

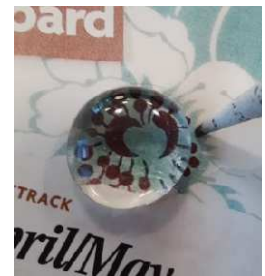
Marble Magnets

Materials needed: (your Bailey Library *Take & Make Kit* includes the first two items):

- Glass “marbles” with one flat side and one rounded side. (Any size works, but your magnets should be no larger than the marble).
- Flat magnets, ideally round.
- Glue (any type that dries clear)
- Scissors
- A pencil
- Scrap paper with words, pictures, fun patterns, etc. Old magazines are great for this!

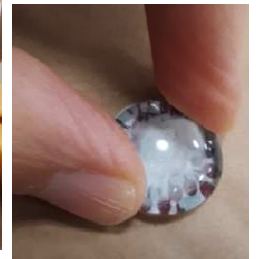


1. Find a picture you like. Slide the marble around until you find the effect you are looking for (the rounded glass top of the marble will magnify the image underneath).
2. Trace around the marble with the pencil.



3. Cut out the circle you traced. Double check that you cut correctly by placing the marble on your round cut-out. If it's too big, trim a little more (it should fit just under the flat side of the marble without extra hanging out).

4. Put a SMALL drop of glue directly in the center of the image you chose. Now place the marble on the glue, flat side down. Apply a little pressure so that the glue squishes around and coats the whole paper. You can wiggle it a little, too, if that helps. (At this point, the image will be blurry & hard to see because of the glue. Do not fear! When the glue dries, the image will be clear).



5. Next, put a SMALL drop of glue on one side of the magnet. Put the paper-covered side of the marble down on that and press to make sure the glue spreads out and adheres.

6. Let everything dry on a flat surface for several hours. Have fun!

Note: Keep magnets several inches away from each other! They'll fly towards each other when they get to close, and that can make a mess of a still-drying magnet project. 😊

