
Marbled Totes with CBTV Live

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(upbeat music) (upbeat music continues) (upbeat music continues) - Hi, everybody. This is Faith from Creativebug coming at you live like we do every Tuesday and Thursday. And today I am basically overwhelmed with excitement. We have a giveaway of paint. We're announcing who won our Cricut, and I just learned the name of my new niece who I'm probably a little teary eyed because I can't stop crying over how cute she is. Welcome to the world, but I'm not gonna say her name in case other family members don't know yet, I literally just found out. But anyway, the matter at hand is our wonderful craft, which is shaving cream marbling. Now, if you've been with us for the past year, you've maybe seen me do this already, but this time we're taking it a step further and we are marbling on fabric, which is actually just a brilliant idea. The marbling looks so fantastic. You're gonna want to carry it around with you or put it on some clothing. So this is what you'll need. We're using Tulip soft fabric paint. I'm also using some puffy paint for details. You'll need a super foamy shaving cream. We're just using Barbasol. You can get this anywhere. Painter's tape, a paint brush so that you can swirl things around or you can use a pencil, a quilting ruler. You can use any kind of firm ruler, but it shouldn't have much bend to it. And I really like the quilting rulers 'cause it's gonna help us line up our painting tape, our painter's tape, excuse me, on our canvas bag. We'll need some paper towels because this gets very messy. And also an apron. I was reminded by my coworkers, remember last time you did it and you stained your clothes and you cried, and I did not remember, but it was very generous of them to remind me, I overdyed the shirt, don't worry, it's fine. So we're also going to use a canvas tote bag. Joanne has a whole bunch of totes. I like this one 'cause it's nice and small, but I'll show you later. I did it on some larger totes. And whatever bag size you choose, you'll need to cut an equivalent piece of cardboard to fit inside of it so that the ink doesn't go through. And also to provide some stability when we are doing our marbling. And finally, you'll need newsprint to cover your surface and a surface to put the shaving cream on. It doesn't actually have to add edges. You can use a baking sheet if you'd like. Or I was working on a bigger piece and used a top of a Tupperware tub. That's a good tongue twister, but I'm going to be using this paint to tray for now and let's get started. - [Allie] Before we get started, - Before we get started, Allie's reminding me- - [Allie] Let's talk about the awesome giveaway that we're doing. - Before we get started, I'm excited to tell you about this fantastic giveaway we're doing, it's 100\$ worth of Tulip paints. They're putting together a kit and it's, you're just gonna go wild with all the different paints 'cause they have tons of different kinds of paints, different kinds of pigments for different kinds of surfaces. So in order to enter this, please like our page, share this post and report below that you've shared it. We'll also have a link to our Rafflecopter and you'll have to enter your email address there. So make sure you do all four things, like, share, tell us, Rafflecopter. Please and thank you. \$100 worth of tulip paints. It's a remarkable array. You're gonna have a blast. Get your canvas and wash it first. Do not use fabric softener. And then you'll cut a piece of cardboard to the size. I tried to get as big of a piece as I could put in there. You want the least amount of slack possible. So you want it really taut and you don't have to zip it up, but oh look, that might make it even tauter, more taut. And then because I want, I don't wanna marble the whole surface. So you're certainly welcome to do so. - [Allie] Faith, I'm gonna interrupt you again because I wanna shout out, Beth Bags says, "Hi from Orlando, Florida. Taking a break from prepping for the storm for Hurricane Irma." So let's wish

her and everyone in Florida in the Gulf Coast safety and love from us. - Beth is writing in from Orlando saying that she is pausing in the prepping for the storm and we wanted to wish you and everybody else on the Gulf Coast safety for you and your families at this time. Crafting is a great way to hunker down. Though, be careful with those candles. - [Allie] Okay, sorry. (Faith laughing) - And of course we are very obviously live. So write in with any questions and comments you have. I've put the cardboard in our tote bag and I am taping out a symmetrical area. You don't have to do this, but you're welcome to do so. And I'd also like to use this ruler because it helps me make really straight lines. So I'm actually going to use this when I'm putting on my second piece of tape. So I'll line up this paint line with a line on my ruler or this tape line, excuse me, and but it up against there. I'm just gonna fold it under. You can also use washi tape if you don't have