

Unique Glass Colors Presents

Creating Spiders with Black MUD and Frit

Materials Needed: Coarse clear frit , UGC MUD Kit with Black MUD, foam plate, palette knife, waxed paper



Place clear coarse frit and Black MUD on a foam plate.



Mix until it is a stiff consistency. Add more frit or MUD as needed. The mixture needs to be able to hold its shape.



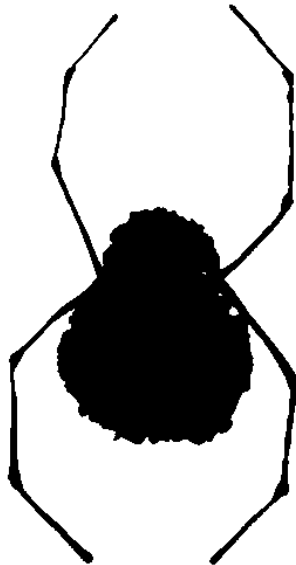
Form the body in a mounded shape and then add a smaller mound for the head. Allow to dry on the waxed paper. It looks a bit messy right now but trust me, all will be fine!



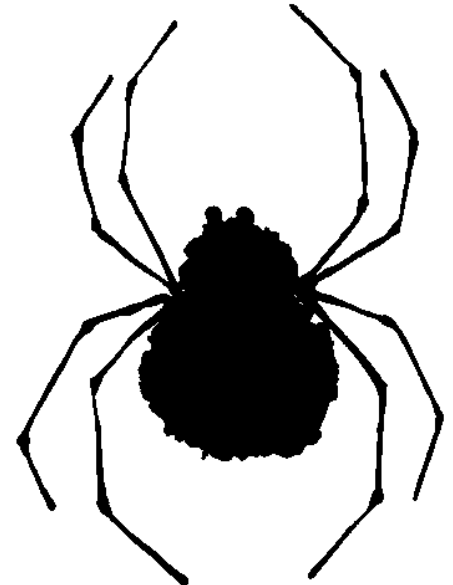
Remove the bodies from the waxed paper and clean up the edges by breaking off the small bits.

Air-dry—adhere to your surface with a bit more Black MUD and add the legs. Let dry for 24 hours before adding any varnish.

Kiln-fired— Make sure you are using compatible glass (frit and surface are compatible!) and adhere with a bit more Black MUD. Add the legs. Let dry. The hotter you fire this the flatter and shinier it will become. You need at least 1425F to make a good adhesion.



Make up the decorating bag with the writing tip as per the instructions in the MUD Kit. Add the inner legs first and be sure they come out from where the head attaches to the body. Pause at the joints just a bit so they are nice and visible.



Add the outer set of legs and have them be just a bit shorter than the inner legs. Add two dots for the eyes.