

Mother's Day Rose Magnets

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What You'll Need:

- Red, pink, orange, and green polymer clay
- Clay Scraper
- Acrylic clay roller
- Lisa Pavelka Rose Embossing Cutters
- Smooth tile to work and bake on
- Button magnets
- Glue
- Optional: Lisa Pavelka Magic Glos,[™] UV cure light or outdoor sunlight

Step 1. Cut the bars of red, pink and orange clay in four pieces. Squeeze the clay for a few minutes to soften and condition it. Roll each piece into a snake about as long as a pen or pencil.

Step 2. Flatten the snakes with the roller. Pinch them even thinner between your fingers.

Step 3. Lay the three flattened snakes over each other so that some of the color of each shows. Do not stack them right on top of each other.

Step 4. Use the clay scraper to cut a section off that is about as long as your finger. Roll one end in on itself until you have rolled all the length around itself. This is the rosebud.

Step 5. Pinch the top edges to thin and shape like rose petals.

Step 6. Cut 5 or 6 more pieces from the layered strips that are about half as long as your finger. Wrap these around the outside of the rosebud so that they overlap the ends of the other petals. Pinch the top edges to thin them and give them shape.

Step 7. Carefully cut the bottom end off the rose with the clay scrapper to make it flat.

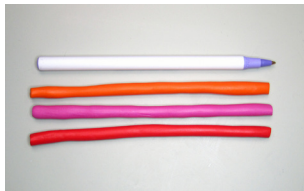
Step 8. Cut a bar of green clay in 4 pieces. Squeeze to soften one piece and roll it out between two stacks of 3 playing cards using the acrylic roller.

Step 9. Cut out 2 or three leaves with the small or medium rose leaf cutter, pushing down on the plunger to give them vein lines. Press these around the outside edge of the rose. Bake for 30 minutes in a preheated oven on the tile according to the clay package directions.

Step 10. When cool, glue the magnet on the back with heavy-duty glue. Lisa likes Beacon Quick Grip.

Optional: Give the baked rose "dew drops" by adding small dots of Magic Glos[™] to the petals and leaves. Place under the Lisa Pavelka cure lamp or outside in full sunlight for 10 – 15 minutes to harden.

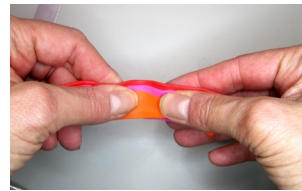
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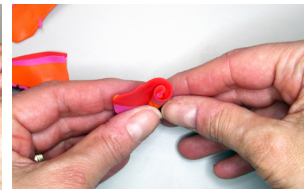
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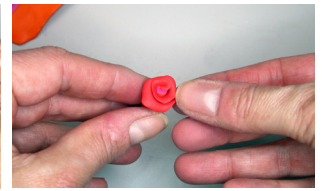
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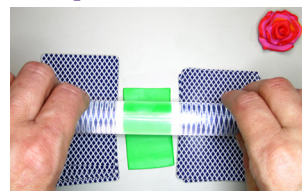
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Optional Step

