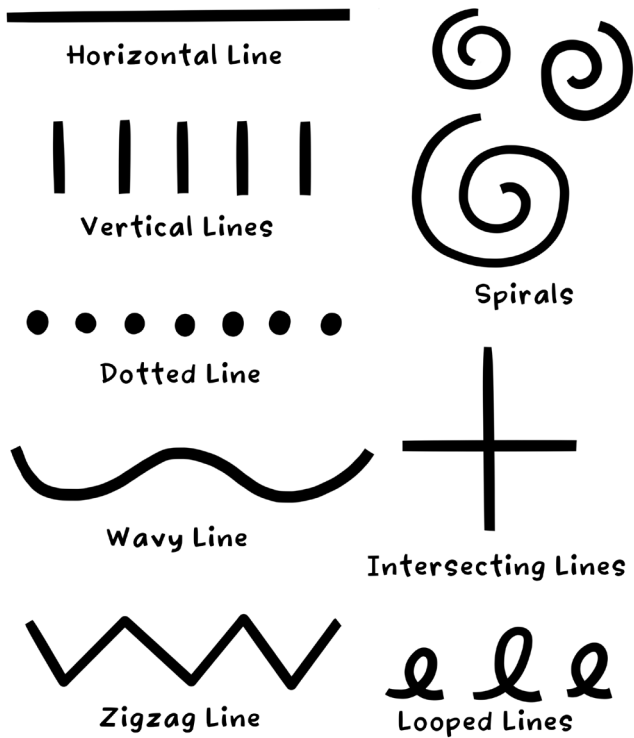


# Modeling Clay for Beginners

## Sculpting Project

### Let's Make Clay Lines!



#### OBJECTIVE

Students can practice creating basic shapes with modeling clay by using these three simple techniques. From there, students can use those same techniques to produce more complex and creative designs.

Developed by:



#### NATIONAL STANDARDS

##### **Creating, Anchor Standard 1**

Generate and conceptualize artistic ideas and work.

##### **Creating, Anchor Standard 2**

Organize and develop artistic ideas and work.

##### **Creating, Anchor Standard 3**

Refine and complete artistic work.

### Materials:

- Prang® Modeling Clay, any color:
  - 4 Assorted Colors, X00740
  - Red, X00781
  - Orange, X00782
  - Yellow, X00783
  - Green, X00784
  - Blue, X00785
  - Purple, X00786
  - White, X00787
  - Brown, X00788
  - Black, X00789
  - Grey, X00790
  - Pink, X00791

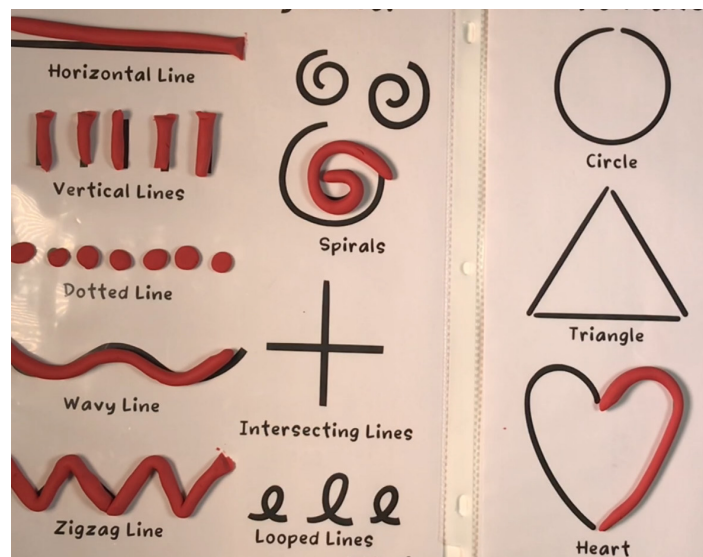
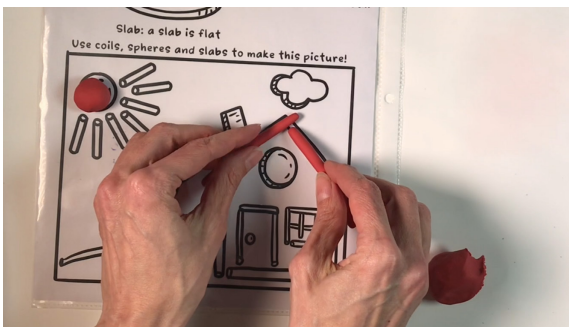
### Activity:

1. Divide modeling clay in to pieces just large enough to fit comfortably in your students' hands.
2. Instruct students to roll the modeling clay between their hands in a circular motion to create a **sphere**.
3. Instruct students to roll the modeling clay back and forth between their hands to create a **coil**.





