



# Project Idea: Sculpt A Pinch Pot

## Recommended for Step 2: Craft with purpose, Choice 2: Make a gift

**Setup:** A bowl or pinch pot can hold special things like jewelry or keys. People have been making pots out of clay for a long time. Sometimes pots have lids, too.

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### Materials needed:

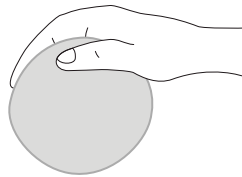
- Modeling clay that will dry hard
- Clay tools, such as forks, spoons, hair pins, etc.
- Paint and brushes (optional)

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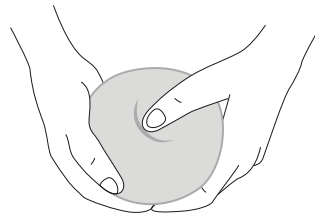
### Activity:

1. Roll the clay into a ball.
2. Press a dent in the center.
3. Pinch and mold the sides to make them as high and thick as you want.
4. Push the bottom of the pot against the table to make it flat.
5. Tinker with the pot. For example:
  - ▶ Decorate the outside with the tools.
  - ▶ Paint it once it's dry.
  - ▶ Use leftover clay to make a lid.

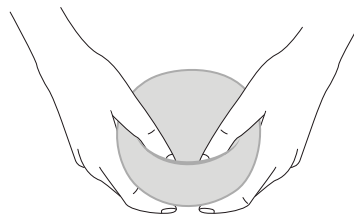
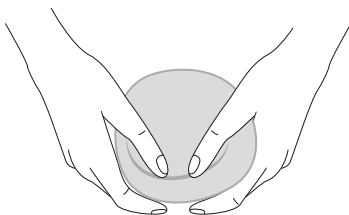
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