



Air-Dry Clay Fridge Magnets

Beginner - about 1 hour hands-on + 24-48 hours drying

WHAT YOU'LL NEED

☐ 1 lb white air-dry clay (soft, smooth kind)

☐ Rolling pin or a smooth glass bottle

☐ Wax paper or baking paper (a few sheets)

☐ Mini cutters: flower, heart, circle

☐ Toothpicks + small cup of water

☐ Damp cloth or sponge

☐ Flat tray or baking sheet

☐ Fine sandpaper (220 grit)

☐ Acrylic paint, 3-5 colors

☐ Small paintbrushes (flat + detail)

☐ Matte acrylic sealer or varnish

☐ Round magnets, 10-12 mm (1 per piece)

☐ Strong craft glue or low-temp glue gun



Step by Step

☐ Knead clay 1-2 min until smooth and soft

☐ Roll clay 0.5 cm thick between wax paper

☐ Cut shapes; keep each under 5 cm wide

☐ Smooth the edges with a damp finger

☐ Add dots or lines with a toothpick

☐ Dry flat 24-48 hrs; flip over at 24 hrs

☐ Sand rough spots; wipe off the dust

☐ Paint 2 thin coats; dry 30 min between

☐ Seal with 2 thin varnish coats; dry fully

☐ Glue a magnet to the back of each piece

☐ Let glue cure 24 hrs before using

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