4. Instruct students to form a “duck bill” with their fingers and thumb and use it to flatten the modeling clay, creating a **slab**.
5. Using these three techniques, have students create the shapes and designs listed on the attached worksheets.



# Let's Make Clay Lines!



Horizontal Line



Vertical Lines



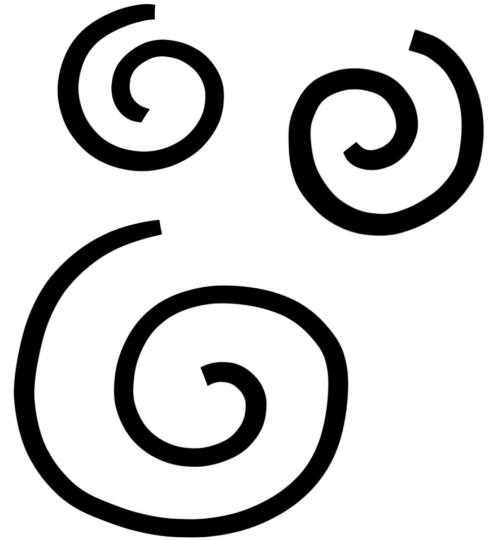
Dotted Line



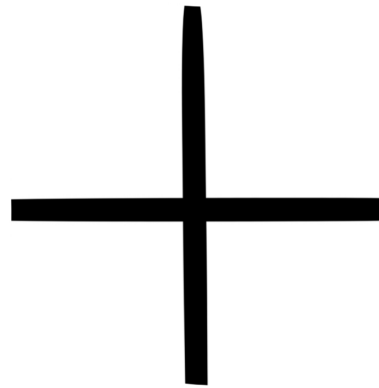
Wavy Line



Zigzag Line



Spirals



Intersecting Lines



Looped Lines

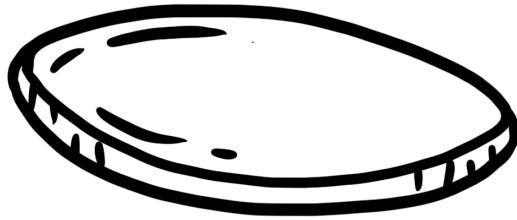
