for kids to make their own tasty sundae snacks! For a healthy twist, set up a parfait bar using yogurt, granola and fruit.

6. Dip in Colorobbia Super Clear Dipping Glaze and fire to Cone 06.



Bubbling Blooms

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Roses are red, violets are blue; get creative with mixed media, and bubble painting too!

Make the most of your different mediums! By incorporating multiple techniques into one project, campers will stay happy, entertained, and engaged.

MATERIALS

952 6" Square Tile
BIM591 Grass Green Smoothies
BIM72946-0006 Weldbond
CR103 Blue
CR104 Yellow
CR105 Red
CR107 Black

SUPPLIES

Assorted Paintbrushes
Liquid Dish Soap
Pencil
Q-Tips
Saran Wrap (for easy clean-up)
Small Cup
Spoon
Straw
Water

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Lightly wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.

2. Bubble paint: In a small paper cup, mix equal parts liquid dish soap, Red, and water. Stir until you see bubbles forming. With a straw, blow into the mixture, making sure the cup remains in an upright position. Allow bubbles to overflow onto the bisque surface. When the entire surface is covered, allow bubbles to pop on their own. Repeat as desired, then allow project to dry completely.



**Bubble paint recipe:
Pour enough paint to cover the bottom of a small paper cup, then add liquid dish soap to cover the paint. Add water to double the liquid, then mix!**



Bubbling Blooms Continued

3. Use a pencil to sketch large flower shapes on the tile surface. Add scattered leaf designs.

4. Mix 3 parts Yellow to 1 part Blue to create green. Use 2-3 coats of this color to paint the leaves.



5. Paint the background area with 2 coats of Black, then use the same color to outline the designs and to accent the flowers with swirls. Let dry.

6. Using Weldbond as adhesive, add Grass Green Smoothies to the leaves. Allow project to dry completely.



Money Saving Tip:

Eliminate waste by storing your leftover paints in sauce containers, or keep paint in condiment bottles or hand soap dispensers that kids can dispense independently.

Materials Guide

952 - 1 Tile

BIM591 - Approx. 45 tiles yields 10 projects

BIM72946-0006 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields

CR103 - 1 penny-sized drop yields 450 projects

CR104 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects

CR105 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 400 projects

CR107 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects

Try using this fun technique to create the look of planetary craters. Create your own planet, or an entire solar system of planets!



Creative Mess

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Get out the spray bottles: this craft will have your campers spritzing away. Creative messes are the best kind of messes, and the most fun, too!

MATERIALS

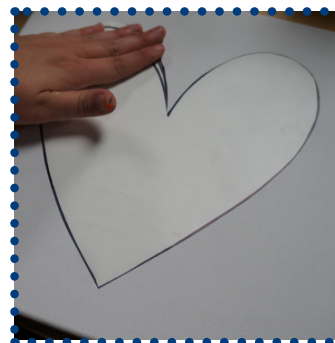
- AA5155 Canvas Stretched 12"x12"
- CR104 Yellow
- CR105 Red
- CR107 Black
- CR108 Orange

SUPPLIES

- Assorted Paintbrushes
- Contact Paper
- Detail Brush
- Scissors
- Water
- Water-based Marker

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Use a marker to sketch a silhouette shape of your choice on a sheet of contact paper. Once sketched, cut out the silhouette shape, remove the protective backing, then adhere to the canvas surface.



2. In spritzing bottles, create an assortment of color washes by mixing 1 part paint to 1 part water.

3. Using the assortment of mixed color washes, spritz color onto the canvas surface to create a cool background effect. Once complete, allow project to dry completely.



For minimal mess, have campers spritz projects on paper towels or inside a box. The cardboard liner that comes with soft drinks works well.



Creative Mess Continued

4. Once dry, gently remove the contact paper silhouette shape from the canvas surface.

5. Using 2-3 coats of your choice of color, fill in the silhouette shape. Or, use an assortment of paint colors to add your own unique designs to the silhouette shape. Allow project to dry completely.



6. If desired, use 2-3 coats of Black to add your own saying or quote to your canvas project! Once complete, allow project to dry completely.



