

# Salt Dough Ornaments

Materials: Pencil, paper, scissors, toothpick, yarn or string, acrylic paint, 3" diameter (aprox) drinking cup or glass, mixing bowl, wooden spoon, 1 cup + 3 Tablespoons of all purpose flour, 1/2 cup salt, 1/2 cup water, rolling pin, dough board or counter top, cookie sheet, parchment paper, adult supervision & an oven.

1. Have your adult preheat oven to 200 degrees
2. With your pencil, trace your glass at least 3 times onto a piece of paper
3. Draw your favorite marine habitat creatures inside of the traced circles
4. Mix 1 cup flour & 1/2 cup of salt in bowl



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5. Slowly add 1/2 cup of water & mix...you want the dough to stick together but not to you! If it is too sticky add a little more flour... If too dry add a little water

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6. Sprinkle a little bit of flour on your work surface and knead the dough for a couple of minutes

7. Roll out the dough to approximately 3/8"
8. With the open side of the glass, cut circles & remove the excess dough.

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9. Make a hole at the top for hanging
10. Re-draw or trace your marine creatures onto the dough. Push the creature into the clay or push the clay down around the creature, add details.

11. Place ornaments on a parchment lined cookie sheet and bake for 1-2 hours depending on thickness.
12. Let ornaments cool completely and then paint with acrylic paints
13. Add a piece of yarn or string & hang!

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