

Yield: 3 Polymer Clay Gnomes

Polymer Clay Gnomes

These easy and fun polymer clay gnomes are so simple, I just can't stop staring at them and coming up with new ideas for uses for them!

Active Time

20 minutes

Total Time

20 minutes

Difficulty

Easy

Estimated Cost

\$2



Materials

- Polymer clay

Tools

- Parchment paper
- Baking sheet
- Modge podge
- Paint brush
- Clay cutting and piercing tools, optional (you can use a toothpick, razor blade, craft knife, or anything really)

Instructions

1. Preheat your oven to the temperature noted on your clay package directions and line your baking sheet with the parchment paper and set aside.
2. Roll out 3 grey balls about 6cm in diameter for the gnome bodies, 3 brightly colored balls about 5 cm in diameter the hats, 3 white clay balls about 4 cm in diameter for the beards, and 3 tan balls about 1 cm in diameter for the noses.
3. Work each of the grey balls into "chubby" tapered cones with rounded bottoms and tops.

4. Work each of the brightly colored balls into tapered skinny cones, then work the inside to be hollowed on the bottom to fit the hat on the top 1/4 of the grey body.
5. Work each of the the white clay balls into flat triangle shapes with widely rounded corners to form beards. Press each of these beard shapes to the bottom front of each of the gnome bodies, then tuck the hat down over the bodies and top of the beards.
6. Place the tan balls (the noses) onto the center of the beard, tucked under the edge of the hat.
7. Add score lines vertically into the beard shape using a clay tool or toothpick.
8. Place your gnomes on the parchment paper-lined baking sheet and place in the oven to bake per the package directions.
9. When the clay is cooled completely, seal each of the gnomes with modge podge. Let this dry completely then enjoy!



Notes

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