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Salt Dough Love Heart



Here's a lovely decoration to hang in your house to send your family all your love!

Materials needed:

- 3 colours of Salt Dough
- Cardboard cut into a heart shape
- Puncher or something to pierce a hole
- Pipe cleaner or string
- Pva glue (optional as the dough should still stick to the cardboard)
- 1. Make some salt dough using this salt dough recipe.
- 2. Colour your salt dough with your 3 chosen colours.
- 3. Ask a grown up to cut out a love heart shape from cardboard as cardboard can be very tricky to cut.



- 4. Then punch or pierce 2 holes at the top of the cardboard love heart.
- 5. Put some glue all over the cardboard love heart. This is optional as the salt dough should stick once it dries.







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- 6. Take small pieces of salt dough and roll into little balls.
- 7. Then press and flatten the balls onto the love heart shape.
- 8. Continue to do this with different colours every time. You can overlap the colours to fill in some small gaps.







- 9. Once you have finished, peel off the salt dough around the edges of the cardboard love heart.
- 10. Push your pip cleaner through the hole and twist to secure it. You can use a string or wool here instead.
- 11. Now it's time to allow your salt dough love heart dry. This could take up to 1 week to dry depending on how warm the room is. Remember to let it dry flat!
- 12. When its fully dry you can hang it up.