

Make plaster masks



Have you ever tried making plaster masks? Haven't you? It's a great craft, but needs some instruction.

Instructions

Either work outside on the floor or cover the floor with plastic

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Cut the plaster bandages into large and small pieces - best done in a cauldron/container

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Proceed in partners:

Someone applies Nivea cream very well to their face (including eyebrows and at the hairline) - you can also cover the hairline and eyes with cling film for safety

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The second person takes a plaster bandage piece, places it in a bowl filled with water and spreads the plaster bandage on their partner's face and so on (one plaster mask takes about 4 layers)

Attention: leave nostrils and mouth free!!!!

See picture 1 and picture 2

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When the face mask is dry, the person (under the mask) can try to make faces so that the mask slowly comes off.

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Finished: Now you can let it dry for a short time and paint it.

If using gouache, I would paint it when it is completely dry (takes a few days to dry). With acrylic paint, this is not necessary.

See pic 3 and pic 4

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When cleaning up, don't **pour the gouche water into the sink** (the gouche will settle and possibly clog the drain), better to pour it outside into the bushes.

Plaster mask making: pictures 1 - 4



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