# Clay Forms to Know



Coil: a coil is rolled

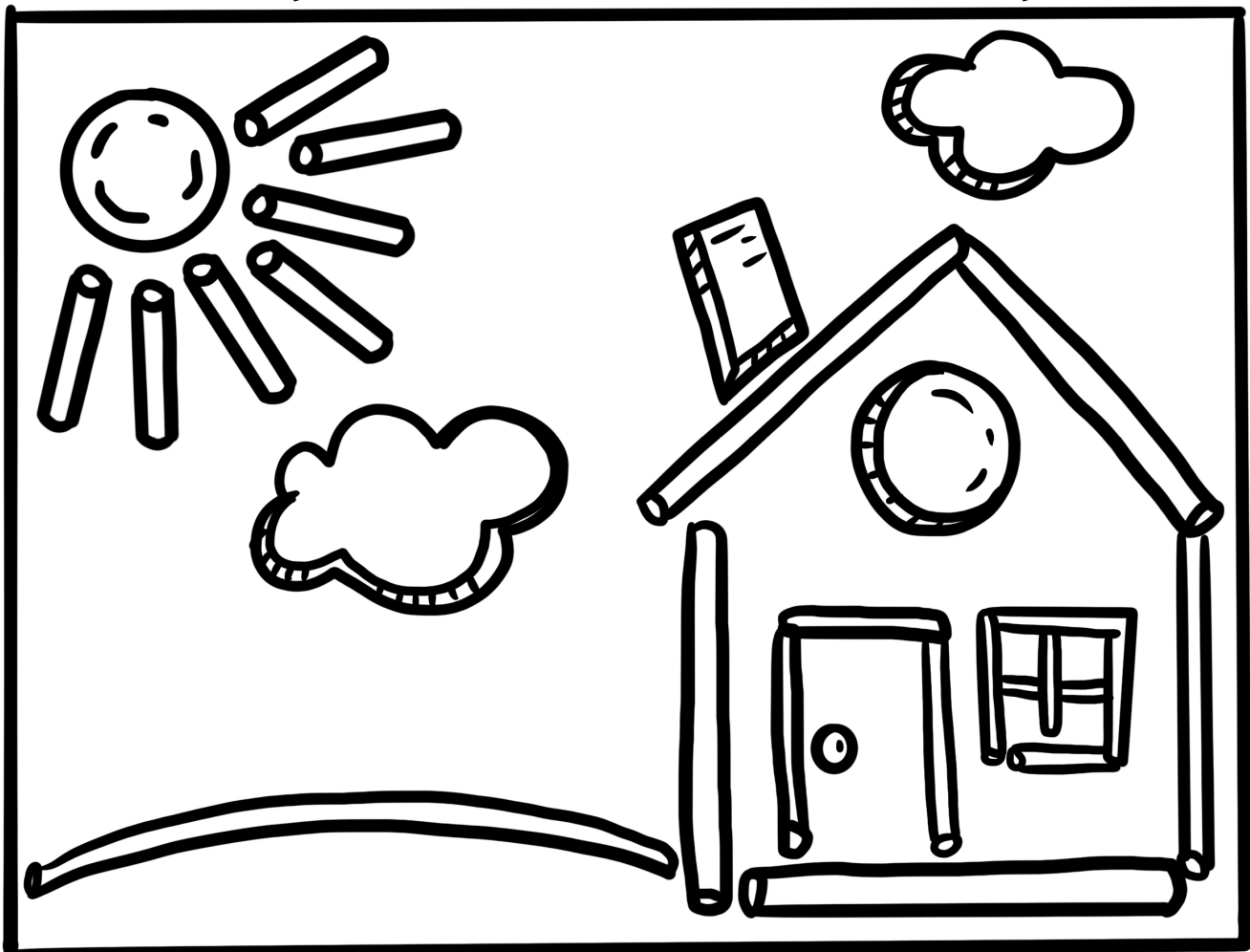


Sphere: a sphere is a ball

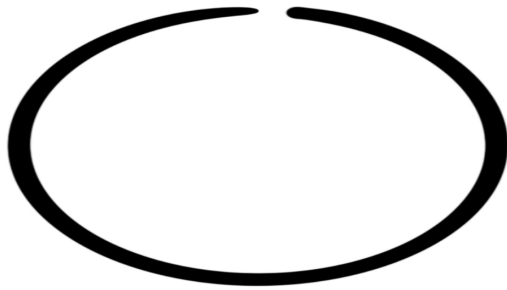


Slab: a slab is flat

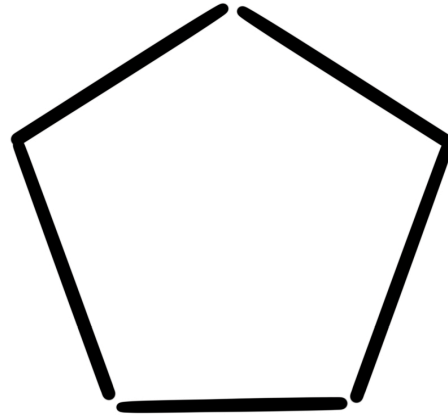
Use coils, spheres and slabs to make this picture!



# Let's Make Clay More Shapes!



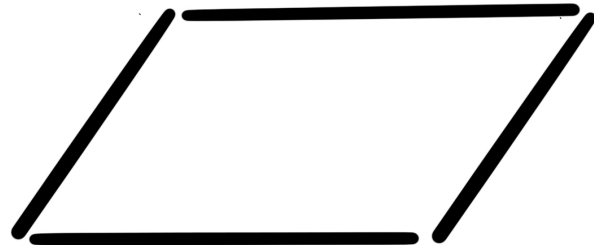
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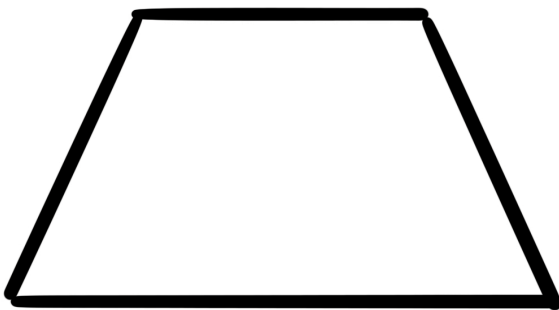
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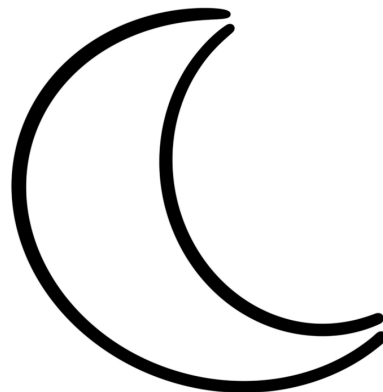
Star



