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## RAINBOW APPLE TEACHER MUG


MATERIALS
CCX996 - 16 oz Mug
\#1 Short Liner Brush
\#6 Round Brush
Pencil
Tissue Paper
Water-Based Marker

## COLORS

CMM98 - Red Head
CMM3 - Carnation
CMM46 - Sunny Side Up CMM29 - Grasshopper CMM92 - Ghostly Grape CMM13 - Cinnamon Stick

CMM31-Licorice

## INSTRUCTIONS

1. Wipe a damp sponge over the pottery to remove dust and contaminants.
2. Trace the pattern onto the tissue paper with a pencil.
3. Place the tissue paper over the pottery and trace over the pencil lines with a water-based marker. Hold onto the tissue carefully so that the design doesn't shift as you trace.
4. Paint 3 coats of Red Head on the apple heart.
5. Paint 3 coats of Carnation on the top rainbow stripe.
6. Paint 3 coats of Sunny Side Up on the next stripe.
7. Paint 3 coats of Ghostly Grape on the last stripe.
8. Paint 2 coats of Cinnamon Stick for the apple stem.
9. Paint 2 coats of Grasshopper for the apple leaf.
10. With a liner brush, paint 1 thick coat of Licorice to letter "\#1 Teacher". (Optional: Younger artists can write the phrase with the sgraffito technique using a skewer or toothpick.)
11. Paint 1 washy coat of Carnation on the inside of the mug.
12. Using the back of a pencil, make Licorice dots on the top rim.

## TIPS

- Allow paint to dry between coats.
- Wash brush between colors.
- Use a contrasted colored marker to make the pattern more visible as you are painting.
- Use masking tape to hold the tissue paper while you are tracing if it shifts.
- To get thinner lines with your liner brush, press down lightly. The harder you push on the brush, the thicker your lines will be.
- Periodically rinse your liner brush to remove color build-up to keep your lines a consistent size.


