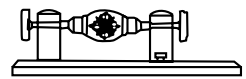
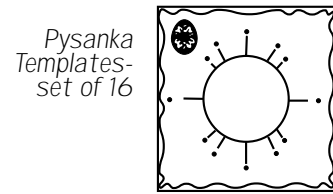
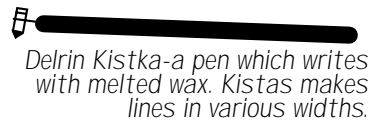


SUPPLIES:

- Dyes
- Delrin Kistka (wax pen/stylus) or Traditional Kistka
- Pysanka Templates (optional)
- Craft Lathe (optional)
- Drying Board
- Aunt Marge's Egg Blower (A) or Blas-Fix Blower (B)
- Egg Stands
- Candle
- Pure Beeswax

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1) Wash hands to remove any oil or lotion.
- 2) Clean raw egg, examine closely for small cracks or weak spots. Blow out egg (see A/B)/or (optional) if raw eggs are not blown, in time raw egg yolks turn to powder.
- 3) Dry eggs with towel, allow to come to room temperature.
- 4) Cover work area with newspaper.
- 5) Label dye jars with color names - mix dyes in jars following manufacturer directions-let cool to room temperature.
- 6) Use pencil to draw designs or template onto an egg-see instruction booklets. Beginner may need instruction books for design.
- 7) Shave beeswax and place in funnel on top of Kistka.
- 8) Hold Kistka on side of candle flame until wax melts.
- 9) Use Kistka like pencil to draw on egg-use back-&-forth motion, covering with wax the lines and areas of motif you wish to remain white. Rotate egg, add wax and heat kistka as needed to complete design.
- 10) Dye eggs beginning with light colors working to dark colors.
- 11) Leave egg in dye bath for 5-15 minutes.
- 12) Remove egg, pat dry with tissue.
- 13) To retain dye color, apply wax over desired design elements just completed. Then next darkest color, repeat wax and dye bath process for remaining colors.
- 14) To remove wax, hold egg 1/4" from candle flame until wax begins to melt. Use tissue to wipe melted wax. Rotate egg removing wax until all colors appear. A thin layer of wax will remain on egg.
- 15) Apply varnish all over egg, place on drying rack. Allow to dry 3-7 days.



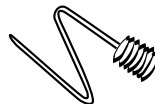
Craft Lathe-Takes the guess work out of measuring & making horizontal lines around egg.



Drying Board-holds up to 15 eggs for varnishing.



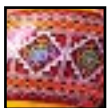
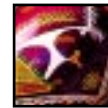
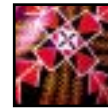
A. Aunt Marge's Egg Blower



B. Blas-Fix Egg Blower

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