Materials Guide

- AA5155 - 1 per project
- CR104 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 400 projects
- CR105 - 1 oreo-sized drop yields 200 projects
- CR107 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects
- CR108 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 400 projects

Money Saving Tip:

Limit campers to a predetermined set of paint colors, and minimize waste by mixing each acrylic color wash ahead of time.



#LOL

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Express yourself - emoji style!

MATERIALS

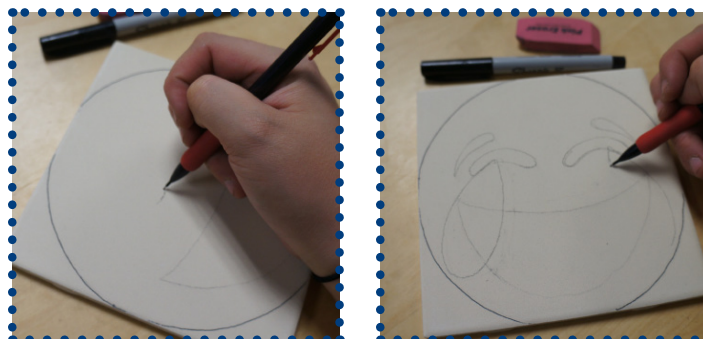
- 952 6" Square Tile
- CN253-8 Dark Black
- CN501-8 Neon Yellow
- CN502-8 Neon Blue
- CN504-8 Neon Orange

SUPPLIES

- Assorted Paintbrushes
- Detail Brush
- Water
- Water-based Marker

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Light wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.
2. Lightly sketch the emoji design onto the tile surface.



3. Paint the emoji face shape with 3 coats of Neon Yellow. Leave the teeth unpainted white.



For added fun, encourage campers to create their own unique emoji characters, or add their own silly #hashtag!



