



DIY Trinket Dish

Overview

This project is for adults and children in third grade and up.

Materials

- Trinket dish
- Patterned napkin
- Mod podge
- Foam brush
- Scissors (not included)

Instructions

1. Begin by unfolding your napkin. Identify the graphic elements you'd like to include, and cut around each carefully, leaving as little white space as possible. Once your shapes are cut out, remove the second layer of napkin from the back of the patterned one and discard.



2. Position the napkin pieces on the dish. When you're happy with how they look, use the foam brush to apply a very thin layer of mod podge to the surface of the dish where

you'd like your first element to appear. Work in small sections; mod podge dries quickly. Use your finger to smooth any wrinkles that appear.



3. Once all your elements have been applied to the dish, allow it to dry thoroughly.
4. After the mod podge is completely dry, gently apply a thin layer of mod podge over the entire surface of the dish. You may want to apply several thin layers, allowing the mod podge to dry thoroughly in between each. If your brush strokes are very obvious, thinning your mod podge with a very small amount of water can help.



5. Allow mod podge to cure for several hours before using your new dish. Note that mod podge isn't waterproof, so your dish should be kept in a dry place.