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All About Varnish

Tips and Hints from pysanky expert Joan Brander

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When to Apply Varnish

Using full eggs?

- ▶ after last dye
- ▶ before emptying / blowing eggs

Using empty eggshells?

- ▶ after last dye

Using Varnish

- ▶ requires hand cleaner
- ▶ use disposable gloves
- ▶ use plastic bag



Types of Varnish

- ▶ Brand Name: Cabot
- ▶ Product Name: Gloss polyurethane
- ▶ Description: oil based
hard and durable finish



Types of Varnish

- ▶ Brand Name: Delta Ceramics
- ▶ Product Name: Gloss varnish
- ▶ Description: durable, moisture-resistant; will not leave brush marks, dries in minutes and guards against scratches



Types of Varnish

- ▶ Brand Name: EnviroTex
- ▶ Product Name: Epoxy pour-on
- ▶ Description: thick, high gloss finish



Types of Varnish

- ▶ Brand Name: Golden
- ▶ Product Name: Hard MSA topcoat
- ▶ Description: formerly Hard MSA varnish non-removable, resistance to ultraviolet radiation; can be used over acrylic, oil, and alkyd



Types of Varnish

- ▶ Brand Name: KBS Coatings
- ▶ Product Name: Clear coat Diamond
- ▶ Description: No yellowing, cracking or peeling



Types of Varnish

- ▶ Brand Name: Liquitex
- ▶ Product Name: High gloss varnish
- ▶ Description:
gloss acrylic, permanent, protects against UV damage; dries clear; use on all acrylic surfaces; non-yellowing, water-resistant when dry



Types of Varnish

- ▶ Brand Name: Minwax
- ▶ Product Name: Clear polyurethane
- ▶ Description: fast drying, durable, clear finish



Types of Varnish

- ▶ Brand Name: Sign Painters
- ▶ Product Name: 1-Shot
- ▶ Description: fast drying UV resistant clear topcoat; prevents colors from fading and provides mild abrasion resistance

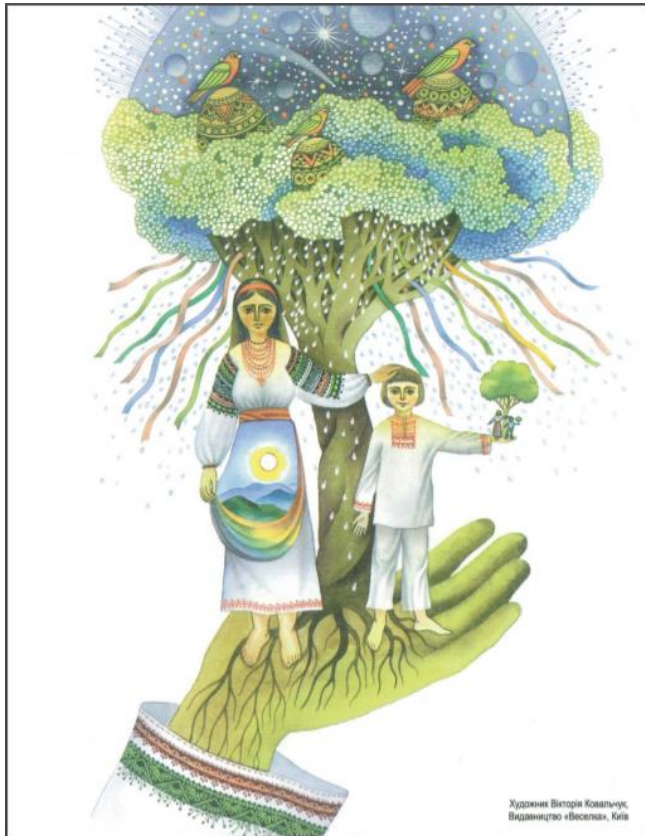


Types of Varnish

- ▶ Brand Name: Stevenson
- ▶ Product Name: Satin Varnish / Medium
- ▶ Description: solvent- based; hard and durable finish



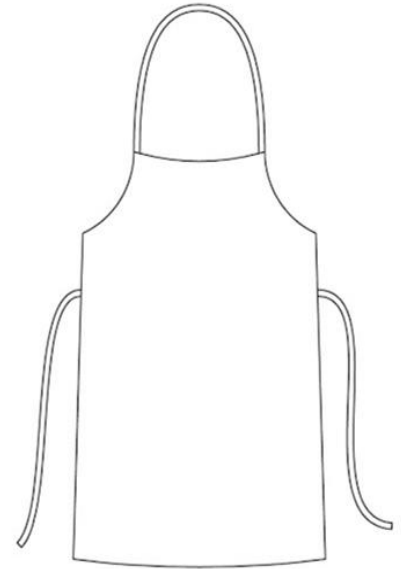
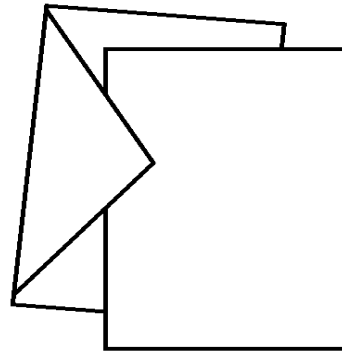
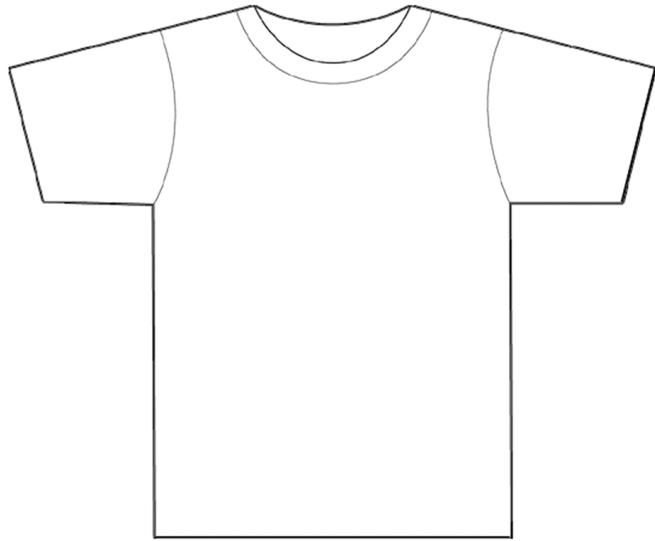
Protect the Environment



- ▶ use animal fat
- ▶ use vegetable oil

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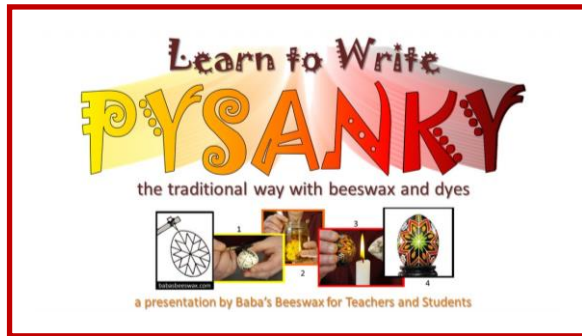
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What you will accomplish

Watch a how-to video from Baba's Beeswax (babasbeeswax.com) created by pysanky expert Joan Brander. You will learn how to make pysanky Ukrainian Easter Eggs using the traditional wax resist technique.

You will also be able to:

- describe what pysanky are
- identify the origin of pysanky
- identify specialty tools used for pysanky
- identify and pronounce Ukrainian words associated with pysanky
- use specialty tools
- use candles and melted beeswax safely
- identify common materials used for pysanky
- describe and demonstrate the wax-resist technique

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