

# Canada Day

## BAKED CLAY

- BAKES TO PERMANANCE
- CAN BE DYED
- GREAT FOR ORNAMENTS OR FRIDGE MAGNETS

### INGREDIENTS

3 CUPS FLOUR

1 CUP SALT

1 CUP COLD WATER

LARGE BOWL, MEASURING CUPS, SPOON, FOOD COLOURING (OPTIONAL)

MIX FLOUR, WATER AND SALT TOGETHER IN THE BOWL, THEN KNEAD THEM UNTIL SMOOTH. ADD MORE FLOUR IF THE DOUGH SEEMS STICKY, OR MORE WATER IF IT SEEMS DRY. THE DOUGH SHOULD BE WORKABLE AND NOT FLAKY. **COLOURED DOUGH:** ADD A FEW DROPS OF FOOD COLOURING TO THE WATER BEFORE MIXING.

BAKE YOUR DOUGH CREATIONS IN THE OVEN AT 275 DEGREES F ON AN UNGREASED COOKIE SHEET UNTIL HARDENED. THIS CAN TAKE AN HOUR OR MORE, DEPENDING ON THE THICKNESS OF THE PROJECT. (FOR THICK PROJECTS, PUT A BALL OF FOIL IN THE MIDDLE, AND SHAPE THE DOUGH AROUND IT.)

COAT YOUR PROJECT WITH EGG GLAZE FOR EXTRA PROTECTION AND SHINE OR YOU CAN PAINT WITH ACRYLICS IF YOU LIKE.

### EGG GLAZE

- 1 egg white
- 1 teaspoon water
- whisk or fork, small bowl, measuring spoon, paintbrush

Whisk the egg white and water together in the bowl. Use a paint brush to coat baked projects. After glazing, bake for another 10 min. at 275 degrees F. As glaze does not store well; throw away unused glaze.