# MARBLED HEARTS MUG

## MATERIALS

CCX085 Tall Flare Mug with C Handle
Fan Brush
Medium Brush
Copy Paper
Scissors
Screen Squeegee
Writer Bottles (optional)
Straight Pin

## COLORS

CMM 98 – Red Head
CMM 90 – Red Hot
CMM 16 – Chiffon
CMM 67 – Snowflake
CMM 66 – Pink Berry

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# INSTRUCTIONS

1. Use a fan brush and paint the outside of the mug with 3 coats of Chiffon.
2. Cut out 8-10 hearts out of your copy paper.
3. Working in sections, brush the outside of your mug with a generous amount of water using your fan brush. Immediately place your paper hearts on the mug.
4. Use your fan brush to seal the hearts to the mug adding more water if necessary.
5. Next, use a medium brush to paint a thin layer of Chiffon on the edge of the hearts to ensure that they are sealed.
6. Working in sections, use either writing bottles or the handle of a paint brush to apply the reds, pink, and white in generous blobs on the side of the mug. Make sure to place some along the top edge of the mug.
7. After you apply your blobs to the mug, immediately take the wide end of the squeegee and pull the paint down from the top of the mug to the bottom. We want the paint to leak over onto our paper so we get a clean edge after it is removed. Continue to move the paint until the entire mug is covered.
8. Wait a few minutes for the color to lose it's shine, then remove the paper hearts using a straight pin.
9. To finish the mug, paint the inside with 3 coats of Red Head.

# TIPS

- You can use any colors for this technique. The paper won't stick to an unpainted piece, so make sure to paint on a background color first.
- Don't overthink where you're putting on your blobs, they're all going to smear together anyway.
- Use gentle, even pressure with your squeegee, if you press too hard you'll remove the paint instead of spread it.

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