

BESTIES

POLYMER CLAY KIT

INSTRUCTIONS

Tip: For best results, please read all instructions thoroughly before beginning projects.

NOTE: POLYMER CLAY REQUIRES OVEN BAKING. ADULT SUPERVISION IS REQUIRED FOR THIS PROJECT.

WHAT YOU NEED

- 4 polymer clays
- 2 keyring clasps
- White satin cord
- Sculpting tool

STEPS

Start by covering your work area with some newspaper or scrap paper. Make sure to wear an apron or old clothing to protect your clothing from mess.

- 1 To create your polymer clay ring designs, use the template on the back of the instructions for different techniques. Select the polymer clay colours you would like to use.
- 2 Knead all the clay colours separately until soft and smooth.

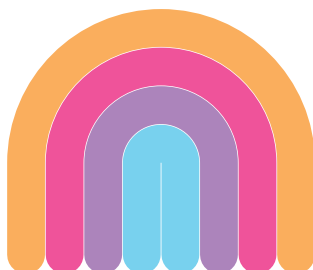
Note: you can combine multiple clay colours together to create a marble look.

- 3 To make your clay rings, follow the patterns on the back. To make a ring base, take a pinch of your selected clay colour and roll between your hands to form a tube. Measure the clay tube around your selected finger to estimate correct size. Mould the two ends together to form a loop allowing space for the ring to slide over your knuckle. You can use the sculpting tool to make patterns in your clay. Follow the shape designs on the back for the top of your ring bands.
- 4 Repeat steps 2 and 3 to make your ring designs.
- 5 To create your polymer clay rainbow charms, take a pinch of each clay colour and roll between your hands to form a tube.
- 6 Follow the template on the back of the instructions to create the rainbow shape and push together so they join.
- 7 Use the clay tool to form a hole in the top centre of the rainbow.
- 8 Repeat steps 6-7 to make the second rainbow shape.
- 9 To create your polymer clay beads, take a pinch of each clay colour, and roll between your hands to form a ball matching the sized template on the back of this sheet.
- 10 Use the clay tool to poke a hole through the centre of each ball. You can create patterns in the clay using the point of the sculpting tool.

- 11 Repeat steps 9-10 to form 8 polymer clay beads.
- 12 Now your polymer clay bag charms and rings are ready to bake!
- 13 Place your creations onto a foil or baking paper covered tray. Make sure to get an adult to help out. Place in an oven pre-heated to 130 degrees (120 degrees fan forced). Allow to bake for 15-30 minutes, baking time may vary according to clay thickness (general rule, allow 15 minutes per 6mm of thickness). Do not exceed recommended baking time of 30 minutes.
- 14 Carefully remove your clay creations from the oven and allow to cool.
- 15 Once your creations have cooled, it's time to finish the bag charms.
- 16 Cut the cord into two equal lengths. Take one cord and tie a double knot at one end. Then thread the 4 polymer clay beads onto the cord in your chosen order. Take the other end and thread through the hole in your rainbow charm.
- 17 Loop the end through the hole at the bottom of the bag charm clip and tie a double knot to secure the charms to it.
- 18 Now you can go out in style with your chunky clay rings and colourful bag charms.

TEMPLATES

Rainbow Keyring



Bead



Flower



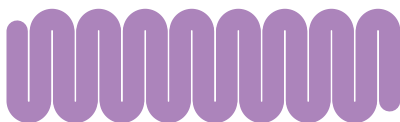
Ring Base



Heart



Squiggle Ring



Rainbow



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