



How To Make Button Bowls

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Supplies Needed:

- Flat buttons of any size and color
- Balloon
- Mod Podge
- Elmers Glue
- Small paintbrush
- Roll of Painters Tape or Duct Tape for balloon stand
- Pin to pop balloon

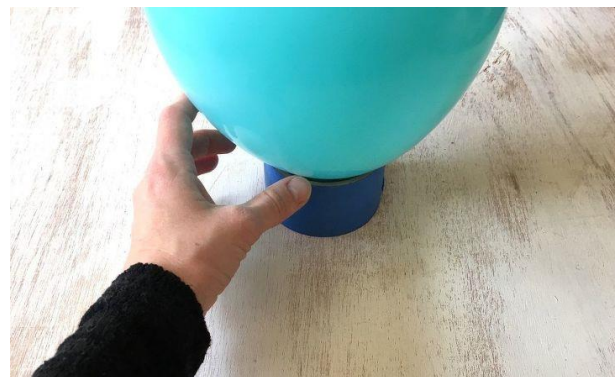


Instructions:

- 1.) Blow up your balloon. It should be about medium size (still have some squish to it).



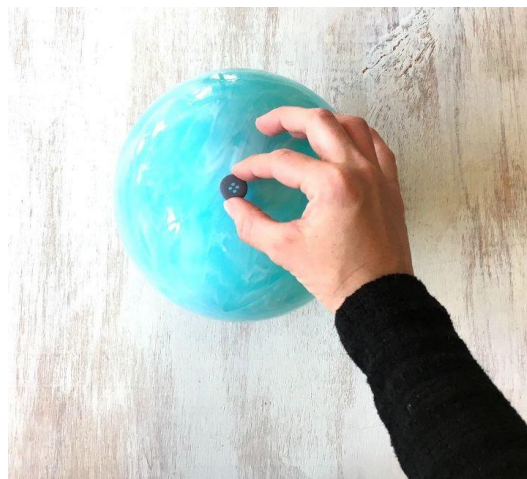
- 2.) Set up the balloon. Use a roll of painter's tape or duct tape to hold the balloon up for you.



- 3.) Once the balloon is set up, apply a layer of Elmer's glue. You can use a small paintbrush to spread the glue around and then let sit for about two hours to fully dry. The glue creates a coating so that the buttons won't slide off while applying Mod Podge.



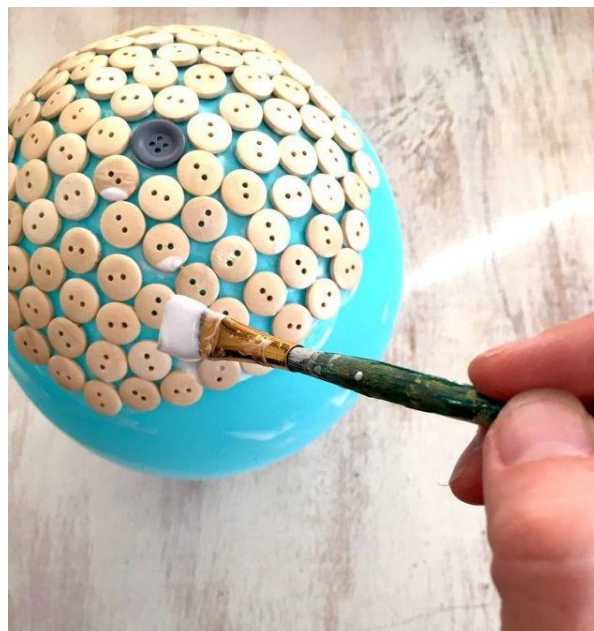
- 4.) Use a clean paint brush and start applying Mod Podge and adding buttons. You might want to choose a slightly larger button to put in the middle of what would be the bottom of your bowl, in order to help it sit nicely when using it!



- 5.) Continue applying the rest of your buttons. You do not have to have a pattern, but try to make sure every button touches another. You should also evenly distribute your buttons around the larger center button.



- 6.) After all buttons are adhered, apply two more coats of Mod Podge – letting each coat dry completely before applying another.



- 7.) After the Mod Podge has completely dried, flip the balloon over so that the bowl is sitting right side up on the roll of tape, with the balloon inside of it. Pop the balloon with a straight pin and carefully pull it out of the bowl. Your project is complete!!

