

Creative tip FIMO soft Jewellery „squares“



Material:

You will need FIMO soft in the colours yellow (16), raspberry (22), mint (39) and white (0), 1 pair of earrings, 1 black caoutchouc necklace, 1 adjustable ring base, approx. 70 cm of transparent rubber cord and 1 modelling stick.

This material is also available as complete set FIMO jewellery set squares.

In addition, you will need 1 sheet of glass to serve as a work surface and baking tray, several small wooden skewers, 1 thick darning needle, 1 small knife, 1 small pair of flat-nose pliers, rubber roller or rolling pin for rolling out with and 'Uhu Plus' two-component glue.

Step 1



Roll out each of the FIMO colours to an approx. 3 mm thick sheet. Then lay the different-coloured sheets on top of each other in the following order: peppermint, white, raspberry, yellow, white.

Step 2



Roll over everything, divide in the middle, place the two halves on top of each other again and roll over once more. Repeat this procedure until the layers of colour are extremely thin.

Step 3



Now, use your finger to make indents in this layered sheet from the back. The front side should be white

Step 4



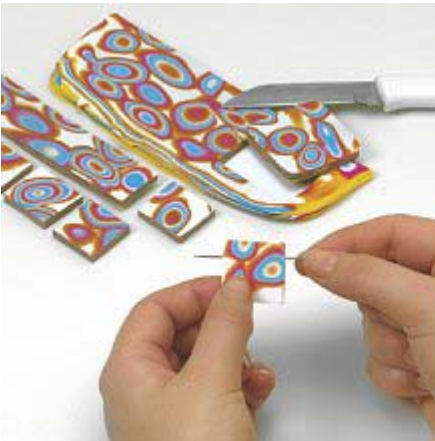
Making indents on the back creates bumps on the white side. Cut these out using the knife, thereby levelling the surface. In doing so, the layers of colour underneath become visible.

Step 5



Fold the sheet of FIMO over down the middle so that the patterned side is on the outside. Roll over again until it is approx. 5 mm thick.

Step 6



Cut different-sized squares out of this sheet of FIMO. You will need the following quantities:

For the bracelet: 8 squares à 2.5 x 2.5 cm.

For the necklace: 1 square à 3.5 x 3.5 cm.

For the earrings: 2 squares, each 2 x 2 cm in size.

For the ring: 1 square à 2.3 x 2.3 cm.

Before hardening in the oven, use the darning needle to make holes lengthwise through the top and bottom of the bracelet's squares. They are for threading the rubber cord through later. Make holes diagonally across the squares for the pendant and earrings, just below one of the corners.

Now place all of the pieces of jewellery on a piece of baking paper or on a sheet of glass, put in a pre-heated household oven and leave to harden for 30 minutes at 130°C – then allow to cool slowly!

Step 7



Next, string the bracelet squares onto two lengths of rubber cord and tie each set of ends together. Use the rest of the rubber cord to attach the small squares to the earrings, allowing the squares to dangle loosely. Hide the knots in the squares.

Step 8



When you have strung the pendant onto the caoutchouc necklace, place the end of the necklace into the crimp eyelet of the fastener and then press together using the flat-nose pliers in order to join the necklace with the fastener.

Step 9



Use the two-component glue to stick the ring top to the ring base. Please follow directions for use when using the glue!

Tips:

Should the holes for stringing be too small, you can make them larger after hardening using a small drill.

The FIMO colours are even more vibrant if the jewellery is lacquered after hardening using FIMO gloss varnish. This simultaneously acts as protective coat against dirt. It goes without saying that you can make the jewellery in your own favourite colours too. FIMO soft is available in a wide range of brilliant colours in sales outlets. The colours can be blended with one another or made lighter by mixing with white.

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