

Caja de Girasol



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Instructor

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Designer

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Instructor's Comments

After learning about popotillo straw art from my friend Cesar Carbajal, I wanted to create a project combining the traditional Popotillo from Mexico with straw marquetry and straw plaits for a different project.

Skill Level

Open

Straws Needed

◆ Not Applicable see Class Kit

Finished Size

H 2" x W 3 ½" x D 3 ½"

Other Supplies Needed

- ◆ Hot glue and glue gun
- ◆ Tacky glue
- ◆ Pencil
- ◆ Tracing Paper
- ◆ Straw Splitter #4, #6

Class Kit:

\$15.00 includes the following:

- About 40 medium/fine straw
- 2 long French rye (1 green, 1 natural)
- Popotillo straw in purple, navy, brown, tan, yellow, orange, dark green and light green

The instructor will provide kit for all students registered for the class:

- Straw for marquetry and plaiting, popotillo straw, wax and wooden box

What will be taught in class:

- Seven straw Dunstable
- Four straw whip plait
- Eight straw whip plait
- Marquetry

NAWW Plait Directory and First Addition

Suggested wheat:

Second joint wheat or rye for marquetry, your favorite plaiting wheat for Dunstable and four straw whip plait. Long rye straw in natural and dyed.

Pre-class work: None

Extra Kits:

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