#LOL Continued

4. Paint the background corner areas with 3 coats of Neon Orange.

5. Fill in each tear shape with 3 coats of Neon Blue.



Materials Guide

952 - 1 Tile per project

CN253-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects

CN501-8 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects

CN502-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects

CN504-8 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects

6. Fill in the eyes and eyebrows with 2-3 coats of Dark Black.

7. Use 2-3 coats of Dark Black to outline the teeth area and to fill in the remaining area of the mouth.

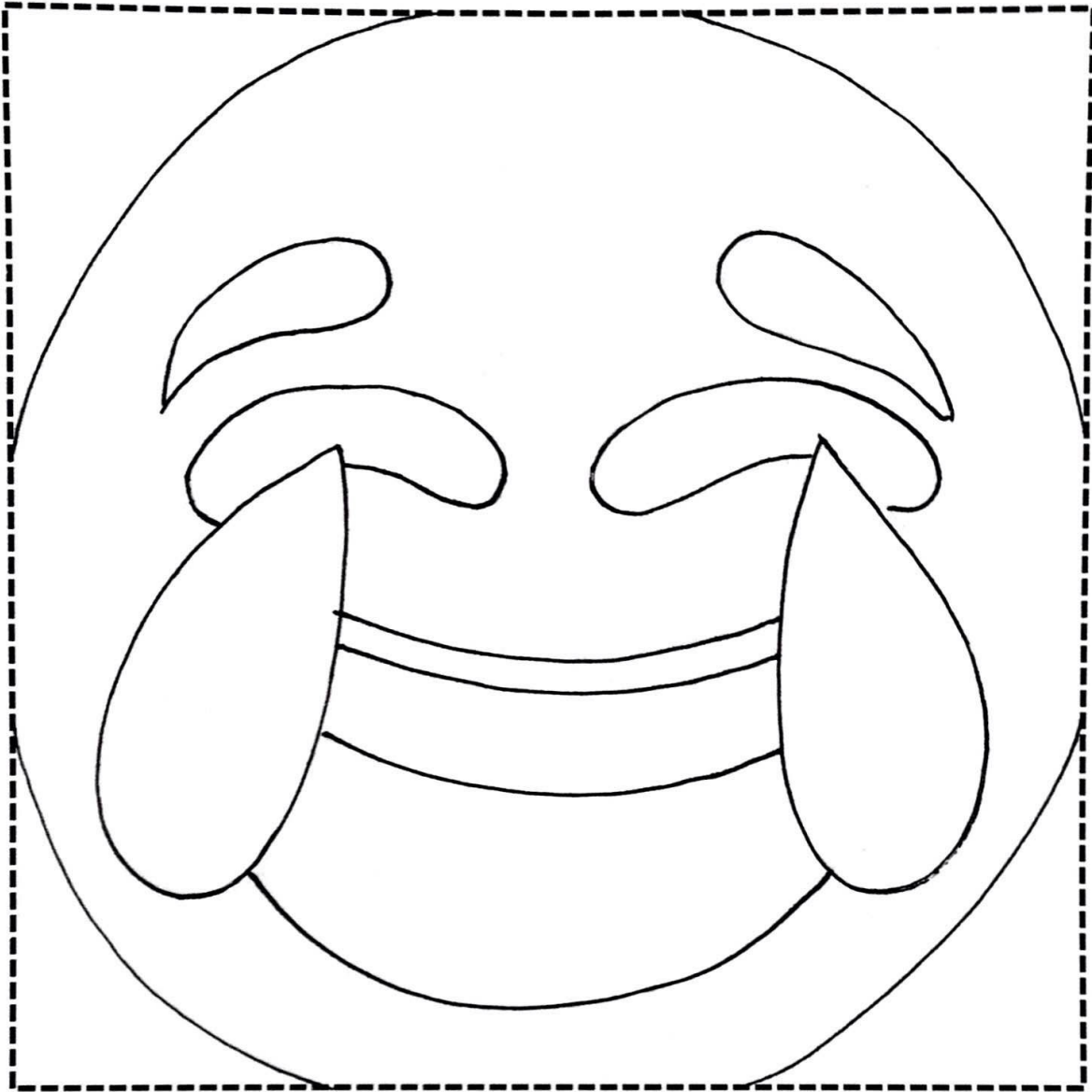


8. Paint the edges of the tile with 2-3 coats of Dark Black. Let dry.

9. Once complete, dip project in Pure Brilliance and fire to cone 06.

Money Saving Tip:

Easily trace designs onto bisque with tissue paper. Simply place tissue paper over the printed design and trace design with a pencil. Place tissue paper onto the bisque tile and re-trace design with a thin water-based marker. Once complete, lift the tissue paper to reveal the transferred design!





Take Note

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

How cool is this?! Leave the center area of the glass project blank to be used later as a dry-erase surface!

MATERIALS

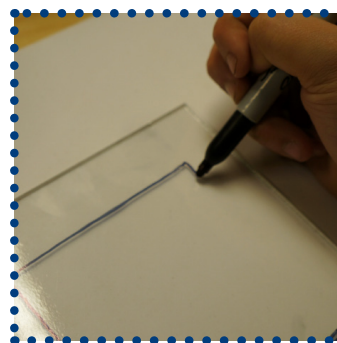
BCASSTO-20 Buffalo Chip Assortment (Opal)
GBS6-100 6" Square Clear Transparent
ST540 Thinfire Paper

SUPPLIES

Black Sharpie Marker
Elmer's Clear Gel Glue
Silver Sharpie Marker
Toothpick

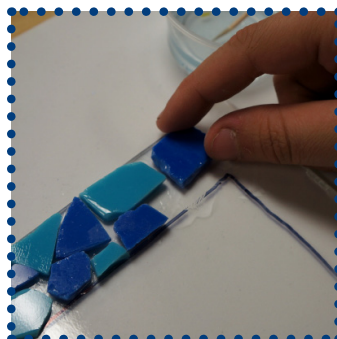
INSTRUCTIONS

1. Sketch a small square (approx. 4") in the center of the 6" clear base with a black Sharpie marker.



2. Using an assortment of Buffalo Chips, fill in the project border.

3. As you work, secure glass components in place with pinpoint points of Elmer's gel glue.



Money Saving Tip:

Put all that scrap glass to good use! Encourage older campers to use an assortment of glass scraps to create their message board designs.



Take Note Continued

4. Overlay the filled border area with an assortment of Buffalo Chips to create fun accents. For this sample, we created colorful flowers using medium-sized chips to create the petals and a small chip to place in the center of each flower.



