

Basic Quilling Instructions Using Art Clay Paper Type

Materials

Paper Type
Paste Type
Fine tipped paintbrush
Craft knife
Straight edge

The slotted tool has a slot in its end which catches and holds the end of the paper.

The size of the quilled roll depends on the length of paper used. The instructions for each design will specify the length for each roll.

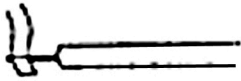


Fig. 1



Fig. 2

To make a roll with a slotted tool, first thread the paper into the tool's slot (figure 1). Slide the tool to near the end of the strip, and then turn the tool so that the paper wraps around it in a circular motion.

Rolls



Tight circle: Roll, slip the tool from the roll's center, holding the roll with your fingers to keep it from unwinding, and glue the loose end of the paper to the side of the roll.



Loose circle: Roll, remove from tool and allow the coil to loosen. Glue the loose end.



Teardrop: Roll and glue a loose circle. Pinch one side of the circle to a point (figure 2).



Shaped teardrop: Make a loose circle. Slightly curl the pinched point.



Marquise: Roll and glue a loose circle. Pinch it on opposite sides.



Shaped marquise: Make a marquise, and then curl its two pinched points in opposite directions.



Half circle: Roll and glue a loose circle. Flatten one side by pinching the circle at two points.



Square: Make a marquise. Then turn it ninety degrees and pinch it again on two opposite sides. The four points should be equidistant from one another.



Bunny ear: Make a loose circle. Then make a rounded indentation on one side.

Scrolls



Loose circle: Roll one end, leaving the other end loose.



Open heart: Crease the strip at its center. Roll each end in toward the crease.



V scroll: Crease the strip at its center. Roll each end toward the outside.



C scroll: Roll both ends of the strip towards the strip's center.



S scroll: Roll one end to center. Turn strip over and roll other end toward the center.



Variations of scrolls:
These are made by rolling one end of the strip to a point that is off-center.