

#### Introduction

Ready, set, resin! This kit includes everything you need to create your own personalized resin scrunchie stand. Perfect for beginners, we'll take you through all the details to make your experience smooth, safe and shiny! First step: read through all of the instructions to make sure you have enough time to complete your project in full. Plus, check out our video instructions for extra step-by-step guidance (scan QR code below)!

## **Prep Your Space**

Find a well ventilated space with a hard, flat surface. Lay out your plastic sheet and materials. Be sure to check the base of your silicone mold for lint. If it needs to be cleaned, use a few pieces of tape to run along the surface and edges. Place the mold in the cardboard stand. Resin is SUPER sticky, so make sure you have your gloves on before you start the next step!

### **Materials**

1 Silicone Scrunchie Mold
2 Bottles of Resin Glue (A + B)
3 Bottles of Colorants
(Black, White & Dark Green)
2 Sheets Gold Foil
3 Wooden Craft Sticks + 1 Toothpick
1 Measuring Cup + 3 Mixing Cups
1 Cardboard Stand
2 Pairs of Gloves
1 Plastic Sheet

#### What You'll Need From Home:

Adult Supervision Required Tray Apron or Smock Timer

# **MIXING THE BASE**



With your gloves on, slowly pour all of **RESIN A** into the large measuring cup; follow with all of **RESIN B**.

Resin is really hard to clean up and super sticky. If you spill any that's not contained on the plastic sheet, wipe it up right away! If you get it on your hands, lather soap on hands before using water.

If hands are still sticky from resin, use hand sanitizer.



Have your adult helper set the timer for 3 minutes.

For 3 minutes stir continuously with a flat craft stick scraping the sides and bottom. **Stir slowly** to avoid too many bubbles. Once mixed, you have 45 minutes to work before resin starts to harden.



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## **CREATING THE COLORS**



Divide the resin between 4 cups. We used 3 parts clear with gold foil, 2 parts green, 2 parts dark green and 1 part light green. There should be about 25ml left in the measuring cup once you pour the other 3.

Use a craft stick to push one sheet of gold foil into the first mixing cup (avoid touching the foil with your gloves, it will stick). Stir slowly until you have small pieces.

In the next cups, stir in 5 drops of green + 1 drop black, and 8 drops of green + 2 drops of black; mix using craft sticks. Lastly, stir 3 drops of white + 1 drop of green into the measuring cup.











TIP: Adding gold foil to clear resin looks best.

Adding more colorant than the recommended amount will prevent the resin from hardening.

## **READY TO POUR**



You can layer the colors however you choose, but we like starting and ending with the clear/gold flake. Begin by pouring about 1/2 to 3/4 total of your starting color into the mold. Pour in a circular motion around the ring opening. Repeat process with remaining resin colors, layering as you go. ALL resin should be used to fully fill the mold.



If you pour the clear/gold flake on the base, you can use the toothpick to spread the gold foil pieces out.

Use the side of one of the wooden craft sticks to scrape excess resin off the circular part of the base.

TIP: Make sure resin stays level.

# READY TO CURE





Let your design dry for 24 - 48 hours.







Once dry, remove stand from mold by slowly pulling/rolling the outer silicone layer down around the barrel. Use your muscle!



















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