

polka dot party

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materials

- Polyform Products

Sculpey III oven-bake clay in Candy Pink, Granny Smith, Just Orange, Lemonade, Sky Blue, Violet, White
Clay Conditioning Machine (CCM)

- Craft wire, mini cupcake baking pan (optional), mini paper baking cups, oven and clay-dedicated baking sheet, pencil, ruler, sharp blade, super glue gel or silicone glue, variety of small circle cutters (paper punches, Kemper cutters, or small cookie cutters)

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instructions

confetti

1. Use small amounts of each clay color for the confetti. Using 5th setting on CCM, press each color through, making separate sheets.
2. Pre-bake clay sheets at 275° for 20 minutes.
3. When sheets are completely cool, cut out circles with paper punch.

plates

1. Using 3rd setting on CCM, press each color through, making separate sheets.
2. Cut out a variety of circle sizes from clay sheets.
3. Press clay dots onto plate rims in a random pattern. Bake dots on plates at 275° for 20 minutes.
4. After plates are completely cool, pop dots off with a fingernail and permanently adhere them back into place.



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napkin rings

1. Blend equal amounts of Candy Pink and White together to make a light pink. Use a round cookie cutter as your form for napkin rings (make sure a rolled up napkin will fit nicely inside the cutter).
2. Using 1st setting on CCM, press light pink through, making a thick sheet. Cut light pink into 1" strips. Wrap two layers of 1" strips around form and trim and smooth ends.
3. Using 5th setting on CCM, press each of the other colors through, making separate sheets. Cut out a variety of circle sizes from thin clay sheets.
4. Press clay dots onto napkin holders in a random pattern. Bake at 275 ° for 30 minutes.

mini cupcake place card holders

Note: I used a mini cupcake baking pan as support for mini cupcakes while I formed them and while they baked in the oven.

1. Fill mini cupcake papers with scrap clay almost all the way up to top of paper. **Tip:** It looks really nice if you match clay color to papers.
2. Roll a log of white clay into a thick rope with tapered ends about 12" long.
3. Press one tapered end onto edge of cupcake and spiral log around until it comes to a point at top.
4. Decorate cupcake with either leftover confetti or dots cut from a very thin sheet.
5. Curl a piece of craft wire and push down through middle of frosting. Bake cupcake in paper at 275 ° for 30 minutes.

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