

INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF

PLAYING CARDS CAKE PROJECT SHEET

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FMM PRODUCTS

- O FMM PLAYING CARD CUTTER SET
- O FMM CARNIVAL TAPPIT SET
- O FMM DAB-A-DUST
- O FMM NON STICK SMART MAT
- O FMM ROLLING PIN
- O FMM WATER PEN

NON-FMM PRODUCTS

- O WHITE/BLACK/RED FONDANT, WHITE GUMPASTE
- O 3 TIER: 4" X 4" HIGH, 6" X 4" HIGH CAKE, 12" CAKE BOARD - ALL COVERED IN WHITE FONDANT. 8" X 2"HIGH CAKE COVERED IN BLACK FONDANT
- O WHITE MELTING CHOCOLATE
- O FREEZE SPRAY (OPTIONAL)



HINTS & TIPS

Always read the project sheet in full before starting the cake!

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To make your own modelling paste, add a little tylo to the fondant. Use a Water Pen to attach your paste.

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Allow the modelling paste shapes to sit and firm up for a short time before attaching to the cake.

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If the modelling paste is sticking to your tools or mat use the FMM Dab-a-Dust for dusting with either cornflour or icing sugar.

MAKING THE CARDS

- O Dust your work surface using cornflour or icing sugar.
- O Roll out the paste to 2-3mm thick in the colour of your choice. Turn it over.
- O Place the rectangular cutter on top of the rolled out paste and apply pressure with your hand. Gently slide the cutter backwards and forwards on your work surface to produce a clean cut.
- O Remove the excess paste from around the cutter and turn over.
- O Tap the cutter gently on your work surface or use a soft brush to gently remove the paste from the cutter. Leave the playing card to dry on a piece of foam for 24 hours.
- O To decorate the playing card dust your work surface again with cornflour or icing sugar.
- O Roll out a strip of paste 2-3 mm thick in the colour of your choice. Turn it over. Allow it to dry for a few minutes as this will prevent it from being too sticky when using the suit cutters.
- O Place the suit cutter on top of the rolled out paste and apply

pressure with your hand. Gently slide the cutter backwards and forwards on your work surface to produce a clean cut.

- O Remove the excess paste from around the cutter and turn over.
- Tap out or use a soft brush to push the suits from the cutter on to vour work surface.
- Repeat and do the same with your choice of tappit letters and numbers to match the cards you have picked to design.
- Attach the suits and letters/numbers to the dried playing cards with edible glue or water.

ASSEMBLING THE CAKE:

- O Stack all cakes. Roll a black fondant rope border for the top and middle tier, attach with water
- O Cut a variety of suits in both sizes (in black and red), attach around the bottom tier and on board.
- Attach the fully dried playing cards using royal icing, edible glue or water.

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