

TECHNIQUE: BUBBLES

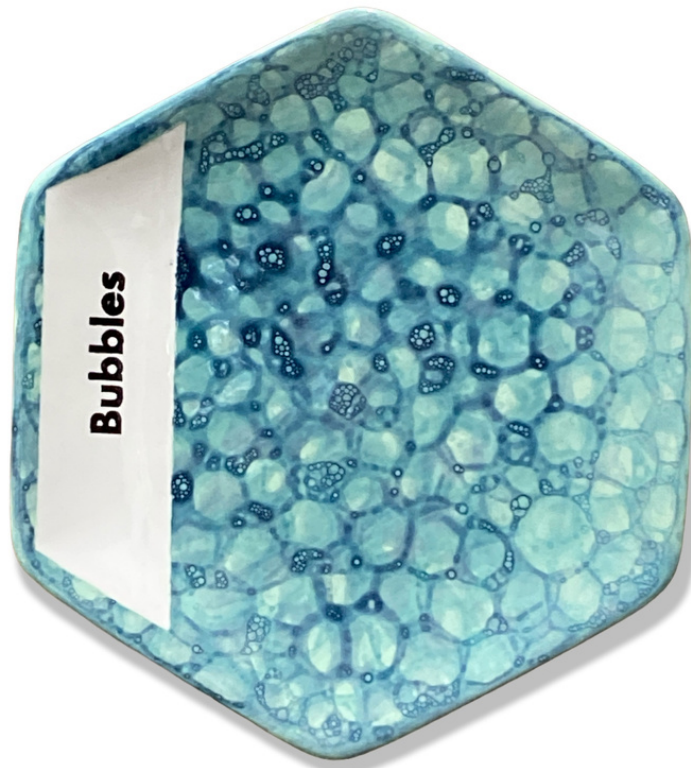
AVERAGE TIME

2
HOURS

CHALLENGE LEVEL



Simple Techniques - Stunning Effects



MATERIALS

DB37473 Honeycomb Salad
Plate
Dishwashing Soap
Small Dish for Each Bubble Color
Straw
Medium Brush

COLORS

CMM 14 - Gum Drop
CMM 45 - Indigo
CMM - 2 Stonewash

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. We are going to paint this plate with 2 layers of Gumdrops. This will mean our background will be mint. If you'd like the background to be white, you can leave it unpainted.
2. Put about 2 tablespoons of paint into a small dish/cup. Repeat for as many bubble colors as you will be using. We did 2: Stonewash and Indigo.
3. Add 2 drops of soap and 3 tablespoons of water into the paint cup and stir with the brush. It should be very thin like milk. Add more water as needed.
4. Keeping your dish/cup level, stick your straw into the paint mixture and blow until you have a tall pile of bubbles.
5. To transfer those bubbles to the plate, make sure to keep the dish/cup level (don't tip it to pour) and scrape the bubbles off the top with your straw and let them fall onto the plate. Some bubbles may pop on the plate, and that's okay!
6. On the end of the straw will be little baby bubbles, tap those onto your piece they're so cute!
7. Continue this process with both colors until achieving your desired amount of bubbles. Your bubbles will naturally pop on their own!

TIPS

- We suggest two shades of the same color as they'll overlap and blend.
- Pastel colors do not work well for this technique. Since they're watered down, they just don't show up.
- When you do this on a flat piece the bubbles will make little circles. If you do this on a vertical piece they'll create drips and bubbles which is really cool!

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