

(semi) Traditional Mexican Pottery

Supplies:

- 1 Cup Flour
- ½ Cup Salt
- 1 Cup Water Tinted with Red and Brown Paint

Instructions

1. In a small bowl or cup, mix together warm water and red and brown tempera paint
2. In a separate bowl, combine flour and salt.
3. Slowly add colored water to flour mixture, blending with hands until smooth.
(You may not use all of your water mixture!)
4. Using the below images as inspiration, make a piece of pottery with your salt dough.
5. Leave to dry in a well-ventilated area for a day or two. Alternately, heat an oven to 250° F, insert salt dough creations, and bake for 1 to 2 hours, until dry and hard.
6. When fully dry and hard, paint your salt dough creation with inspiration from Pre-Columbian art of the region!

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