5. Write the camper's name with a Silver Sharpie on the Thinfire Paper. Position completed project on the Thinfire and transfer to kiln. Contour fuse using the provided firing schedule:

Seg:	Ramp	Temp	Hold
1	300	1000	.30
2	350	1380-1395	.10
3	9999	1050	.60
4	250	800	.10

Materials Guide

BCASSTO-20 - 3 oz. yields 6 projects

GBS6-100 - 1 per project

ST540 - 7" square sheet yields 40 projects

Take this project one step further by sandwiching loops of High Temp Stamen Wire (#ST952) in between glass components pre-firing. Once fired, hang using wire and beads to create a hanging dry-erase board!



Be-YOU-tiful

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Personalize your own monogrammed mosaic plaque to perfectly match your uniquely-you style.

MATERIALS

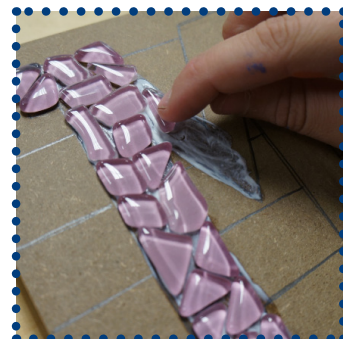
- BIM275 Pitch Black Mosaic Tiles 10 mm
- BIM574 Pastel Plum Smoothies
- BIM588 Teal Smoothies
- BIM591 Grass Green Smoothies
- BIM70212-0002 White Grout
- BIM72946-0006 Weldbond
- BIM8009 Square Plaque - Sm

SUPPLIES

- Latex Gloves
- Paper Towels
- Pencil
- Plastic Spoon (to mix grout)
- Q-Tips
- Small Disposable Bowl (for grout mix)
- Water

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Sketch your letter or monogram design shape and background design with a pencil.
2. Using Weldbond as adhesive, adhere your choice of colored Smoothies to fill in the letter or monogram shape. For this project, we used Pastel Plum Smoothies.



3. Use an assortment of colored Smoothies to fill in the background design. For this project, we sketched a striped background. To fill in the stripes, we used Teal and Grass Green Smoothies.

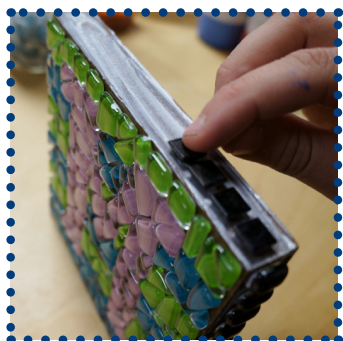


From trendy monogram designs, to popular kids show characters and toys, to social media icons, stay on top of trends to create projects that keep your campers - especially older campers - engaged and entertained. It's the quickest way to add a healthy dose of "cool" to your samples.



Be-YOU-tiful Continued

4. Optional : If desired, adhere your choice of colored tiles to the edges of the plaque base. For this project, we adhered a row of Pitch Black mosaic tiles along each edge.



6. Let your mosaic project dry until all tiles are securely in place. Once dry, follow the grouting instructions to grout your project using White grout.



Take this project a step further by adding mixed media accents! Decoupage scrapbook paper to the edges, or use diluted acrylics to paint the grout.

Materials Guide

- BIM275 - approx. 50 tiles yields 10 projects (optional)
- BIM574 - approx. 50 tiles yields 9 projects
- BIM588 - approx. 50 tiles yields 9 projects
- BIM591 - approx. 50 tiles yields 9 projects
- BIM70212-0002 - 1 lb. bag covers approx. 5 projects
- BIM72946-0006 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 150 projects
- BIM8009 - 1 per project

Tips for stress and mess free grouting with campers:

1. Mix your grout to a thin peanut butter consistency in a large mixing bowl.
2. Have the table and work area prepared with trash bags or a disposable table cloth.
3. Walk around the table and dispense a small dollop of grout onto each camper's project.
4. Instruct the campers to quickly smooth the grout into the areas between tiles. The final result should fill in all the spaces, while the tiles are all still visible under a thin cloudy layer. Don't forget to wipe the sides of the mosaic with a thin layer of grout, too!
5. Allow to dry for a few minutes (the next step is easier if the grout is still a little wet!)
6. Give each camper a damp sponge so they can wipe the grout off the top of the tiles. Since the grout isn't dry, don't focus on removing the cloudiness but the grit of the grout at this step.
7. Set projects aside and allow to completely dry. Wrap up tablecloth and throw away.
8. Optional last step: spritz a paper towel with glass cleaner. Polish each tile to remove any cloudiness.



