AVERAGE TIME •

2.5 HOURS CHALLENGE LEVEL

Antiquing Technique + Rainbows = Magic

# RAINBOW ROLLER SKATE BANK



### **MATERIALS**

CCX3174 - Roller Skate Bank #1 Short Liner Brush #1 Long Liner Brush #2 Round Brush Round Sponge

## **COLORS**

CMM46 - Sunny Side Up CMM66 - Pink Berry CMM55 - Sea Mist CMM92 - Ghostly Grape CMM31 - Licorice CMM44 - Battleship



#### INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Wipe a damp sponge over the pottery to remove dust and contaminants.
- 2. Paint 1 thick coat of Licorice all over the bank until no white is showing.
- 3. When the color has lost its shine, take a slightly damp round sponge and gently wipe the color off the pottery. You want to wipe lightly, removing the color from just the raised parts of the texture. This will leave the color in just the cracks, giving it an antiqued look. For best results, continually rinse your sponge in your water bowl while you wipe, as needed, and squeeze out the water well so it doesn't drip onto your pottery.
- 4. Paint the rainbow on the back heel with 2 watery coats of the following colors from top to bottom: Pink Berry, 2 stripes of Sunny Side Up, and Sea Mist.
- 5. With a liner brush, paint 1 thick coat of the same colors in Step 4 on each of the shoelaces.
- 6. Paint 1 thick coat of Sunny Side Up on the stars.
- 7. Paint 1 thick coat of Sea Mist on the circle around the star.
- 8. Paint 2 watery coats of Pink Berry on the toe stopper.
- 9. Paint 2 watery coats of Ghostly Grape on the toe of the shoe, top, back tab, and wheels.
- 10. Paint 2 watery coats of Battleship on the plate, the bottom of the skate between the shoe and wheels.
- 11. Paint 2 coats of Licorice on the bottom rim of the shoe.

#### **TIPS**

- Allow paint to dry between coats.
- Wash brush between colors.
- If you wipe too much color off while antiquing, just apply more of the dark color, let it dry until it has lost its shine, and re-wipe with the round sponge.
- When doing splatter with a toothbrush, be careful not to load it with too much color so it doesn't glob too much.
- To get thinner lines with your liner brush, press down lightly. The harder you push on the brush, the thicker your lines will be.

