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AVERAGE DURATION

CHALLENGE LEVEL

1.5 HOURS



# MAGICAL HAT BOX

Paint a magical hat.



## MATERIALS

- Wizard hat box (SKU DB38329)
  - Sponge
  - Cotton swabs
- Cotton fabric scraps
  - Small bowl
  - Flat brush
  - Round brush
- Small Liner brush
  - Paint 11, 92, 41, 21

## TIPS

- Allow paint to dry between coats.

TEMPLATE FILE NAME Magical Hat Box

THEME Magical

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## INSTRUCTIONS

Before you begin, wipe a damp sponge over entire bisque to remove dust and contaminants.

1. Paint 1 thick coat of #11 all over the outside of the wizard hat box until no white is showing.
2. When the color has lost its shine, take a slightly damp sponge and gently wipe the glaze off the bisque. You want to wipe lightly, removing the color from just the raised parts of the texture. This will leave the color in just the cracks, giving it an antiqued look. For best results, continually rinse your sponge in your water bowl while you wipe, as needed, and squeeze out the water well so it doesn't drip onto your pottery.
3. Paint 1 watery coat of #92 all over the outside and inside of the top and bottom of the box.
4. Pour a half dollar sized amount of #41 into a small bowl. Add water to the glaze with a 1:1 ratio and stir.
5. Take your fabric scrap and dip it into the watery glaze until it is soaked through. Wipe any excess color off, but do not squeeze it out all the way.
6. Lay your color soaked fabric over the outside of the box and "stamp" the color on. Dip and repeat until the entire outside is covered.
7. Wipe the moon and stars off with clean, damp cotton swabs.
8. Paint 2-3 coats of #21 on the moon and stars.
9. Paint 2-3 coats of #41 on the bottom rim of the hat.
10. Clear glaze then stilt and fire to Cone 06.

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