access to painter's tape or if you have no tape at all, but you don't even have to use tape. I find it easier to work with smaller areas and I'm just centering this right now. This is like eyeballing it with guidance. It's like guided eyeballing. - [Allie] Okay, sorry, first question. Shenetta is wondering, can acrylic paint be used for a replacement? - [Faith] I have successfully used acrylic paint as a replacement. Oh, Shenetta asks, can we use acrylic paint as a replacement? I think so. It's not going to hold up as well if you're hoping to wash something. So if you are say putting it on a t-shirt, I would recommend using the fabric paint. But I had actually, when I was talking to Courtney about this project, I said, "Well, I don't really wash my tote bags." And she looked at me with horror and disgust because apparently you're supposed to wash your tote bags. So if you're gonna be washing it, probably use fabric paint. If not, acrylic is just fine. Once we have our surface taped off, now we'll prepare our palette. This is the super fun part. So shake up your shaving cream and it only needs to be as big as the surface. In fact, I wouldn't recommend spreading it much larger than the entire size of your piece. It gets shockingly very messy. Each time I end up, I hope you can picture me wandering through the office fully covered in shaving cream and everyone saying, we'll just wait for the live shoot. We don't have to ask her what's going on now. (can spraying) We're gonna, two at once. Oh my god. (cans spraying) I can tell there's a lot of shaving cream in here but it's not coming out because (cans spraying) This is obscene. (cans spraying continues) We're gonna do it. We're gonna make it. Okay, now we smooth it out. I like using this 'cause it has a flat edge and it ends up being a little bit more precise and I can, I can manipulate the kind of pattern I want a little bit better and then wipe it off on the edge of your tray. And we're going to add our paint, now start with just a little bit, it can get overwhelming really fast. And I'm using white on white because our canvas is a creamy colored and I think the white will really pop. And also after you've done this process, you're gonna want to let it dry for four hours without touching and then for 72 more hours before you put it in the washing machine. - [Allie] We had a really handy tip from Theresa and Brenda. They say you can hold up the pan and spray. So like, hold. - [Faith] Theresa and Brenda are angels for writing and they said I could hold up the pan and spray. I will definitely do that next time. Thank you very much for your handy tip. And yes, if you have personal experience with marbling with shaving cream, please let me know how it went or how it goes. I'm also gonna use, even though this is puffy paint, which its specific purpose is to be three dimensional, I'm gonna use it here 'cause I really like a pop of neon. I've been studying under the tutelage of Courtney Cerruti and she's right, neon's the best. So now we have a little bit of paint spread out and we are going to make squiggles. You can make these as precise as you want. I like to kind of follow a grid pattern and I don't know if there's quite enough of this pink that I want. So I'm gonna add a little bit more. I'm gonna do a diagonal design. Ooh, that's nice. Okay. And now we lay down this whole surface, we're pushing it straight in. And the first few times I did, I was very delicate and dainty and like tap, tap, tap tapped it and that doesn't even

come close to working. You just need to get real messy and smoosh it the heck in there. So that's what we're gonna do. We're lining it up, making sure we have all of the paint is going in our rectangle. Also take care with this guy. We're pressing it all the way down and it should look exactly like this. Just entirely covered and like nothing has actually happened. And then this part is where, you know, you feel really fancy and and delicate and you squeegee it off. So one motion and I tried using the bendy rulers before, this doesn't work as well for it. So get yourself a straight firm edge and here we go. Oh, look at that. Fantastic. So you might see that a little bit remains on the edge. Just scrape it at a 90 degree angle. It's very subtle, but you'll see we have one more step to really make it pop. Look at that. So satisfying. And so because this is, they have a bit of white on this edge and it's a little bit subtle and we have this little schmutz over here, I'm going to give it a neon border. So make sure you clean off your ruler. It's always good to have baby wipes on hand for this purpose. Or just bring it to the sink if you have one close to you. And get the whole surface, not just the edges. We're going to be using just the edge, but make sure you get the whole surface so you don't put it in your paint. - [Allie] Faith, can I jump in and can I ask you to remind folks again about the giveaway? - Oh yes, Allie is reminding me that we have a giveaway, \$100 worth of paints from Tulip. And Tulip is the paints