### Welcome!

Welcome to your "Clay" Kit to Go from The Clay Studio's Claymobile! Included in your kit is Crayola Model Magic, washable paint, and paint brushes. Below you will find step-by-step instructions for creating an animal head sculpture and on the back is a sketching activity. You can also find a demonstration video of the project at theclaystudio.org/claykit. Get ready to be creative and have fun!

Visitanos a theclaystudio.org/claykit para instrucciones en español.

# **Let's Sculpt**

Using your Model Magic, let's sculpt a pinch pot animal head! Use your animal sketches as inspiration!



- Model Magic (included in your kit)
- 1 piece of scrap paper
- A surface to work on (a piece of cardboard, newspaper, or scrap fabric will work well)
- 2. Break your Model Magic into 2 pieces. One big piece for your animal head and one small piece for your decorations.
- 3. Roll your big piece into a ball. We will use the ball to make a pinch pot.
- **4.** Push your thumb into the middle of the ball. Do not push all the way through.
- **5.** Starting at the bottom and working your way up, gently pinch the clay between your thumb and fingers.
- 6. Keep turning your pot as you pinch so that the Model Magic is the same thickness all around.
- 7. Crumple up your scrap piece of paper into a ball. Turn your pinch pot upside down over the paper ball for support.
- 8. Using your extra clay, decorate the head of your animal. You can add a mouth, ears, and other details!
- 9. Allow your project to air dry for 24 hours.

# Clay To Go!

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# Claymobile

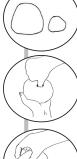
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We would love to see your finished sculptures! Snap a picture and tag us on social media @theclaystudiophl or email it to info@theclaystudio.org. We'll feature your artwork on our website at the claystudio.org/claykit

#### **Let's Paint!**

Now that your sculpture is dry, let's decorate it with paint!

- 1. Grab your materials. You will need:
  - Your air dry animal head sculpture
  - Paint pots (included in your kit)
  - Paint brushes (included in your kit)
  - A cup of water
  - A surface to work on (a piece of carboard, paper plate, or scrap paper will work well)
  - Apron, smock, or old t-shirt
- **2.** Put on your apron, smock, or old t-shirt. The paint is washable, but it is still a good idea to wear something that can get messy.
- 3. Carefully open your paint pots. Use your paint and brushes to decorate your animal head. Does your animal have stripes or spots? Be creative with your colors!
- **4.** Don't forget to rinse your brush out when switching colors!
- 5. After you finish painting, set your sculpture aside for 1 hour to allow the paint to drv.











## Let's Sketch!

**Brainstorm:** What are your favorite animals? Do they live in the air, on land, or under water?

**Sketch:** Draw your favorite animals below. Be sure to think about all their different features. Do they have a tail or whiskers? Are they covered in fur, feathers, or scales? Do they have legs? If so, how many?

in the air

on land

under water