TECHNIQUE: BUBBLES

Add some texture with this fun and easy technique. Great for kids!

1 hour

AVERAGE DURATION CHALLENGE LEVEL



MATERIALS

• Ceramic Plate

- Liquid Dish Soap
 Cup or Small Bowl for the Mixture

 Table Spoon
 Drinking Straw
 Fan Brush
- Underglazes: 55 (or any light color) 8,2 (or any dark color)

TIPS

• When preparing the bubbles color mixture, first mix the water and the paint, then add the soap.

• Use the table spoon to mix the color and soap, but do not apply the bubbles with the spoon.

• Allow the bubbles to burst on their own as the piece is drying.

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Wipe down the bisque with a clean damp sponge to remove dust.

2. Paint two coats of background color 55 allowing underglaze to dry between the coats.

3. Mix colors for the bubbles (8 and 2) individually using 4-2-1 formula: 4 table spoons of water, 2 table spoons of paint, 1- squeeze of dish soap. Mix well.

4. Using a drinking straw, blow into the cup making lots of bubbles come up. Use the table spoon to pour the color from the bottom of the cup over the bubbles gathered above.

5. Using a fan brush, gently push the bubbles onto the piece eventually covering the entire piece.

6. Repeat steps 4, and 5 for next color.

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