we're using for this project. They have a lot of great paints for many different surfaces and many different finishes. I really like their matte paints, are really nice, and their fabric paints are gonna work great for a project like this. - [Allie] And would you, some folks have said that they can't click on the giveaway link. So I posted another link that they can use. So if you don't mind telling them that too. - Allie is reminding me that to enter the giveaway, please like our page, share this post, comment below that you have done so, and then enter the Rafflecopter link. So Allie's posted the link. Allie is of course our fantastic moderator. She's like Vanna White without letters, just a keyboard. And she has posted a link that shows you where to go to enter this giveaway. And if there's no more questions, I'm gonna move on to the the puff paint part. - [Crew] Allie, you are on. - [Allie] I was on? (Faith laughing) I'm trying to help people. I'm trying to help people enter this giveaway and it's not working. - [Faith] Well, Allie will take care of the giveaway and I'll take care of the puff paint. - [Allie] Everyone to have fun. - Multidisciplinary team here. So once again, I'm gonna use my acrylic ruler and I'm going to line it up with the edges. And I'm not going to glue along this, but I'm going to use this to guide my hand. So also this roller reminds us of even if I can't exactly see where this line is, if I, I know I remember I lined it up on the bottom. So I'm going to make sure you tap it all the way down to the bottom so there's as few air bubbles as possible. And then begin at the corner and you'll just press with one long squeeze. And because that was a comfortable angle for me, I'm going to turn the bag instead of turning my ruler and I'm going to repeat the process on all three sides. As you'll remember, Leanna did a puff paint class a couple weeks back and I had totally forgotten about puff paint until then. And now I can't stop thinking about it. This puff paint is a blast. Okay, we're just continuing to rotate it. Look at those yellows. That looks great. Oh, you'll see I went a little bit off. Think that'll be fine. Once this dries for like 20 minutes, maybe I'll gently roll it over a little bit. This is the kind of paint that is a little bit more negotiable than you'd assume. And finally, this is the last one. Also, puff paint has the same washing instructions as the fabric paint. So don't move it and then don't wash it until 72 hours. And so we're going to let this dry flat and I'm gonna show you a couple other versions I did and walk you through the do as I say, not as I do portion. 'cause I learned a lot along the way and I love sharing what I've learned with all of you. Here is a 3D makeup bag I did, this was a little tricky because, well you might realize this faster than I did because it's 3D and not flat like the other one. So I had to like pinch the sides over. I wouldn't necessarily recommend it, it was more of a pain in the neck than it

was worth. But what was as much of a pain in the neck as it was worth are these two totes. I really went hog wild with these neons, you can see, and this is a little bit more abstract and this is a little bit more geometric, I suppose. And this is an instance where the, I think the neon really served to reign in the wildness of the marbling. Oh, and finally, with all the excitement, so we had, my new niece who's so cute, we have our Tulip paint giveaway contest, which Allie's addressing the comment section right now. - [Allie] And I think the issue is with folks who are watching us from mobile. - And we've realized that the issue on the Rafflecopter link is folks who are watching us on mobile. - [Allie] So after the livestream ends. - So after the livestream ends, - Make sure that they go back to the Creativebug Facebook post, this livestream post or our page. - What we're telling you mobile folks is we're so sorry, you're gonna have to get on a computer and not use your phone. - [Allie] We're gonna get you to enter. - Apologize for the inconvenience. - [Allie] You're gonna enter to win some awesome paint. - You will be entered to win some awesome paint, but you're gonna have to do it online the old fashioned way. Isn't that wild? - [Allie] So just go to Creativebug's Facebook Page. - So please go to Creativebug's Facebook page, - [Allie] Which is Facebook. - Which is facebook.com/ - [Allie] /creative.bug. - Creative.bug. - [Allie] And we are the top post. This giveaway post is the top post. - And we've pinned this giveaway post to the top of the page and you'll be able to click on it there. - [Allie] Yes, there's many links there. - And finally, we have the winner of our cricket giveaway. - Yes. - From last week. And that person is- - Robin Bogner. - Robin Bogner. Congratulations. You're going to have a blast. Speaking of having a blast, I sure did today with the marbling on tote bags. And I hope you learned something and had a blast too. See you next week. (upbeat music) (upbeat music continues) (upbeat music continues)