



Fun ideas to make yourself



Wonderful Christmas baubles



From Marabu you will need...

- Marabu-easy marble in aubergine (039), light blue (090) and clear (100)
- Marabu-Cleaner & Thinner

...you will also need:

- Christmas baubles
- Cocktail stick
- Marbling container (e.g. a big yoghurt pot/bucket)
- Gloves
- Apron
- Old newspaper
- Paper

Here's how it's done:

1. First cover the table with newspaper. Ensure that the pot is big enough for the baubles to be submerged completely in the water. The container cannot be used again except for marbling purposes as the paint can't be completely removed! Pour cold water into the pot.
2. Shake all colours well. Then drip the paint directly from the jar onto the middle of the surface of the water. 2-3 colours are ideal. The order of the dripped colours has an influence on the marble pattern: the second colour "drives away" the first one to the edge so that the second colour will be more effective. The more paint that is dripped on the surface the more colour-intense the marbling will be.
3. Swirl the paint immediately using a cocktail stick to create any pattern you like.
4. Dip a bauble slowly into the water until it is completely submerged. The paint will develop a thin film round the bauble. Remove the bauble immediately from the container and hang to dry. The paint is touch-dry after 15 minutes.
5. Remove surplus paint from the surface of the water using a piece of paper (keep hold of the edge). Colour residues on the surface of the water prevent the new paint from spreading evenly and leave unwelcome patterns on the next bauble.

Tip:

Use Marabu-easy marble for marbling (dip technique) on plastic eggs and balls, glass, acrylic glass, wood, papier mâché, metal, polystyrene, etc. and for marbling on paper as well.