

Life is a Picnic Basket Painting Project

SUPPLIES NEEDED

- ❁ Picnic Basket with wooden lid
- ❁ Acrylic Craft Paint
baby blue, true blue, yellow,
orange, red, light green,
dark green, black, white
- ❁ Assorted Paint Brushes
- ❁ Clear Finish
- ❁ Sponge Brush



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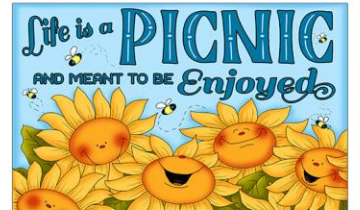
PREPARATION:

1. If necessary, lightly sand the wood lid and remove excess dust.
2. Resize pattern if necessary to fit lid. Pattern for original sample project is 12"x8".
3. Print pattern. Transfer pattern onto center of the lid using graphite paper.

NOTE:. You can re-transfer pattern areas as needed

PROCEDURE:

1. Paint the background area with Baby Blue. Shade edges with True Blue.
2. Basecoat the sunflower characters with Yellow and let dry.
3. Mix a bit of Orange with Yellow to paint flower centers. Use thinned Orange to apply shading around the face area and tap a bit of red into the wet paint onto the cheeks before adding a dot of Red to each nose.
4. Use yellow with a touch of orange to shade petals.
5. Leaves are light green shaded with dark green.
6. Lettering is painted with True Blue mixed with Black.
7. Bees are Yellow and Black. When dry, brush wings with White.
8. Open mouth area on sunflower is filled in with Black. Tongue is Orange.



FINISHING:

Use Black paint thinned to an ink consistency with a liner brush to add all outlines and details.

OPTIONAL: Add a solid color border or dot flowers and leaves around the outside border edge
When dry, apply a coat of clear sealer finish to protect the artwork.

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Resize as needed. Transfer onto center of picnic basket lid.