# AVERAGE TIME CHALLENGE LEVEL 2 HOURS

# FOOTPRINT SUNFLOWER TRAY FOR MOM

Baby prints and sunflowers for mom.



### **MATERIALS**

CCX320A - Tray w/Handles
#6 Fan Brush
#2 Round Brush
#1 Long Liner Brush
Writer Bottle
Small Writer Bottle Tip
Pencil
Tissue Paper
Water-Based Marker

### **COLORS**

CMM19 - Banana Boat
CMM13 - Cinnamon Stick
CMM27 - Kiwi
CMM49 - Christmas Tree
CMM59 - Turquoise
CMM31 - Licorice

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#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Wipe a damp sponge over the entire piece to remove dust and contaminants.
- 2. Apply an even amount of Turquoise on the baby's feet and print them onto the center of the tray. Apply even pressure and lift the feet straight up to avoid smearing.
- 3. Lightly pencil the child's name and lettering below the prints.
- 4. Lightly pencil some circles of different sizes around the tray to plan where to paint your sunflowers. Make sure to leave a good amount of space in-between these for the petals.
- 5. Paint one coat of Banana Boat for the petals. Try to do each petal in one stroke. Start from the tip of the petal and swipe your brush towards the middle of the flowers. Use the long liner brush for the smaller flowers and the small round brush for the larger flowers.
- 6. Paint 1 watery coat of Kiwi in a donut shape on the pencil line along the edges of the petals.
- 7. Paint 1 coat of Cinnamon Stick in the very middle of the flower, inside the Kiwi line.
- 8. Using the back of the pencil like a stamp, make Kiwi dots along the edge where the brown meets the green. For the smaller sunflowers, use the back of the brush like a stamp to make the Kiwi dots.
- 9. Using the back of the pencil like a stamp, make Christmas Tree dots to accent the design and fill space around the sunflowers.
- 10. Fill a writer bottle with some Licorice and trace over the lettering.
- 11. With the writer bottle and a small writer tip, trace over the child's name and "Happy Mother's Day" with Licorice.
- 12. Using the back of the pencil like a stamp, add Licorice dots around the top edge of the tray.

#### **TIPS**

- Allow paint to dry between coats.
- Wash brush between colors.
- For the best prints, apply the color as evenly as possible. To thin and your print will not show all the way. Too thick and the print will not show the texture of the skin.
- After you have evenly applied the color, gently place the foot onto the pottery. Make sure to apply pressure to each toe and the arch of the foot for a nice, balanced print.