Feelin' Groovy

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Transform a bisque box into an art-tastic mixed media masterpiece!

MATERIALS

1251 Peace Sign Box
BIM574 Pastel Plum Smoothies
BIM586 Deep Purple Smoothies
BIM588 Teal Smoothies
BIM72946-0006 Weldbond
CR103 Blue
CR105 Red

SUPPLIES

Assorted Paintbrushes
Q-Tips

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Lightly wipe ware with a damp sponge to prepare surface for painting.
2. Use 2 coats of Red to paint the box bottom. Use the same color to paint the edges and the raised peace sign design on the lid. Let dry.



3. Paint the embossed sections of the peace sign with 2 coats of Blue and allow paint to dry completely.



Be prepared to offer an assortment of boxes for both girls and boys. This same technique can be used on any of our many bisque boxes!



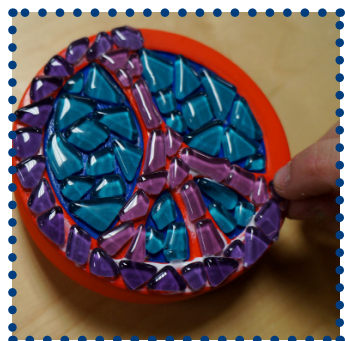
Feelin' Groovy Continued

4. In a mosaic-like fashion, use Weldbond to adhere Teal Smoothies within each Blue embossed section on the box lid.



5. Adhere Pastel Plum Smoothies to overlay the raised peace sign design.

6. Adhere Deep Purple Smoothies around the peace sign design. Allow project to dry completely.



Materials Guide

1251 - 1 per project

BIM574 - approx. 20 tiles yields 20 projects

BIM586 - approx. 30 tiles yields 15 projects

BIM588 - approx. 30 tiles yields 15 projects

BIM72946-0006 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 200 projects

CR103 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 400 projects

Acrylics are an economical solution to staying within budget. All the extra time and money you would have spent on glazing, loading, and packing the fired piece? Money in your pocket.

Think outside the box - literally!
Add unique mosaic shapes or designs to the outside surface of the box bottom for extra fun.



Boho Cool

Design courtesy of Bisque Imports

Have fun with different color blending and stamping techniques to create a one of a kind canvas creation!

MATERIALS

- AA5155 Canvas Stretched 12"x12"
- CR103 Blue
- CR104 Yellow
- CR105 Red
- CR107 Black
- CR108 Orange

SUPPLIES

- Assorted Paintbrushes
- Contact Paper
- Scissors
- Sponge
- Water
- Water-based Marker

INSTRUCTIONS

1. In small cups, create an assortment of color washes by mixing 1 quarter-sized drop of paint with ¼ cup water.
2. Dip a large brush into each tinted color wash, then apply splotches of color to the canvas surface to create a watercolor look. With each application, shimmy the brush to blend colors together. Allow project to dry completely.



3. Use scissors to cut sponges into an assortment of simple shapes, like triangles, circles, or squares.



Money Saving Tip: Repurpose makeup sponges to make your own paint dabbers.



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4. Using an assortment of acrylic paint colors of your choice, use the sponge shapes as stamps to create your own unique designs on the canvas surface. Once completely, allow project to dry completely.



7. Allow paint to dry completely, then gently remove the contact paper silhouette shape from the canvas surface.

8. Outline the silhouette shape with Black, then allow project to dry.



5. Sketch a silhouette shape of your choice on a sheet of contact paper. Once sketched, cut out the shape, remove the protective backing, then firmly adhere to the canvas surface.



Materials Guide

- AA5155 - 1 per project
- CR103 - 1 oreo-sized drop yields 200 projects
- CR104 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 400 projects
- CR105 - 1 oreo-sized drop yields 200 projects
- CR107 - 1 quarter-sized drop yields 400 projects
- CR108 - 1 pepperoni-sized drop yields 300 projects

6. Using 2-3 coats of your choice of color, paint the remaining unmasked area of the canvas surface. For this project, we mixed Blue and Red to create a deep purple shade.



Pressed for time? Precut shapes ahead of time, or invest in a variety of decorative paper punches for campers to create lots of contact paper shapes in a jiffy.

