

Funky Flower Plate

Recipe Courtesy of Julie & Robin Cates, On The Pot in Salina, KS



Bisque

#1011 Large Sushi Plate

Colors

Bouncin Berry
Orange Peel
Pool Party
Blue Ice
Polar Bear
Black Lab

Tools

2 Fun Writer Bottles
Scissors
Small pan of water
Spouncer

1. Paint one coat of white paint all over the front of the plate.
2. Using a bow compass, draw a line around the outside of your pottery to leave white for black and white checks.
3. You will need a copy of the template on plain white paper and a copy on transfer paper.
4. Cut out the template on white paper with a quarter inch halo around the flower. (In other words don't cut right up to the black line, leave just a little bit of space.)
5. Get the white template WET. Not just damp, but wet, then lay it on the plate. The wet paper will stick to your plate. If you have spots that didn't get wet enough to stick, use a wet sponge or fan brush and dab it over the paper to help it stick.
6. Starting on top of the template and brushing away from the paper, coat the whole plate with 3 to 4 coats of Pool Party from the flower out to your penciled line from step 2.
7. Using a spouncer, add Blue Ice dots...do three coats with the spouncer.
8. Peel up your template and throw it away. If you had any paint bleed under, use a toothpick to clean up any bleeds once they are dry.
9. Cut out the transfer paper version of the flower template. Trace the flower template with a pen.
10. Use the Orange Peel Fun Writer to fill in the center of the flower.
11. Use the Bouncin' Berry Fun Writer to fill in the petals of the flower.
12. Outline all parts of flower and the whole pool party square using a long liner brush.
13. Using a flat square brush paint 2 coats of black checks around rim of plate or platter.
14. Use the Black Lab Fun Writer to add words to your plate.
15. Paint the edge of the plate Black Lab using a large round brush.
16. Paint the back with 2 coats of Black Lab.
17. Sign your work!

