

## **Mommy spider and baby magnet & a 5 minutes spidery ring** by Iris Mishly



**This cool project is perfect for halloween or for fun!  
Make your spidery magnet/pin & a 5 minute ring!**

## Tools & materials

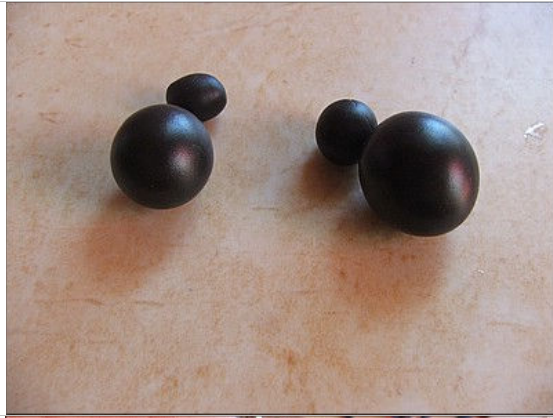
- Pre conditioned black & white (I used glow in the dark) clay, some red clay is optional
- Pasta machine;
- Acrylic/other roller;
- Working surface (I use ceramic tile);
- Stainless steel blade (for polymer clay);
- Grater for texture (optional)
- Kemper small round cookie cutter (optional)
- Seed beads
- Head Pins
- needle tool to pierce holes
- Wire (for spider magnet)
- Magnet; Ring finding
- E-6000 glue (to attach the magnet)
- Acrylic paint (silver/white/other)
- Carving tool (I am using Dockyard Micro Carving Tool Set)
- Pencil/color pencil to draw a draft
- Baby wipes
- Pliers (regular and round nose)
- Oven for curing, thermometer is also optional.

## Pasta Machine

There are few brands of pasta machines; some have different settings than others. When I say “thickest setting” choose yours accordingly, whether it's 1 or 9.

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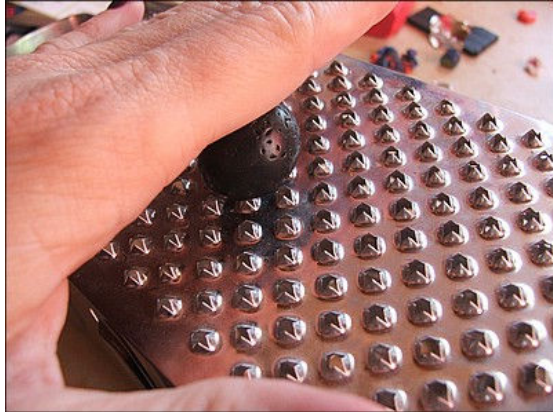




Condition black clay and roll 2 balls for the spider body – 1 small and 1 larger (sizes are about 2.5 cm diameter (1inch) for the body and 1 cm (0.7 inch) for the "face").



To make texture on the spider's body, use a grater and start rolling the ball slowly.



Continue rolling till you have a nice rough effect on the ball



Like this



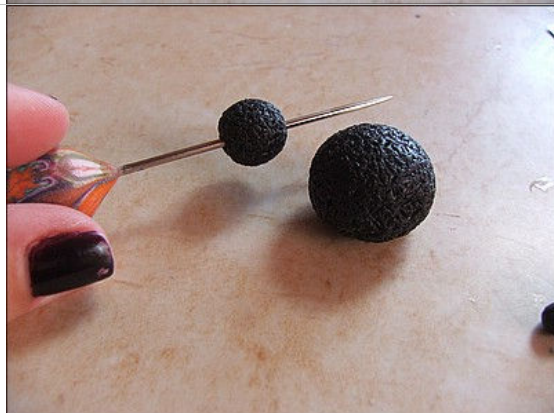
Repeat with the small ball (face)

If you want a baby spider repeat with smaller amounts of beads.



Pierce holes in your beads, these holes will be necessary to insert headpin to form the spider body.

The baby spider is also waiting to be pierced.



Pierce every bead from side to side.



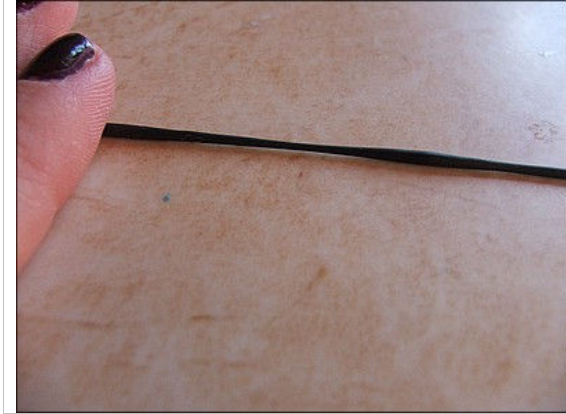
Roll white/glow in the dark clay to a thin setting and cut 2 circles to form the mommy eyes.



Place mommy's eyes on the smaller black bead.



For the baby's eyes, roll a very thin clay snake and cut 2 small circles, place on baby face bead.



Pupils can be made with a very thin snake of black clay.



Lipstick for mommy?



Red heart is a nice addition to mommy's black outfit.

**CURE**



Take your cured beads and let's start making a spider of them.



Insert the "face" bead on the headpin



Add the spider body bead on the same headpin.



Make a small loop on one end of your spider using round nose pliers. You can insert a bead and make a loop after it. Keep enough wire to make the loop.



Cut 4 wires to be the spider legs (8).



Each wire is about 10 cm or 4 inch



Bundle your 4 long wires together and tightly wrap them around the head pin wire between the two beads. I made a full cycle and a half to secure the wires between the 2 beads.



Like this



String your spider legs with seed beads, any you like.



Close the last seed bead with a loop.



When finished.  
Baby is on mommy's back :)





See this loop on it's back?  
this loop is great for hanging the spider as well.



Glue your magnet with E-6000.  
Glue baby on mommy's back.  
  
Set aside to dry.



That's it!



## 5 minutes SPIDERY RING



**This ring is a 5 minutes ring only! (not counting the curing time of course) :) a little bit of carving and it's done!**



Condition black clay and roll to thick setting. Put 2 layers one on the other.



Cut a nice shape using your flexible blade



Check on your ring size using your finger before curing. cut around if you need to.

### **CURE**



After curing we will draw a simple clipart on the ring.



Draw a simple clipart of a web & a spider



Using your pencil, mark the outlines of the drawing on the clay tile.



Carve your drawing using carving tool. I am using Dockyard Micro Carving Tool Set



Start with the spider.



Move on to the web, vertical lines



And horizontal lines of the web



If you like, you can consider making a 3D spider instead of the carved one



To highlight the carving, take a silvery/other acrylic paint



Brush the paint on the ring tile and quickly rub away excess paint with a baby wipe.



Like this

Attach ring finding with E-6000 glue or other.

**That's it!**

**Enjoy! :)**



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