

AVERAGE TIME

2
HOURS

CHALLENGE LEVEL



Simple Techniques - Stunning Effects

DAD IS A FUN-GI MUG



MATERIALS

CCX656 Flared Mug
Medium Brush
Detail Brush
Liner Brush
Fan Brush
Water-Based Marker
Ballpoint Pen
NCR Mushroom Pattern

COLORS

CMM 15 - Mississippi Mud
CMM 45 - Indigo
CMM 59 - Turquoise
CMM 19 - Banana Boat
CMM 5 - Coral Reef
CMM - 67 Snowflake
CMM 82 - Olive You
CMM 12 - Mocha Java
CMM 31 - Licorice

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Thin down Turquoise paint with 50% water to 50% paint.
2. Use a fan brush to apply 2 coats of the watered-down Turquoise to the outside of the mug.
3. Use a medium brush to apply 3 coats of Indigo to the handle.
4. When the outside of the mug is dry, apply the pattern to the mug by pressing firmly as you trace over the lines in the pattern.
5. Thin down the following colors with 30% water to 70% paint: Banana Boat, Coral Reef, Indigo, Olive, Mississippi Mud, Snowflake, and Mocha Java.
6. Use a detail or liner brush to fill in the stems with 1 heavy layers of watered-down paint. We used Mocha Java and Mississippi Mud.
7. Next, use a detail or liner brush to fill in the caps with 1 heavy layers of watered-down paint. We used Banana Boat, Indigo, Coral Reef, and Olive You.
8. Use a fan brush to apply 3 coats of Banana Boat to the inside of the mug.
9. Fill in the underside of the mushroom caps with 1-2 coats of watered-down Snowflake.
10. Use a water-based marker to sketch out the writing. Then, use a detail brush and Licorice paint to apply 1 coat to the writing.

TIPS

- To apply the watered-down paint to the mushrooms, instead of brushing the paint on, load up the detail or liner brush and drop a ball of paint onto the piece. Then, gently move it around to create a heavy layer. Load up the brush as needed until the section is filled in.

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