Parallelogram

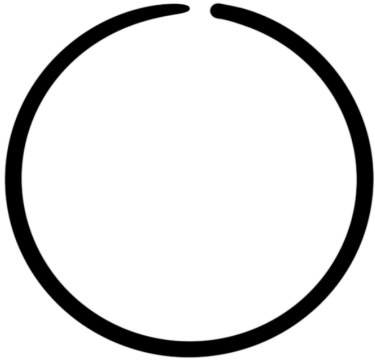


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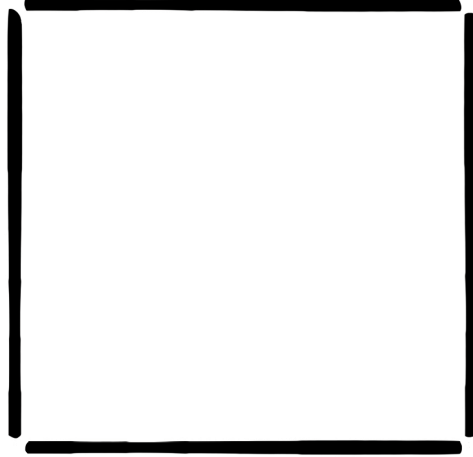


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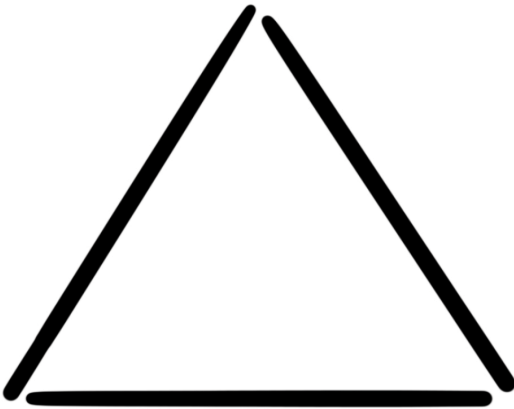
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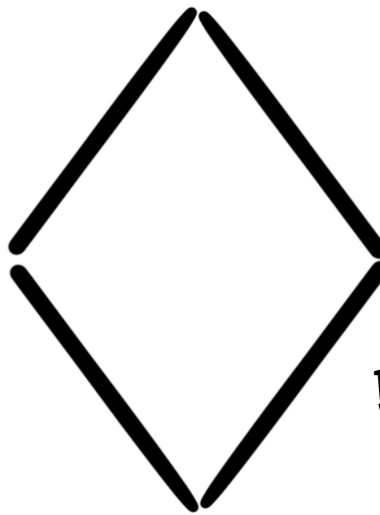
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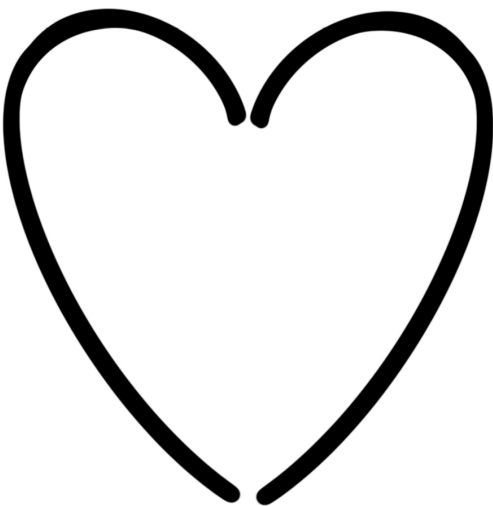
Square



Triangle



Diamond



Heart



Rectangle